In Table 4 are given the dates of the opening and prorogation of the sessions of the various Dominion Parliaments from 1867 to 1932.

4.—Duration and Sessions of Dominion Parliaments, 1867-1932.

Number of Parliament.	Session.	Date of Opening.	Date of Prorogation.	Days of Session.	Elections, Writs Returnable, Dissolutions and Length of Parliaments.
	lst	Nov. 1, 1867 April 15, 1869 Feb. 15, 1870 Feb. 15, 1871 April 11, 1872	May 22, 1868 June 22, 1869 May 12, 1870 April 14, 1871 June 14, 1872	1181	
1st Parliament	2nd 3rd	April 15, 1869 Feb. 15, 1870	June 22, 1869 May 12 1870	69 87	Aug., Sept., 1867.* Sept. 24, 1867.*
	4th	Feb. 15, 1871	April 14, 1871	59	July 8, 1872.5 4 y., 9 m., 15d.5
	5th	April 11, 1872	June 14, 1872	65	4 y., 9 m., 15d.
2nd Parliament	. / 1st	Mar. 5, 1873	Aug. 13, 1873	812	July, Aug., Sept., 1872.3 Sept. 3, 1872.4 Jan. 2, 1874.5
	∖ 2nd	Oct. 23, 1873	Nov. 7, 1873	16	Jan. 2, 1874.
	í lst	Mar. 26, 1874	May 26, 1874 April 8, 1875 April 12, 1876 April 28, 1877 May 10, 1878 May 15, 1879 May 7, 1880 Mar. 21, 1881	62	1 y., 4 m., 0 d. <sup>6</sup> Jan. 22, 1874. <sup>3</sup> Feb. 21, 1874. <sup>4</sup> Aug. 17, 1878. <sup>4</sup>
0.35.00	2nd	ID-1 4 1075	April 8, 1875	64	Feb. 21, 1874.
3rd Parliament	. 3rd 4th	Feb. 10, 1876	April 12, 1876	63 80	Aug. 17, 1878.5 4 y., 5 m., 25 d.6
	5th	Feb. 10, 1876 Feb. 8, 1877 Feb. 7, 1878 Feb. 13, 1879 Feb. 12, 1880	May 10, 1878	93	4 y., 5 m., 25 d.
4th Parliament	lst,	Feb. 13, 1879	May 15, 1879	92	Sept. 17, 1878.3
	.]] 2nd }  3rd	Dec. 9, 1880	May 7, 1880   Mar 21 1881	86 103	Nov. 21, 1878.4 (May 18, 1882.6 3 y., 5 m., 28 d.6
	4th	Feb. 9, 1882	May 17, 1882	98	3 y., 5 m., 28 d.
5th Parliament	1st	Feb. 8, 1883	Mar. 21, 1881 May 17, 1882 May 25, 1883 April 19, 1884	107	June 20, 1882.*
	3rd	Jan. 29, 1885	July 20, 1885	94 173	June 20, 1882.* Aug. 7, 1882.* Jan. 15, 1887.5
	(  4th	Feb. 8, 1883 Jan. 17, 1884 Jan. 29, 1885 Feb. 25, 1886 April 13, 1887 Feb. 23, 1888 Jan. 31, 1899 Jan. 16, 1890 April 29, 1891	April 19, 1884 July 20, 1885 June 2, 1886 June 23, 1887 May 22, 1888 May 22, 1889 May 16, 1890 Sept. 30, 1891	98	4 y., 5 m., 10 d.s Feb. 22, 1887.3 April 7, 1887.4
6th Parliament	1st 2nd	April 13, 1887	June 23, 1887 May 22, 1888	72 90	Feb. 22, 1887.*   April 7, 1887.*
	)  3rd	Jan. 31, 1889	May 2, 1889	92	[] rep. 3, 1031
	ith 1st	Jan. 16, 1890	May 16, 1890	121 155	3 y., 9 m., 27 d.*
	)) =	Feb. 25, 1892		136	Mar. 5, 1891.3
7th Parliament	.{  3rd			66	Mar. 5, 1891.3 April 25, 1891.4
	4th    5th	Mar. 15, 1894   April 18 1805	July 23, 1894 Tuly 22, 1895	131 96	April 24, 1896. 5 y., 0 m., 0 d.
