

ADMINISTRATION.

Public Defence.—The military forces of Canada consist of a Permanent Force numbering on March 31, 1912, 3,118 officers, non-commissioned officers and men and an Active Militia on the unauthorized establishment numbering at the same date 5,259 officers and 60,755 non-commissioned officers and men. Details of the establishment are given in the annual reports of the Militia Council. Tables 11 and 12 give particulars as to training, expenditure and revenue for the five years 1908 to 1912.

A Naval Service of Canada was established by the Naval Service Act of 1910 (9-10 Edw. VII., c. 43). Its main provisions were described in the Year Book of 1910, pp. xxvi-xxix. Two annual reports of the Department have been issued covering the fiscal years ended March 31, 1911 and 1912.

11.—Number of Militia Officers and Men trained in District Camps and at Local Headquarters in the Fiscal Years 1908-1912.

Schedule.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.
In district camps.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Authorized establishment ¹ —					
Officers.....	2,763	2,905	3,360	3,548	3,751
Non-com. officers and men.....	31,397	31,285	34,955	38,435	42,133
Horses.....	9,036	8,277	10,913	12,003	15,021
Trained—					
Officers.....	2,281	1,796	2,431	2,326	2,587
Non-com. officers and men.....	28,256	19,546	25,404	25,884	28,841
Horses.....	7,644	6,275	8,081	8,692	9,585
Untrained—					
Officers.....	482	1,109	929	1,222	1,204
Non-com. officers and men.....	3,141	11,739	9,551	12,551	13,352
Horses.....	1,392	2,002	2,832	3,311	5,436
At local headquarters.					
Authorized establishment ¹ —					
Officers.....	1,270	1,336	1,514	1,394	1,468
Non-com. officers and men.....	15,506	16,034	17,865	16,804	18,562
Horses.....	476	537	607	277	482
Trained—					
Officers.....	1,059	1,097	1,190	1,179	1,220
Non-com. officers and men.....	14,464	14,705	15,117	15,321	15,492
Horses.....	402	429	415	209	173
Untrained—					
Officers.....	211	239	324	215	248
Non-com. officers and men.....	1,042	1,329	2,748	1,483	3,070
Horses.....	74	108	192	68	309
Total officers and men.					
Authorized establishment ¹ —					
Officers.....	4,033	4,241	4,874	4,942	5,259
Non-com. officers and men.....	46,903	47,319	52,820	55,239	60,755
Horses.....	9,512	8,814	11,520	12,280	15,503
Trained—					
Officers.....	3,340	2,893	3,621	3,505	3,807
Non-com. officers and men.....	42,720	34,251	40,521	41,205	44,333
Horses.....	8,046	6,704	8,496	8,901	9,758
Untrained—					
Officers.....	693	1,348	1,253	1,437	1,452
Non-com. officers and men.....	4,183	13,068	12,299	14,034	16,422
Horses.....	1,466	2,110	3,024	3,379	5,745

¹Does not include units authorized but not yet organized.