

Inland Revenues—Excise.

REPORT

OF THE

COMMISSIONER OF INLAND REVENUE

To the Honourable Sir Henri G. Joly de Lotbinière, K.C.M.G.,
Controller of Inland Revenue.

SIR,—Herewith I have the honour to submit statements of the Inland Revenues collected by this department during the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1896, with the usual information as to the cost of collection and statistics respecting the sources whence those revenues were derived.

The following summary comparison shows the accrued revenue for the years ended 30th June, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895 and 1896, respectively.

	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Excise, including Methylated Spirits...	8,007,944	8,444,502	8,364,964	7,829,848	7,956,740
Public Works.....	5,886	5,969	6,132	9,883	5,639
Culling Timber.....	9,107	11,493	11,990	8,334	9,794
Weights and Measures, Gas and Law Stamps	53,127	57,246	57,445	56,952	54,184
Electric Light.....					8,688
Other Revenues.....	462	1,020	964	7,080	6,041
Totals	8,076,526	8,520,230	8,441,495	7,912,097	8,041,086