

REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PROVINCES OF
CANADA, 1890.

PROVINCES.	Revenue.	Per Head.	Expenditure.	Per Head.
	\$	\$ cts.	\$	\$ cts.
* Ontario	3,423,155	1 63	3,896,324	1 85
† Quebec	3,536,496	2 39	3,881,673	2 63
* Nova Scotia	664,938	1 47	710,497	1 58
* New Brunswick	646,079	2 01	651,735	2 03
* Manitoba	585,709	4 00	708,302	4 83
† British Columbia	835,463	9 44	954,021	10 78
* Prince Edward Island	224,882	2 06	305,799	2 80
Total	9,916,722	2 11	11,108,352	2 36

* 31st December, 1890.

† 30th June, 1890.

The expenditure exceeded the revenue in all the seven provinces, the excess being largest in British Columbia, where there was a large expenditure on public works. The revenue was highest in proportion to population in British Columbia, and lowest in Nova Scotia; the expenditure was also lowest in Nova Scotia, and highest in British Columbia. The aggregate expenditure was just 25 cents per head of the aggregate population more than the revenue.

177. The following table gives the ordinary revenues and expenditures of the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, British Columbia, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, for the years named therein. The figures were taken from the Provincial Public Accounts or were specially supplied by the Provincial Treasurers. The Treasurer of the Province of New Brunswick was applied to, but at present without success.