

Returns of Census

First Official Bulletin Has Been Issued by Department at Ottawa.

In Ten Years Canada's Population Has Increased By Half a Million.

British Columbia, the Territories and Manitoba Show Large Gains.

CENSUS 1901. 5,338,893
CENSUS 1891. 4,833,293
INCREASE. 505,644

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—Today the first official bulletin of the census of 1901 was made public.

The population of the Dominion is placed at 5,338,893, an increase over 1891 of 505,644. This is a gain of 10.46 per cent, as against 11.75 per cent, in the previous ten years.

BY PROVINCES.

Province	1891	1901
British Columbia	85,173	150,000
Manitoba	125,000	221,000
New Brunswick	321,233	321,093
Ontario	1,450,000	1,590,116
Quebec	1,114,321	1,267,978
Prince Edward Island	106,078	108,324
Saskatchewan	65,000	120,000
Alberta	65,000	120,000
Unorganized Ter.	82,108	145,000

The population of the cities of Canada by municipal boundaries is as follows:

City	1891	1901
Montreal	181,181	207,971
Toronto	181,230	207,971
Quebec	181,230	207,971
Halifax	44,154	57,483
Hamilton	45,080	62,550
Winnipeg	45,080	62,550
Calgary	38,495	40,757
St. John	39,179	40,757
London	39,179	40,757
Vancouver	13,700	26,198
Victoria	19,263	26,198
Edmonton	12,753	16,638
Regina	12,753	16,638
Saskatoon	8,776	12,142
Charlottetown	11,373	12,142
Winnipeg	10,997	11,755
Sherbrooke	10,997	11,755
Sydney	5,165	5,738
Moncton	5,165	5,738
Brandon	3,778	5,738

The population by families compared with 1891 is as follows:

Province	1891	1901
Canada	821,643	1,042,759
British Columbia	20,718	39,000
Manitoba	30,730	57,483
New Brunswick	58,462	62,700
Ontario	33,730	39,179
Quebec	14,753	18,495
Prince Edward Is.	18,001	18,495
Saskatchewan	27,461	39,179
Alberta	14,415	29,000
Unorganized Ter.	32,108	75,000

The dwellings are as follows:

Province	1891	1901
Canada	877,086	1,003,944
British Columbia	20,016	38,000
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In a few districts the records of the present year are incomplete and the figures for them have been estimated in part. The returns for the extreme northern portions of Quebec and Ontario and for the unorganized territories of Athabasca, Franklin, Keweenaw, Mackenzie, Ungava and Yukon have not been received.

Bulletin II will give the population by sex and social conditions. The net result of the census as it affects the representation in the Commons is that Ontario loses 5 seats; Manitoba gains 3; British Columbia gains 2; Prince Edward Island loses 1; Nova Scotia loses 2; New Brunswick loses 1. The Territories gain 2. Quebec, upon whose population the unit of representation is based, remains of course as at present.

Assuming the estimated population to be correct, the unit of 24,938 per member in Quebec would give the representation in the House of Commons as follows:

Province	Seats
Ontario	87
Quebec	65
New Brunswick	13
Manitoba	10
British Columbia	4
P. E. I.	4
Saskatchewan	6
Alberta	6
Unorganized Ter.	2
Total	211

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FIRE AT CUMBERLAND.
Chinatown Destroyed by Blaze Starting in Gambling House.

Nanaimo, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Chinatown in Cumberland was destroyed by fire this afternoon and the larger mercantile buildings were destroyed but most of the stock was saved.

At Extension, where the explosion occurred, an ordinary miners' lamp was found in addition to a Glenny safety lamp. It was found in a box of matches and was the cause of the explosion.

There is a report from Lady Smith that two prospectors, Jones and Walker, have located a six-foot copper ledge three miles from that place. The assay value of the paystack is 20 per cent. copper. Will Hall is also said to have found a rich copper deposit four miles further in.

B. G. Stoddard, for the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association, held a successful meeting this afternoon on methods of handling fruit. He leaves for Vancouver tomorrow morning.

Harsh punitive remedies are fast giving way to the gentle action and mild effects of Carter's Little Liver Pills. If you try them they will certainly please.

REPORTS EXAGGERATED.
New Orleans' Damage Not So Serious as at First Feared.

