CHAPTER XXXI.—MISCELLANEOUS ADMINISTRATION

CONSPECTUS

Note.—Certain phases of Dominion Government activity, such as the operations of the International Joint Commission and certain scientific activities of the Department of Mines and Resources were dealt with in this Chapter of the 1930 edition of the Year Book (pp. 1014-17). These branches of the Miscellaneous Administration have not undergone wide change and, therefore, the material has not been republished since that time.

Section 1.—Public Lands

In Table 1, summarizing the land area of Canada, items 3, 4 and 5 are obtained from Dominion Government sources and items 1, 2 and 7 from Provincial Government sources. In the majority of cases the area of provincial lands (item 6), as calculated by balancing the figures, agrees with the area as estimated by the Provincial Departments concerned. Thus, any differences reported from year to year in the area of lands alienated or in process of alienation are compensated for by the adjustment of lands still remaining under the Crown in the right of the provinces concerned.

1.—Classification of Lands in Canada, by Tenure (circa) 1945

Note.—The land area of Canada classified by surface resources is shown at pp. 29-30.

Tenure	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.
	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles
Alienated, patented, granted, etc In process of alienation Dominion lands other than National Parks and Indian Reserves Dominion National Parks Indian Reserves	2, 173 Nil	16,7231	16,600 300	37,500 6,000	40, 147 ¹
	" 7 4	13 391 28	38 2 58	$^{30}_{26^3}$ 312	161 12 2,115
6. Provincial lands, including leased lands and forest reserves, but not provincial parks. 7. Provincial parks	Nil "	3, 588 Nil	10, 477 Nil	471,992 8,000	315,357 5,490
Totals, Land Area	2,184	20,743	27,473	523,860	363,282