

116. In case the Public Debts of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick do not at the Union amount to Eight million and Seven million Dollars respectively, they shall respectively receive, by half-yearly Payments in advance from the Government of Canada, Interest at Five per Centum per Annum on the Difference between the actual Amounts of their respective Debts and such stipulated Amounts.

Payment
of interest
to Nova
Scotia and
New
Brunswick.

117. The several Provinces shall retain all their respective Public Property not otherwise disposed of in this Act, subject to the Right of Canada to assume any Lands or Public Property required for Fortifications or for the Defence of the Country.

Provincial
public pro-
perty.

118. The following sums shall be paid yearly by Canada to the several Provinces for the support of their Governments and Legislatures:

Grants to
Provinces.

Dollars.

Ontario	- - - -	Eighty thousand.
Quebec	- - - -	Seventy thousand,
Nova Scotia	- - -	Sixty thousand.
New Brunswick	- -	Fifty thousand.

Two hundred and sixty thousand;

and an annual Grant in aid of each Province shall be made, equal to Eighty Cents per Head of the Population as ascertained by the Census of One Thousand eight hundred and