New Orleans, Aug. 16.—The storm has passed and seems to have done no great damage anywhere except along the river below the city, six fatalities occurring near the river mouth. In the city the only injury was to the levee between the city and the section flooded by the break in the canal bank, which was closed before morning. The rice and orange farms on the lower coast were severely injured. A large house was overturned, fifteen people were in it, and Mrs. Rosa Walker, her 10-year-old daughter, Ida Walker, her 10-year-old son, and Miss Ella Cobden were drowned. The crew of the tug boat Blouin sought refuge a few hundred yards away, and three of the sailors, Edna, Davidson and Peter Yea were drowned and the boat lost.

Boastful Wadersee

Makes Speeches on Chinese Campaign That Call For Sharp Reproof.

Claims Diplomatic Triumphs and Magnifies Extent of His Work.

References That Are Supposed to Be Aimed Against Great Britain.

Berlin, Aug. 17.—Since the funeral of the Dowager Empress Frederick this has been Field Marshal Count von Wadersee's week. Immediately after the interment of the remains of the Empress a chorus of criticisms of von Wadersee broke forth in the press, owing to his speech at Hanover. Papers of the most different shades are weary of von Wadersee's talk, which is not only regarded in bad taste in the allusion to other nations, whose "names pale in China," but as magnifying the Chinese campaign far beyond its actual importance. It is a curious fact that many papers are discussing which nation von Wadersee meant as the one whose name paled. They agree that it could only have been Great Britain. Indeed the reference is regarded as being so direct as to be impolitic. The Anglophobe papers, however, rejoice that von Wadersee expressed himself frankly. Even these papers advise him to "speak briefly if not at all."

One of the most interesting inferences drawn from Wadersee's speeches is that he hopes to become Count von Bulow's successor as chancellor. This is widely believed, but anyone who saw how bent and weary von Wadersee looked in the funeral procession cannot credit the story. One of the sharpest criticisms of von Wadersee comes from the Cologne Volks Zeitung, a leading central organ much respected by Dr. von Miquel, the former minister, and refers to him as "playing the role of secret Generalissimo (Anti-Chancellor)." The paper asks whether von Bulow regards it as Germany's interest that von Wadersee should make such speeches, adding: "If things go on in this manner it will be impossible to maintain Germany's policy at all. It is a zig-zag course, bad enough in international politics much more most many cooks spoil the broth in diplomatic affairs. The article closes sharply as follows: 'Either the nation will have to accept the chancellorship of von Wadersee or he must stop talking.' The Hamburger Nachrichten (National Liberal), disposes of von Wadersee rather savagely. It says: 'His Hanover speech by no means shows his fitness for chancellorship. It is unstatesmanlike for him to boast of diplomatic achievements in China in a form directly wounding to other nations.'

Miners Will Resume Work
But Mr. Robins Does Not Promise That It Will Be For Long.

Oil Question Will Have Serious Effect on the Coal Industry.

From Our Own Correspondent.
Nanaimo, Aug. 17.—The decision of the New Vancouver Coal Company to resume work in the mines on Monday morning, does not preclude any long continuation of the work. Superintendent S. M. Robins still looks upon the situation with some apprehension. The decision to commence work again was arrived at late last night. It was taken upon the ground of the arrival of the Titania this afternoon, which is to load coal for San Francisco, and the report that the San Mateo was to arrive tomorrow.

Mr. S. M. Robins cannot say for what length of time the mines will be kept open. He expects however to be mining all winter.

The settlement of the strike in San Francisco would, he expects, enable the company to commence active work again but it would be with a reduction in wages.

His visit to San Francisco has impressed upon Mr. Robins the fact that the oil of California is going to seriously affect the coal industry. In this connection he states that in conversation with the head of one of the great industries in San Francisco the following facts were stated. One year ago the firm made the necessary alterations in its boilers and introduced oil as fuel. A year's contract was then made for 60,000 barrels of oil. The contract price was \$14.25 a barrel, delivered at the works. Recently the contract was renewed at the reduced price of 67 cents a barrel, or a saving to the company of \$45,000.

The mines at Extension will commence work again on Monday morning. It is not known how long they will continue to run as only temporary work is promised.

PATALLITIES.
Fireman of Friday's Train Collision Is Dead.

Campbellton, N. B., Aug. 17.—(Special)—Peter Stevens, the fireman of the express train which collided at Assomango, died this morning from his injuries. He was 27 years old and married only one month.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—(Special)—Mary Retel, the nine-year-old daughter of Carl Retel, was fatally burned in a tenement fire on Higgins street today.

Miss Sara Bennett, principal of Alexandra school, is dead.

BACK TO CHURCH.
Parson Finds He Prefers It to Law Practice.

