

**Public Debt of Newfoundland for thirteen years, from 1877 to 1889.**

(FROM THE NEWFOUNDLAND YEAR BOOK.)

1877	.....	.....	.....	\$1,320,652
1878	.....	.....	.....	1,347,692
1879	.....	.....	.....	1,451,290
1880	.....	.....	.....	1,450,990
1881	.....	.....	.....	1,350,538
1882	.....	.....	.....	1,498,777
1883	.....	.....	.....	1,549,333
1884	.....	.....	.....	2,149,153
1885	.....	.....	.....	2,149,537
1886	.....	.....	.....	2,288,331
1887	.....	.....	.....	3,005,010
1888	.....	.....	.....	3,335,539
1889	.....	.....	.....	4,133,202

In 1884 and 1885 the railway debt began to accrue, and in 1885 and 1886 the exports fell from an average of \$7,000,000 in the four preceding years to an average of less than \$5,000,000 in 1885, 1886 and 1887.

The population in these years ranged from 150,000 to 180,000 people.

**Value of Exports and Public Debt from 1890 to 1894, both inclusive.**

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				Value of Exports.
1890	.....	.....	.....	\$6,091,686
1891	.....	.....	.....	7,437,158
* 1892	.....	.....	.....	5,651,116
1893	.....	.....	.....	6,280,912
1894	.....	.....	.....	not yet obtainable.
				<b>Public Debt.</b>
1890	.....	.....	.....	\$4,138,627
1891	.....	.....	.....	5,223,363
* 1892	.....	.....	.....	7,009,743
1893	.....	.....	.....	9,091,395
1894	.....	.....	.....	11,124,877

\* Year of the last extensive fire in St. John's.

*Population, according to Census of 1891, whole Island, except Labrador :*

Males	.....	.....	.....	100,775
Females	.....	.....	.....	97,159
Labrador	.....	.....	.....	4,106
Total				..... 202,040 people.

Of these 79,920 under 15 years of age.

Average Imports for a series of years will be found on page 15.

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