	6th	Jan. 26, 1893 Mar. 15, 1894 April 18, 1896 Jan. 2, 1896 Aug. 19, 1896 Mar. 25, 1897 Feb. 3, 1898 Mar. 16, 1890	July 23, 1894 July 23, 1894 July 22, 1895 April 23, 1896 Oct. 5, 1896 June 29, 1897 June 13, 1898	111	10 3 1, 0 22., 0 4.
	lst 2nd	Aug. 19, 1896	Oct. 5, 1896	48 97	Tuno 92 1998 8
8th Parliament	. 3rdi	Feb. 3, 1898	June 13, 1898	131	July 13, 1896.4
	4th			149	June 23, 1896.* July 13, 1896.* Oct. 9, 1990.5 4 y., 2 m., 26 d.* Nov. 7, 1900.* Dec. 5, 1990.4 (Sept. 29, 1904.5
	1 5th 1st	Feb. 1, 1900 Feb. 6, 1901	July 18, 1900 May 23, 1901	168 107	1 Y., 2 m., 20 d. 1 Nov. 7, 1900.
9th Parliament	.   2nd		May 15, 1902	90	Dec. 5, 1900.4
	3rd   4th	Mar. 12, 1903	Oct. 24, 1903	227 154	[Sept. 29, 1904.*   3 y., 9 m., 26 d.*
	( lst	Jan. 11, 1905	July 20, 1905	191	Nov. 3, 1904.
10th Parliament		Mar. 8, 1906	July 13, 1906	128	Nov. 3, 1904. Dec. 15, 1904. Sept. 17, 1908.
	3rd 4th	Mar. 12, 1903 Mar. 10, 1904 Jan. 11, 1905 Mar. 8, 1906 Nov. 22, 1906 Nov. 28, 1907	May 15, 1902 Oct. 24, 1903 Aug. 10, 1904 July 20, 1905 July 13, 1906 April 27, 1907 July 20, 1908	157 236	Sept. 17, 1998.*   3 y., 9 m., 4 d.*   Oct. 26, 1998.*   Dec. 3, 1998.*   July 29, 1911.*   2 y., 7 m., 28 d.*
	71	1	20, 20, 2000		Oct. 26, 1908.
11th Parliament	lst 2nd	Jan. 20, 1909 Nov. 11, 1909	May 19, 1909	120 175	f Dec. 3, 1908.*
	3rd	Nov. 17, 1910	July 29, 1911	1968	2 y., 7 m., 28 d.6
	1st	Nov. 15, 1911	April 1, 1912	139	
	2nd    3rd	Jan. 15, 1912	June 12, 1914	173 <sup>9</sup> 148	Sept. 21, 1911. <sup>2</sup>
12th Parliament	4th	Nov. 11, 1909 Nov. 17, 1910 Nov. 15, 1911 Nov. 21, 1912 Jan. 15, 1914 Aug. 18, 1914 Feb. 4, 1915 Jan. 12, 1916 Jan. 18, 1917	May 19, 1909 May 4, 1910 July 29, 1911 April 1, 1912 June 6, 1913 June 12, 1914 Aug. 22, 1914 April 15, 1915 May 18, 1916 Sept. 20, 1917 May 24, 1918	1.5	Sept. 21, 1911. <sup>4</sup> Oct. 7, 1911. <sup>4</sup> Oct. 6, 1917. <sup>5</sup>
	5th    6th	Feb. 4, 1915	April 15, 1915   May 18, 1918	71 127	Oct. 6, 1917.*   6 y., 0 m., 0 d.4
	7th		Sept. 20, 1917	20710	J., v. m., v. m.
	i ist	Mar. 18, 1918	May 24, 1918	68	li .
13th Parliament	2nd 3rd	Feb. 20, 1919 Sept. 1, 1919	May 24, 1918 July 7, 1919 Nov. 10, 1919	138 71	Dec. 17, 1917.3 Feb. 27, 1918.4
	4th	Feb. 26, 1920	1 July 1, 1920		HOct. 4, 1921.
	5th	Feb. 14, 1921	June 4, 1921	1111	3 y., 7 m., 6 d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Adjourned from Dec. 21, 1867 to Mar. 12, 1868, to allow the local Legislatures to meet. <sup>1</sup>Adjourned May 23 till Aug. 13. <sup>4</sup>Period of general elections. <sup>4</sup>Writs returnable. <sup>4</sup>Dissolution of Parliament. <sup>5</sup>Duration of Parliament in years, months and days. The life of a Parliament is counted from the date of return of election writs to the date of dissolution, both days inclusive. <sup>4</sup>The ordinary legal limit of duration for each Parliament is five years. <sup>4</sup>Not including days (59) of adjournment from May 19 to July 18. <sup>4</sup>Not including days (25) of adjournment from Dec. 19, 1912 to Jan. 14, 1913. <sup>10</sup>Not including days (39) of adjournment from Feb. 7 to Mar. 19, 1917.