Toronto, Aug. 17.—(Special)—Rev. D. C. Hosmer, who was formerly pastor of Parkdale Presbyterian church and resigned to go into law, in which he had previously practiced, has now returned to the church, becoming pastor of Deer Park Presbyterian church.

TRUMPANT SAILORS.
Winners of Canada Cup Get Warm Welcome in Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Commander Gooderham and Skipper Jarvis got a warm welcome from the citizens on their return from the officers on the Y. M. C. Club and a public reception at night.

Will Run To Canada

New Fast Atlantic Steamers Will Have Port at Sydney or Halifax.

Gigantic Scheme to Catch Travel From Dominion and United States.

Oil Will Be Used For Fuel Instead of Coal—Strong Support.

London, Aug. 16.—S. G. Fraser, the Dublin engineer who has prepared plans for the new harbor at Berehaven, Bantry Bay, Ireland, in connection with the proposed steamship line which is to have steamers capable of crossing the Atlantic in four and a half days, informed a representative of the Associated Press today that the line will consist of six large steamers, four for the New York and two for the Canadian trade. It is the intention to burn Texas oil. The Canadian port will be Sydney or Halifax.

By building 65 miles of railroad and connecting Berehaven with all the Welsh lines the new company will be able to take passengers and mails from Berehaven to London in twelve hours, thus landing passengers in New York and London in five days. The English port will be Liverpool or Southampton until the new works at Dover are completed.

Austin Chamberlain, Gerald Balfour and George Wyndham, respectively the financial secretary to the treasury, the president of the Board of Trade and chief secretary for Ireland, besides Lord James of Hereford, chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, actively supported the bill.

Mr. Fraser says much American capital is interested in the scheme.

GRANBY SMELTER.
Good Progress Being Made in Enlarging the Plant.

Grand Forks, Aug. 16.—(Special)—Good progress in the work of enlarging the Granby smelter is being made. The boiler troubles in the United States, however, have delayed the completion of some of the machinery. One carload of electrical machinery has been received and two additional carloads with other machinery is expected before Saturday. The power house is being enlarged, and the estimated foundation have been completed. The power plant will be increased by a 250 horse power horizontal turbine water wheel and a 250 horse power electric generator directly connected with the water wheel. The total output of 850 horse power developed for the use of the smelter. This is exclusive of the 250 horse power developed for the use of Grand Forks, the total power thus developed on the Kettle river being 1,000 horse power. There will also be added an additional triple power pump, which will supply an additional 750,000 gallons of water daily for granulating the slag, and for the water-jackets.

The enlargement of the furnace building is progressing well. It will contain two furnaces making the total capacity 1,300 tons daily. The new No. 5 gyratory crusher in the sampling works will increase the crushing capacity 1,000 tons daily.

The converter building now being erected will be a steel fire-proof structure 190x38 feet, and will contain two stands of converters making the total capacity 1,300 tons daily. The new No. 5 gyratory crusher in the sampling works will increase the crushing capacity 1,000 tons daily.

The converter building will be the engine room, in which will be located the blowing engine for blowing the converter. It is of the power type, has an air cylinder 36x36 inches and has a special unloading device attached so that when the pressure reaches a maximum of 12 pounds, the valves are so arranged that they remain open and no power is consumed when the converter is not using air. This unloading device was especially designed by hydraulic power, and has never been used on any low pressure blowing engine used for converter purposes.

INDIA'S GOOD SHOWING.
Gold Standard Has Brought About More Favorable Conditions.

London, Aug. 16.—Lord George Hamilton, Indian commissioner, in the House of Commons today, presented the financial statement for India. He said that in spite of three years of famine and acute depression in the three agricultural staples, tea, indigo and cotton, he was able to present the most favorable balance sheet since India came under the crown.

The relief expenditure for three years made a total of £15,000,000 sterling, but the same period showed a surplus of £17,000.

The season's rains though below normal, had been sufficient for agricultural purposes. The crop outlook was fair, and there was no prospect of material reduction in the relief expenditure.

The results of the gold standard policy had more than realized the government's expectations.

Lord George concluded with approval of the administration of Lord Curzon of Kedleston as governor-general of India.

ADMITTED TO BAIL.
Colistro Appeals Against Sentence of Imprisonment.

Roseland, Aug. 16.—An appeal was taken today in the case of Joseph Colistro, the Italian miner, sentenced to two months' imprisonment for an assault on a non-union miner of the Northport smelter. Prisoner was liberated in \$1,100 bail.

