## 5.—Dominion and Provincial Receipts from Succession Duties, Respective Fiscal Years Ended in 1921-43

NOTE.—The fiscal years of the provinces are as follows: P.E.I., Dec. 31; N.S., Sept. 30 prior to 1935 and Nov. 30 thereafter; N.B., Oct. 31; Que., June 30 to 1940 and Mar. 31 in 1941; Ont., Oct. 31 prior to 1935 and Mar. 31 thereafter; Man. and Sask., Apr. 30; Alta. and B.C., Mar. 31.

Year	Dominion	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Bruns- wick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1921 1922 1923 1924 1925 1926 1927 1928 1929 1930		10,569 20,592 9,165 6,088 15,289 18,788 8,587 17,122 29,325 25,946	158,972 120,740 222,679 135,846 258,408 536,635 188,385 221,637 290,457 311,720	151,326 241,753 152,609 163,123 290,530 293,775 461,386 413,797 319,600 198,982	3,005,293 2,620,337 2,977,850 2,423,149 2,257,277 3,690,543 3,744,721 4,213,583	6,523,2451 3,858,260 4,175,198 5,786,893 8,761,863 9,468,950	457,563 168,503 290,850 <sup>3</sup> 455,808 592,257 <sup>2</sup> 422,199 757,489 606,576 732,697 1,033,564	314,235 <sup>2</sup> 280,985 489,082 287,698 337,354 295,192 368,800 410,626	123,745 164,087 189,808 459,659 253,611 471,859 115,0954 383,102	563,573 682,919 772,712 708,880 565,017 701,737 758,136 735,990
1931 1932 1933 1934 1935 1935		$11,640 \\ 35,453 \\ 30,713 \\ 50,452 \\ 19,839 \\ 42,811$	256,415 515,086 262,925 298,337 462,733 <sup>5</sup> 566,856	293,941 190,558 208,586 245,542 415,040 618,985	6,697,262 3,798,795 3,070,138 2,697,771 3,401,574 4,697,618	9,504,814 6,136,624 8,081,322 6,515,071 3,469,4676 11,984,720	452,023 346,952 267,078 423,416 340,214 375,045	323,007 199,094 177,376 148,944 223,211 324,328	552,767 258,098 470,741 256,850 292,701 270,901	558,790 410,720 535,808 382,650 979,401 1,067,101
1937 1938 1939 1940 1941	-	45,380 67,782 75,312 44,036 42,662	606,367 745,997	398,103 318,947 177,276	7,636,875 11,837,572 12,277,427 12,404,322	15,991,351 20,214,183 15,314,854	463,963 403,878 605,426 875,449	311,019 240,809 375,585 352,427	342,841 1,326,346 372,169 374,996	825,047 1,261,091 703,780 1,161,975
1941 <sup>8</sup> 1942	6,956,5749 13,273,483		409,632 688,427	383,425 221,909	12,201,557 6,796,154	11,676,453 11,636,058				

<sup>1</sup> Includes "Funds in lieu of Succession Duties". <sup>2</sup> Includes "Succession Duties Act" fees. <sup>3</sup> Eight months. <sup>4</sup> Three months. <sup>6</sup> Fourteen months. <sup>6</sup> Five months. <sup>7</sup> Nine months. <sup>8</sup> Figures below the rule are for fiscal years ended nearest to Dec. 31 of year stated. <sup>9</sup> Ten months; Act came into force June 14, 1941.

Dominion Duty.-Beneficiaries are divided into four classes as follows:-

- (1) Widow or dependent child or dependent grandchild.
- (2) Husband; parent; grandparent; child over 18, not infirm; son- or daughterin-law.
- (3) Lineal ancestor other than parent or grandparent; brother, sister or their descendant; uncle or aunt or their descendant.
- (4) Others.

No duty is payable on estates not exceeding \$5,000 or on bequests up to \$1,000 to any one individual, nor is duty levied on gifts to the Dominion or provinces, on residential property of certain diplomatic or consular officials, on pensions administered by the Canadian Pensions Commission or those payable by Allied Nations for war service nor on insurance moneys or annuities if the assured or person with whom contract was made was domiciled outside of Canada at the time of death. Provision is made for increased exemptions and reduced duties in the case of those dying as a result of war service and bequests to non-profit charitable organizations in Canada are exempt up to 50 p.c. of the aggregate net value of the estate.

Widows are exempt up to \$20,000, dependent children \$5,000 each and, in cases where dependent children do not benefit, the widows' exemption is increased by \$5,000 for each child who does not benefit. In the case of dependent orphan children, there is a further exemption of \$15,000 (in addition to \$5,000) divisible