

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO—STATEMENT OF DEBTS AND ASSETS.

YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER.	Railway Liabilities payable in the Future, extending over 30 years.	Surplus of Assets over Liabilities presently pay- able.
	\$	\$
1882.....	2,813,123	4,825,586
1883.....	2,862,144	4,384,241
1884.....	2,709,942	6,859,666
1885.....	2,477,326	6,766,090
1886.....	2,229,344	6,680,339
1887.....	1,981,362	6,665,352
1888.....	1,733,379	6,734,649
1889.....	1,485,397	6,427,252
1890.....	1,404,620	5,809,995
1891.....	1,376,312	5,285,515
1892.....	1,401,598	5,838,758
1893.....	1,312,149	6,135,480
1894.....	1,556,410	5,269,841
1895.....	1,699,229	5,078,981
1896.....	1,996,593	4,782,580
1897.....	1,986,292	5,124,664
1898.....	2,066,642	4,988,079

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Year.	Popula- tion.	Net Debt.	Total Assess- ment.	Year.	Popula- tion.	Net Debt.	Total Assess- ment.
		\$	\$			\$	\$
1887.....	2,490	9,207	501,163	1868.....	2,598	*10,000	564,842
1889.....	2,833	11,714	568,775	1870.....	2,798	*30,000
1890.....	3,041	12,000	577,174	1875.....	4,169	948,838
1895.....	3,711	38,800	660,445	1880.....	4,818	*3,600	1,217,802
1896.....	3,777	39,800	675,477	1885.....	4,376	44,041	1,257,999
1897.....	3,746	38,247	694,699	1890.....	5,075	†58,887	1,405,785
1898.....	3,706	45,557	698,549	1895.....	5,024	89,579	1,436,360
				1896.....	5,165	1,425,345
				1897.....	6,549	†97,713	1,570,875
				1898.....	5,506	†193,504	1,612,855

Average rate of interest paid on net debt,
5 and 4 per cent.

* Average rate of interest paid, 6 per cent.

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Waterworks built in 1890 by the Barrie Waterworks Co., the corporation paying \$3,000 annually for water for fire purposes. In 1898 the town took over the waterworks. \$100,000 debentures of waterworks included in net debt of 1898. The exemptions not included in assessments above given amount to about \$225,000.