Mr. Abe Lincoln mope on Deer Park, overlooking this city, will resume operations at once. The property has a promising showing, but has been closed down for two years because of a depleted treasury. This has been remedied and operations will be commenced with a view to demonstrating the merit of the proposition.

ON MAGNETIC HEALING.
Much is spoken and written during of treating disease. The most truly remarkable case of magnetic healing, which have come under the notice of the writers have been those in which Dr. Chase's Ointment was used. This preparation seems to have magnetic powers in stopping the dreadful itching, burning sensations of self-rheum and eczema, and when used regularly makes the cure thorough and permanent.

Will Botha Surrender?

London Sun Says Concentration of His Forces Does Not Mean Fight.

But That Boer Commandant Has Agreed to Lay Down His Arms.

Draft of Constitution For Government of Annexed Territory Prepared.

London, Aug. 17.—The Sun says today that it hears that the concentration of General Botha's forces at Hondevont on the borders of Zululand, announced in a despatch, does not forebode a fight with Botha, but his surrender in pursuance with an understanding reached between General Botha and General Kitchener.

The Sun adds that the government is so satisfied that the war is virtually over, that Lord Milner now on his way back to South Africa, has in his pocket the draft of a complete constitution and plans for the future government of the annexed territory.

STRIKING TRACKMEN.
President Wilson Takes No Notice of Request to Leave Montreal.

Montreal, Aug. 17.—(Special)—Considerable interest in C. P. R. trackmen's strike circles was created today by the announcement that one of the strike committees is about to be disciplined for tampering with the management of the C. P. R. President Wilson, of the Trackmen's union is still in the city, and has taken no notice of the request made by the committee to leave the city within 24 hours.

Matters don't look so favorable for a settlement as they did a couple of days ago. Wilson claims the men have money enough to continue the strike indefinitely, but on the other hand it is said that some of the committees are weakening.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—(Special)—The C. P. R. secured an order to issue writs under the overhanging tenants act to obtain possession of all section houses of electrical men striking foremen. The sheriff will immediately take possession.

DISAPPEARED.
Cashier of Big Packing House New York Branch Missing.

New York, Aug. 17.—J. T. Hayden, secretary of the branch in this city of Swift & Co., the Chicago packers, has been missing since Wednesday last. John Chaplin, the auditor of the company, is here from Chicago, examining Hayden's books. It is said the packers are badly mixed and that he is a large defaulter.

Harvesters Are Angry
New Arrivals in Manitoba Find Labor Market at Present Overstocked.

Officials Claim That the Coming Week Will Find Employment for All.

From Our Own Correspondent.
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—A demonstration occurred at the city hall and C. P. R. depot this forenoon, when crowds of angry and hungry men gathered around and demanded "bread or work." They were harvesters lately arrived from the East, many of whom had been out along the main line of the C. P. R. and returning, having found the labor market filled to overflowing. They had come with expectations of big pay and light work on binder or such like, and now found themselves out of a job.

The wrath of the mob burned fiercely against the railways and local government officials for having, as they said, deceived honest men by glowing representations and big promises. After receiving all the satisfaction they could at the city hall, an adjournment was made to the C. P. R., where a similar scene took place.

In order to pacify the mob and to show them that there was a misunderstanding, the railway officials, as they were hastily despatched to Mr. Hugg McKellar, agriculture department, who gathered up the letters received by him from the men, and he went back to the depot. He there addressed the crowd and read the letter to show them that the railway was not to be made. He thought there was work on the branch lines, if they would go out and look for it, and finally succeeded in getting the crowd cooled off.

It is claimed by the government that the busy season will not start until next week, and that after that every man now in the country will be needed.

Harvest weather continued until today, when rain fell. It was one of the hottest days of the year.

SCARED THE BURGLAR.
Mrs. Whyte, of Winnipeg, Has Unpleasant Midnight Experience.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—(Special)—Mrs. Whyte, wife of General Manager Whyte of the C. P. R., was aroused in the middle of the night by a burglar in her bedroom. She called out, and a man entered from the north door, who naturally became very much alarmed and screamed lustily. Her screams scared the burglar, who, however, got out, and, doped Mrs. Whyte's jewel box, which he had in his possession. He, however, took a valuable diamond pin, which was in a plain box, and left all the booty he secured.

Mr. Whyte left Yokohama today for Victoria, returning from his trip around the world.

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The Troublous Book Agent

Being an Episode of American Push and Enterprise Which Failed.

Local Manufacturer Summoned Because of His Refusal to Buy a Book.

