

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS.

General elections have been held as follows:—

September.....	1867
July 29.....	1872
January 22.....	1874
September 10.....	1878
June 20.....	1882
February 22.....	1887
March 5.....	1891
June 23.....	1896

The following statement shows the number of voters for members of the House of Commons on the lists prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Electoral Franchise Act of 1895, and amendments thereto. The lists of 1882 are added for purposes of comparison:—

ONTARIO.

YEAR.	Number of Voters on Electoral Lists.	INCREASE.		Proportion to Population.
		Number.	Per cent.	
1882.....	406,096			20·88
1887.....	495,514	89,418	22·01	24·32
1891.....	568,799	73,285	14·79	26·90
1895.....	650,021	81,221	14·28	29·89

QUEBEC.

1882.....	229,067			16·70
1887.....	272,564	43,497	18·99	18·99
1891.....	301,658	29,094	10·67	20·27
1895.....	351,076	49,418	16·38	29·95

NOVA SCOTIA.

1882.....	65,885			14·92
1887.....	79,077	13,192	20·02	17·71
1891.....	90,045	10,968	13·87	20·00
1895.....	111,124	21,079	23·41	24·51

NEW BRUNSWICK.

1882.....	54,008			16·81
1887.....	68,294	14,291	26·46	21·26
1891.....	70,521	2,227	3·26	21·45
1895.....	91,697	21,176	30·02	28·54