

In the whole Dominion, journals devoted to religion increased 82 per cent, to education 50 per cent, to agriculture 130 per cent, to finance and commerce 100 per cent, and to temperance 100 per cent.

1611. There has been great growth in class journals. There were 22 departments of knowledge represented by 44 journals in 1885, and in 1893 there were 40 branches represented by 138 journals.

1612. Various fraternal societies such as Foresters, Freemasons, Oddfellows, Patrons of Husbandry, &c., &c., have 12 journals specially devoted to the work of these organizations. This is five more than the number in 1885. Medicine and surgery have nine publications, three in Ontario, four in Quebec, and one each in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Engineering and mining have seven class journals, three in Ontario, two in British Columbia and one each in Quebec and Nova Scotia; and dentistry, entomology, real estate, numismatics, fashion, groceries, hardware, jewellery, leather, architecture, electricity, paper, undertaking, cycling, telephone, hygiene, sporting, science, insurance, law, live stock, pharmacy, lumber, milling, textiles, the army, railways, horticulture, &c., have each one or more periodicals giving special attention to specific wants.

1613. Of the daily papers (92) there are 57 that are issued in the evening. Some are issued morning and evening. There are 35 daily morning papers. Thirty-one of the evening papers are issued in Ontario, eleven in Quebec, five in Nova Scotia, three in New Brunswick, four in British Columbia, two in Prince Edward Island and one in Manitoba.

1614. By provinces the offices of distribution of newspapers and periodicals are as under:—

## NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

PROVINCES.	Daily.	Tri-Weekly.	Semi-Weekly.	Weekly.	Bi-Weekly.	Semi-Monthly.	Monthly.	Quarterly.	Total.
British Columbia.....	7	.....	1	16	.....	1	4	.....	29
Manitoba.....	3	.....	4	34	.....	2	13	.....	56
New Brunswick.....	7	.....	2	27	.....	1	12	.....	49
Northwest Territories.....	2	.....	.....	13	1	.....	.....	.....	16
Nova Scotia.....	8	4	3	47	1	.....	8	.....	71
Ontario.....	44	.....	8	369	2	14	96	1	534
Prince Edward Island.....	3	.....	1	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	14
Quebec.....	18	1	6	80	2	7	35	1	150
Totals.....	92	5	25	596	6	25	168	2	919