

## 22.—Classified Summary Statement of Ordinary Expenditure of

Service.	Manitoba.			Saskatchewan.		
	1916.	1917.	1918.	1916.	1917.	1918.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Civil Government .....	238,078	274,778	328,119	457,183	444,004	534,145
Legislation .....	206,694	251,412	160,020	231,868	149,901	344,443
Agriculture .....	58,684	72,880	87,924	192,811	159,642	131,876
Lands .....	-	-	10,835	52,271	42,877	1,903
Mines and Mining .....	-	-	-	756	-	-
Forest, Timber and Woods .....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Game and Fisheries .....	22,795	28,689	25,684	12,557	9,501	10,582
Administration of Justice, Special Legal Administration and Inquiry .....	507,886	499,915	465,176	898,106	1,019,806	988,649
Conservation of Health and Sanitation .....	30,000	35,000	-	-	-	24,416
Public Buildings, Public Works and Enterprises .....	2,004,185	2,131,745	2,351,935	597,690	855,304	1,157,980
Education .....	1,068,910	1,213,128	1,301,124	1,003,944	986,798	1,052,944
Charities, Hospitals and Corrections .....	466,363	560,373	650,732	354,976	383,322	615,751
Pensions, Gratuities and Reliefs .....	30,993	73,052	112,715	-	7,400	30,353
Recreation and Amusement .....	2,964	13,015	21,122	3,075	3,620	-6,627
Liquor Traffic .....	39,309	50,228	42,259	17,768	-	8,369
Colonization, Immigration and Publicity Refunds .....	38,227	68,408	51,443	-	-	-
Refunds .....	8,674	1,997	2,719	9,103	12,292	1,529
Interest Payments .....	1,327,220	1,453,843	1,686,325	893,102	1,067,780	1,096,466
Sinking Funds .....	-	-	-	75,608	74,361	75,079
Miscellaneous Payments .....	72,497	131,892	54,581	457,938	337,357	747,484
<b>Total Ordinary Expenditure</b> .....	<b>6,147,780</b>	<b>6,860,355</b>	<b>7,397,727</b>	<b>5,258,756</b>	<b>5,553,965</b>	<b>6,828,596</b>

## ONTARIO HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER COMMISSION.

The Canada Year Book of 1910 (p. xliii) described the installation on October 11, 1910, at Berlin, now Kitchener, Ontario, of electrical energy generated by the Niagara Falls, and the initial work carried out by the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission for the supply of electrically generated power to 15 municipalities. During the last nine years the operations of the Commission have rapidly extended, until in 1919 about 143 Ontario municipalities derive electrical power from the Niagara Falls and other Ontario water systems of the Commission. Table 25, on pages 506 to 511, gives for 1917 the financial statistics of the electrical installations of 143 municipalities. It shows that the total cost of the plant erected was \$20,077,935, that the cost of operations for the year 1917 was \$5,077,491, and that the revenue was \$6,070,065, leaving a surplus of \$992,574, less a depreciation charge of \$607,206, making the net surplus to be \$385,368. The total number of consumers in the 143 municipalities for 1917 was 170,916, as compared with 148,732 in 1916. Of the total in 1917, 137,486 were domestic, 28,161 were commercial light and 5,269 were power consumers. The total horsepower taken in December, 1917, was 157,048 for 143 municipalities, as compared with 120,768 for 128 municipalities in December, 1916. Table 23 is a detailed statement of the assets and liabilities of the