

CUSTOMS—*Concluded.*

Duties on Merchandise.	Duties Collected, 1897.	Duties Collected, 1898.
<i>Internal Revenue.</i>		
Tax collected on—	\$	\$
Spirits.....	4,732,986	3,575,174
Tobacco and cigars.....	3,239,628	3,566,417
Malt liquor.....	6,604	6,754
Malt.....	984,646	530,079
Petroleum inspection.....	42,018	44,631
Bonded manufactures.....	37,237	32,526
Other receipts.....	17,945	21,153
Methylated spirits.....	95,483	107,267
Total, internal revenue.....	9,156,547	7,884,001
Postal service—revenue (gross).....	4,311,243	4,686,650
Miscellaneous—		
Casual.....	119,210	243,941
Cullers' fees.....	10,428	16,767
Dominion lands.....	172,514	975,792
Dominion steamers.....	9,982	8,860
Fines, forfeitures and seizures.....	21,037	32,987
Gas and electric light inspection and law stamps.....	28,365	31,024
Interest on investments.....	1,443,004	1,513,455
Insurance superintendance.....	10,184	10,575
*Imperial contribution to Sable Island.....	2,775	2,771
Militia, including military college.....	40,363	36,916
Ordnance lands.....	9,831	22,537
Patent fees.....	110,009	112,084
Penitentiaries.....	83,808	76,588
Public works, including railways and canals.....	3,587,166	3,873,464
Premium and discount.....	34,854	191,560
Steamboat inspection.....	25,034	31,525
Superannuation.....	59,218	45,643
Tonnage dues (Mariners' Fund).....	54,294	54,553
Weights and measures.....	36,773	44,015
Miscellaneous.....	20,481	19,736
Fisheries.....	98,884	106,180
Total.....	5,978,214	7,450,973
<i>Recapitulation of Receipts.</i>		
Customs revenue.....	19,891,997	22,157,788
Internal revenue.....	9,156,547	7,884,001
Postal service (gross).....	4,311,243	4,686,650
Miscellaneous.....	5,978,214	7,450,973
Total.....	39,338,001	42,179,412
<i>Expenditure</i>		
Expenditures and their sources—	\$	\$
Charges on public debt.....	\$13,062,791	\$13,076,614
Post office.....	4,897,783	4,734,252
Subsidies (provinces).....	4,238,059	4,237,372
Railways and canals (including collection of revenue).....	3,860,095	4,239,765
Public works.....	1,611,287	1,857,627
Militia and defence.....	1,667,588	1,514,472
Civil government.....	1,418,847	1,399,422
Indians.....	908,064	952,584
Legislation.....	1,134,773	729,829

*Including signal station dues in 1897 amounting to \$828 and in 1898 to \$824.