15.—Public Debt of Canada July 1, 1867, to March 31, 1922—corcluded.

FINANCE

Fiscal Year.	Total debt.	Total assets.	Net debt.	Increase or decrease of debt.	Interest on debt.	Interest re- ceived from invested assets.
1891	\$ 289,899,230 295,333,274 300,054,525 308,348,023 318,048,755	\$ 52,090,199 54,201,840 58,373,485 62,164,994 64,973,828	\$ 237,809,031 241,131,434 241,681,040 246,183,029 253,074,927	\$ 275,819 3,322,403 549,606 4,501,989 6,891,898	\$ 9,584,137 9,763,978 9,806,888 10,212,596 10,466,294	\$ 1,077,228 1,086,420 1,150,167 1,217,809 1,336,047
1896	325,717,537 332,530,131 338,375,984 345,160,903 346,206,980	67,220,104 70,991,535 74,419,585 78,887,456 80,713,173	258,497,433 261,538,596 263,956,399 266,273,447 265,493,807	5,422,506 3,041,163 2,417,803 2,317,048 -779,640	10,502,430 10,645,663 10,516,758 10,855,112 10,699,645	1,370,001 1,443,004 1,513,655 1,590,448 1,683,051
1901 1902 1903 1904 1905	354,732,433 366,358,477 361,344,098 364,962,512 377,678,580	86,252,429 94,529,387 99,737,109 104,094,793 111,454,413	268,480,004 271,829,090 261,606,989 260,867,719 266,224,167	$\begin{array}{c} 2,986,197 \\ 3,349,086 \\ -10,222,101^{1} \\ -739,270^{2} \\ 5,356,448 \end{array}$	10,807,955 10,975,935 11,068,139 11,128,637 10,630,115	1,784,834 1,892,224 2,020,953 2,236,256 2,105,031
1906	392,269,680 379,966,826 408,207,158 478,535,427 470,663,046	125, 226, 703 116, 294, 966 130, 246, 298 154, 605, 148 134, 394, 500	267,042,977 263,671,860 277,960,860 323,930,279 336,268,546	818,810 -3,371,117 14,289,000 45,969,419 12,338,267	10,814,697 6,712,771 10,973,597 11,604,584 13,098,161	2,140,312 1,235,746 1,925,569 2,256,643 2,807,465
1911 1912 1913 1914 1915	474,941,487 508,338,592 483,232,555 544,391,369 700,473,814	134,899,435 168,419,131 168,930,930 208,394,519 251,097,731	340,042,052 339,919,461 314,301,625 335,996,850 449,376,083	3,773,506 $-122,591$ $-25,617,836$ $21,695,224$ $113,379,233$	12,535,851 12,259,397 12,605,882 12,893,505 15,736,743	1,668,773 1,281,317 1,430,511 1,964,541 2,980,247
	936, 987, 802 1, 382, 003, 268 1, 863, 335, 899 2, 460, 183, 021 3, 041, 529, 587	647,598,2023	615, 156, 171 879, 186, 298 1, 191, 884, 063 1,812, 584, 819 2,248, 868, 624	165,780,088 264,030,127 312,697,765 620,700,756 436,283,805	21,421,585 35,802,567 47,845,585 77,531,432 107,527,089	3,358,210 3,094,012 4,466,724 7,421,002 17,086,981
	2,902,482,117 2,902,347,137		2,340,878,984 2,422,135,801	92,010,360 81,256,817	139,551,520 135,247,849	24,815,246 21,961,513

Active assets only.

Provincial Subsidies.—Tables 16 and 17 show the amounts of the subsidies and other payments made by the Dominion to the Provincial Governments for each of the years 1916 to 1921 (Table 16), and the totals paid from Confederation to date (Table 17). The Provincial subsidies payable by the Dominion Government were originally settled by the British North America Act, 1867 (30 and 31 Vict., c. 3, s. 118), but were revised by the British North America Act, 1907 (7 Edw. VII, c. 11). Under the revised settlement each Provincial Government receives (a) a fixed grant according to population and (b) a grant at the rate of 80 cents per head of the population up to 2,500,000, and at the rate of 60 cents per head of so much of the population as exceeds that number. The Province of British Columbia received an additional grant of \$100,000 per annum for a period of 10 years from 1907.1 An additional grant of \$100,000 per annum is payable to Prince Edward Island under an Act of 1912 (2 Geo. V., c. 42), and the payments to Manitoba were revised by the Extension of Boundaries (Manitoba) Act (2 Geo. V, c. 32).

Note.—The minus sign (-) denotes a decrease.

'This amount includes \$3,305,450.24, caused by the settlement of accounts with Ontario and Quebec.

'This amount takes into account \$5,397,503.13 allowed to Ontario and Quebec, under 47 V., c. 6.

¹ See Canada Year Book 1907, pp. xxxiii-iv.