A well known local manufacturer yesterday received a summons, and thereby hangs a tale which will be read with interest by those who have been visited by the book agent at whose instance the summons has been issued, because the manufacturer refused to buy his "Champion Checker, and Million Maker." During the bumpy days the book agent has been busy in the community, and his "History and Successful Ending of the Transvaal War" and other works have been thrust under many noses, but it is doubtful if any of the titles of book-agents has been as persistent as this book agent who has been urging upon unwilling clients, a book, the contents of which are supposed to be the real medicine for all the ills of the mistake-making book manufacturer.

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"All this was said in one breath. The busy manager, quite surprised and startled at hearing himself so gruffly addressed—and needless to mention exceedingly ruffled at being interrupted in his quiet little game—turned round and said to the book agent: 'You have included all book agents under this category and informed him that he was busy just in the meantime, and really had no time to give him the time he had a gentleman there who was intended—' 'Oh, that's all right,' exclaimed the book agent, without giving the manager time to finish his sentence. 'You're keeping your minutes, you will never have another chance, it is one in a lifetime, there are millions in it for you, you must have one. Every wholesaler in this province has one. Let me show you the book.'

"No sir," exclaimed the manager, much irritated by this time, and having almost entirely lost the thread of the story by which he had almost persuaded his customer into buying, "Can't you see that I am busy, I have not time to give you today."

"Can I see your book-keeper then, answered the Book Agent, quite unperturbed by our manager's blank refusal to leave his customer. Yes you can go and see anybody," said the manager, "only don't stay here."

Going into the office, the book-keeper was forced to entertain the agent, but not being at liberty to adopt a new system of book-keeping, without first gaining the consent of his manager, he was asked, "When will your manager be at liberty, so that I can explain the merits of my 'Champion Checker, and Million Maker.'"

"My dear sir, said the book-keeper, my manager is very busy man, but as we don't work on Saturday afternoons I should advise you to come then, say 2 o'clock. Little did the book-keeper think that he was ever to behold the agent again, but he did. Saturday afternoon found the agent hanging around the premises, primed with all the charms that experience had taught him were necessary, to bring the prey under his influence, and the interview which then took place was as follows:

"Good afternoon Sir," said the agent. "Hope you made a big sale the other day when I was down here? You have a splendid line of goods that ought to sell on sight. There is nothing like this in the East. Why don't you go East. With my champion checker, and your goods, there are millions in it for you. Let me show you the book. The 'Champion Checker,' the million maker. I can assure you, you shall wear diamonds if you will only become the possessor of one. A very little cost you \$5.00, and into the bargain, I shall show the book-keeper how the thing works. Easy? Well I should say so. Only as easy like it, and it and the author were drowned at Galveston during the floods."

A few sheets of paper, on which were written a few figures, were then spread out on the office desk, and after some manipulation, these figures were made to tally by aid of the check system.

Tally that looks all right, said the manager, and very simple indeed. How could the system appear to these figures. He handed the agent a few figures on a sheet of paper, the figures being jotted down at random.

"That's easy," said the agent, and he started at the figures a few minutes in silence, and then walked to the office door, and asked for a drink. "That is a trick," he said. "I have explained my system to you now, and I shall make you pay \$5.00."

"Show the book-keeper how the system applies to the figures I gave you," said the manager.

"Oh," replied the agent, "this is an exception to my rule. Oh, yes, I forgot to tell you my must divide this number by 98, and this one by 57, and this one by 15, add it up, and multiply the result by six, and there, behold you have the figures all corresponding."

"My dear Mr. Agent said the manager, as far as I am able to judge, I don't like your system, and I don't like to pay you five dollars for your book. As for what you have taught me, I shall never permit my book-keeper to use the knowledge in books. I shall, however, try your system again with a few more figures. There, and he gave a few more figures to the agent.

"I have not another moment to wait, replied the manager, good day to you sir."

Weak, Nervous School Children.

The severe and ever-increasing strain of competitive examinations, coming at a time when every boy and girl is undergoing trying physiological changes, does much toward making mental and physical wrecks of school children.

A glance at the pale, weak and puny children who come from our public and high schools will make any thoughtful person consider seriously the advisability of sacrificing health and vigor for the trivial honor of standing high at examination time.

Hosts of boys and girls, young men and young women are suffering from ills and irregularities resulting from exhausted nerve force. There is no treatment known to science that will so naturally and thoroughly restore strength and vitality to the nervous system and health to the whole body as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. It makes parents happy