

1895. The figures for Nova Scotia are not those of the ordinary revenue and expenditure, several items not coming under that head, having been entered as such for convenience, and the actual revenue of the province available for ordinary purposes is less than is shown in the table. In 1888 a considerable sum, in addition to the subsidy, was received from the Dominion Government on account of a claim of the province for piers, breakwaters, &c. In Prince Edward Island the financial year, previous to 1873, began on the 1st February and ended on the 31st of the following January, but in that year it was changed to correspond with the calendar year.

1896. The next table gives the revenue and expenditure in the United Kingdom and British possessions,* principally in the year 1893, with the proportion of each per head of population:—

COUNTRIES.	Year.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.	
		Amount.	Per Head.	Amount.	Per Head.
		\$	\$ c.	\$	\$ c.
Europe—					
United Kingdom	1894 . .	443,515,929	13 13	444,340,517	13 15
Gibraltar	1893 . .	296,472	14 60	284,238	14 00
Malta	1893 . .	1,416,964	8 43	1,484,294	8 83
Asia—					
India	1893 . .	438,839,198	1 98	442,895,137	2 00
Ceylon	1893 . .	5,033,233	1 59	5,097,902	1 61
Straits Settlement	1893 . .	2,279,717	4 27	2,408,995	4 51
Labuan	1893 . .	40,286	6 88	36,631	6 26
Hong Kong	1893 . .	2,106,999	8 78	2,290,209	9 59
Africa—					
Mauritius	1893 . .	3,943,908	10 61	3,831,089	10 30
Natal	1893 . .	5,205,766	9 57	4,796,602	8 82
Cape of Good Hope	1893 . .	24,193,241	14 58	22,668,700	13 65
St. Helena	1893 . .	41,595	10 91	37,167	9 74
Lagos	1893 . .	562,042	6 57	492,755	5 75
Gold Coast	1893 . .	982,010	0 67	872,984	0 59
Sierra Leone	1893 . .	451,476	3 56	412,163	3 25
Gambia	1893 . .	155,241	10 36	173,462	11 58
America—					
Canada	1894 . .	36,374,693	7 24	37,585,026	7 48
Newfoundland	1893 . .	1,778,202	8 98	1,832,198	9 26
Bermuda	1893 . .	169,812	10 94	164,070	10 57
Honduras	1893 . .	170,201	5 41	206,050	6 55
British Guiana	1893 . .	2,933,441	10 82	2,809,390	10 36
West Indies—					
Bahamas	1893 . .	268,071	5 48	281,829	5 76
Turk's Island	1893 . .	36,179	7 21	38,043	7 58
Jamaica	1893 . .	4,203,067	6 27	3,895,367	5 81
Windward Islands	1893 . .	1,509,367	4 36	1,509,007	4 36
Leeward Islands	1893 . .	666,732	6 55	672,865	6 61
Trinidad	1893 . .	2,482,428	11 53	2,377,381	11 04
Australasia—					
New South Wales	1893 . .	46,232,428	37 79	48,978,240	40 03
Victoria	1893 . .	33,868,248	28 84	38,833,484	33 12
South Australia	1893 . .	13,320,621	38 40	13,172,276	37 91
Western Australia	1893 . .	2,777,168	42 68	3,118,565	47 93
Queensland	1893 . .	16,269,602	37 63	17,313,751	40 05
Tasmania	1893 . .	3,440,597	22 28	4,070,563	26 36
New Zealand	1893 . .	21,452,091	31 91	20,296,998	30 19
South Seas—					
Fiji	1893 . .	373,633	3 04	418,446	3 41
Falkland Island	1893 . .	64,483	35 37	55,421	30 40
Total		1,117,455,191	4 01	1,129,801,815	4 05

*Gross revenue and expenditure.