

CONSUMPTION OF TEA AND SUGAR PER HEAD IN CANADA—*Con.*

YEAR.	Consumption per head.	
	Tea.	Sugar.
	Lbs.	Lbs.
1878.....	2·70	26·71
1879.....	3·27	28·56
1880.....	2·84	27·80
1881.....	3·84	31·45
1882.....	4·39	30·87
Average.....	3·41	29·08
1883.....	4·04	34·45
1884.....	3·58	38·75
1885.....	4·07	44·08
1886.....	4·92	38·78
1887.....	4·00	43·24
Average.....	4·12	39·86
1888.....	3·70	43·08
1889.....	3·68	47·26
1890.....	3·85	36·34
1891.....	3·72	40·71
1892.....	4·61	70·50
Average.....	3·91	47·58
1893.....	3·63	51·15

1235. With the exception of the United Kingdom and the Australasian colonies, the average consumption of tea is much larger in Canada than in other countries ; in the first named country the consumption is about 6·28 lbs. per head, and in Australasia about 8·21 lbs. per head. The country of the next largest consumption is the United States, with about 1·33 lbs. per head. The same remarks apply equally well to the consumption of sugar, that of the United Kingdom being 79 lbs., and the Australasian colonies 90 lbs. per head. The United States, however, consume about 56 lbs. per head, which is more than in Canada. Both tea and sugar are more largely consumed in English-speaking than in foreign countries.