

According to the census reports of the United States, the aggregate population of that country was :—

1840.....	17,067,453	
1850.....	23,191,876	increase 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.
1860.....	31,443,321	" 35 9-16 per cent.

The following figures from census reports show the progress of population in New York, Boston, and Montreal :—

YEARS.	NEW YORK.	BOSTON.	YEARS.	MONTREAL.
1790.....	33,131	18,038	1800.....	9,000
1810.....	96,373	33,250	1816.....	16,000
1820.....	43,298	1825.....	22,000
1830.....	202,548	61,391	1831.....	27,297
1840.....	312,710	93,000	1841.....
1850.....	517,000	135,000	1851.....	57,715
1860.....	814,277	177,902	1861.....	101,602

The increase of population in New York City from 1850 to 1860 was 57 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.; the increase in Boston during same period was 31 $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.; and the increase in Montreal from 1851 to 1861 was 76 per cent.

AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES OF CANADA.

Productive and Wild Lands.—The following statement will enable the reader to appreciate the agricultural progress of this Province,—showing as it does a large ratio of increase in ten years :—

Whole quantity of Land held.....	Acres in 1851. 17,939,323	Acres in 1861. 23,730,325	increase 32 $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.
Of which there were :			
Wild and Wood Lands.....	10,631,373	12,874,471	increase 21 per cent.
Under Cultivation.....	7,307,950	10,855,854	" 48 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
The Cultivated Lands were :			
Under Crops.....	4,355,269	7,030,035	" 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.
Under Pasture.....	2,864,043	3,703,533	" 33 1-6 "
Gardens.....	88,638	122,286	" 38 "

If the quantity of land held in 1861 be correctly given as 23,730,325 acres, the statement made on the authority of an official document that 39,331,791 acres had been disposed of in 1863, shows an immense difference in about three years, viz., an increase of 65 $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. In the foregoing table only agricultural, wild, and wood lands are included,—while the figures for 1863 may include railway lands and other descriptions of real estate.

Cash Values of Farms, &c.—The following cash values are from the census report of 1861 :—

Cash value of Farms in Canada.....	\$466,675,384, inc. 77 per cent over 1851.
Cash value of Farming Implements.....	18,637,549
Cash value of Garden Produce.....	2,188,804
Cash value of all Live Stock.....	79,009,284 inc. 80 $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent over 1851.

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