

TABLE VI.—Population of Cities and Towns having over 5,000 inhabitants compared.

TABLEAU VI.—Population comparée des Villes ayant plus de 5,000 habitants.

NAMES. — NOMS.	PROVINCES.	Population.		Increase. — Augmen- tation.	Decrease. — Diminu- tion.
		1871.	1881.		
Montreal .....	Québec .....	107,225	140,747	33,522	.....
Toronto .....	Ontario .....	56,092	86,415	30,323	.....
Québec .....	Québec .....	59,699	62,446	2,747	.....
Halifax .....	Nova Scotia—Nouvelle-Ecosse .....	29,582	36,100	6,518	.....
Hamilton .....	Ontario .....	26,716	35,961	9,245	.....
Ottawa .....	Ontario .....	21,545	27,412	5,867	.....
St. John .....	N. Brunswick .....	28,805	26,127	.....	*2,678
London .....	Ontario .....	15,826	19,746	3,920	.....
Portland .....	N. Brunswick (St. John County) .....	12,520	15,228	2,706	.....
Kingston .....	Ontario .....	12,407	14,091	1,684	.....
Charlottetown .....	Prince Edward Island (Queen's) .....	8,807	11,485	2,678	.....
Guelph .....	Ontario (Wellington S.) .....	6,878	9,890	3,012	.....
St. Catharines .....	Ontario (Lincoln) .....	7,864	9,631	1,767	.....
Brantford .....	Ontario .....	8,107	9,616	1,509	.....
Belleville .....	Ontario (Hastings) .....	7,305	9,516	2,211	.....
Trois-Rivières .....	Québec .....	7,570	8,670	1,100	.....
St. Thomas .....	Ontario .....	2,197	8,367	6,170	.....
Stratford .....	Ontario .....	4,313	8,239	3,926	.....
Winnipeg .....	Manitoba (Selkirk) .....	241	7,985	7,744	.....
Chatham .....	Ontario (Kent) .....	5,873	7,873	2,000	.....
Brockville .....	Ontario .....	5,102	7,609	2,507	.....
Lévis .....	Québec .....	6,691	7,597	906	.....
Sherbrooke .....	Québec .....	4,432	7,227	2,795	.....
Hull .....	Québec (Ottawa) .....	.....	6,890	.....	.....
Peterborough .....	Ontario .....	4,611	6,812	2,201	.....
Windsor .....	Ontario (Essex) .....	4,253	6,561	2,308	.....
St. Henri .....	Québec (Hochelaga) .....	.....	6,415	.....	.....
Fredericton .....	N. Brunswick (York) .....	6,006	6,218	212	.....
Victoria .....	British Columbia—Colombie-Britan. .....	3,270	5,925	2,655	.....
St. Jean Baptiste, (Village) .....	Québec (Hochelaga) .....	4,408	5,874	1,466	.....
Sorel .....	Québec (Richmond) .....	5,636	5,791	155	.....
Port Hope .....	Ontario (Durham) .....	5,114	5,585	471	.....
Woodstock .....	Ontario (Oxford) .....	3,982	5,373	1,391	.....
St. Hyacinthe .....	Québec .....	3,746	5,321	1,575	.....
Galt .....	Ontario (Waterloo S.) .....	3,827	5,187	1,360	.....
Lindsay .....	Ontario (Victoria S.) .....	4,049	5,080	1,031	.....
Moncton .....	N. Brunswick (Westmoreland) .....	.....	5,032	.....	.....

\* The indicated decrease of the population of the City of St. John is attributable to the great fire which occurred in the year 1877, when half of the city was laid in ashes. Great numbers were thereby driven into the surrounding districts, and many whose business and social ties were thus severed, did not return to the city.

\* La diminution de la population de la ville de Saint Jean est due au grand incendie qui eut lieu en 1877 et qui réduisit en cendres la moitié de la ville. Cet incendie obligea un grand nombre de personnes à se rendre dans les districts environnants, et plusieurs de ces personnes dont les affaires furent détruites par cet événement, ne sont point retournées à Saint Jean.