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INTRODUCTION.

OTTAWA is still increasing in its population and putting up new and improved buildings, improving its roadways and sidewalks.

We are glad to be able to state that our patronage has materially increased this year both in the Circulation of the Ottawa Directory and in its advertising matter.

This is satisfactory to us, as it shows the public are beginning to appreciate our efforts in giving them an up-to-date and superior Directory of Ottawa City and its suburbs, as well as the City of Hull.

Although our book is smaller than usual this year, it contains more names and pages than last, but we have used a lighter but better quality of paper.

The number of names commencing with the different letters of the alphabet are as follows:

A	592	J	379	S	1055
B	2288	K	490	T	684
C	1837	L	1662	U	17
D	1376	M	2057	V	189
E	296	N	253	W	859
F	736	O	498	X	—
G	1205	P	1058	Y	65
H	1170	Q	61	Z	2
I	50	R	1082		
TOTAL			21,160		

You will notice that this total is not much larger than last year's, but we have omitted at least one thousand names that were in the last edition, being names of young ladies who live with their parents, domestics who do not remain more than one month in a place, and the names of mill hands who are only in Ottawa for a short time during the summer.

As we have in the past been accused of over-estimating the population of Ottawa we will still use the multiple of three to the number of individual names given in the Directory, and although we know that the increase during the last year has been over 3,000, we will call Ottawa's population 63,480, but will not take off another one, as we are fully satisfied that this is under the correct number.

Thanking all our patrons and those who so kindly assisted us in securing the necessary information,

We remain, yours truly,

The MIGHT DIRECTORY CO. of Toronto, Limited,

J. M. MIGHT, President.

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Abbreviations
Addenda
Advertisement
Front and
Alphabetical
Business Class
Hull Business
Hull Alphabet

Billings' Bridge
Clarkston Village
Hintonburg (Hull)
and Manches
Janeville

Banks
Board of Trade
Cab Tariff
Cabinet The
Cemeteries
Churches
City Government
Clubs
Colleges
Commissioners
Consuls at Ottawa
Convents
Coroners
Corporation Office
County and Municipal
Custom House
Customs Department
Dept of Agriculture
Dept of Indian Affairs
Dept of Inland Revenue
Dept of The Interior
Dept of Justice
Dept of Militia and Defence
Dept of Public Works
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Dept of Public Works
Dept of Railways
Dept of Secretaries
Dept of Trade
Departmental
Division Court
Dominion Government
Dominion Judicial
Dominion Police
Educational
Exchequer and Finance
Finance Department
Fire Department
Geological Survey
Governor-General