

The rates in this table, No. 9, have been calculated as follows:—1868, 1869 and 1870, upon the following population, as shown by the Census of 1861, viz.:—Prince Edward Island, 80,857; Nova Scotia, 330,857; New Brunswick, 252,047; Quebec, 1,111,566; Ontario, 1,396,091.

1871 to 1880, inclusive, upon the Census of 1871, viz.:—Prince Edward Island, 94,021; Nova Scotia, 387,800; New Brunswick, 285,594; Quebec, 1,191,516; Ontario, 1,620,851; Manitoba, from 1871 to 1876, inclusive, upon the Census of 1871—12,728, and from 1877 to 1880, also inclusive, upon an estimated population of 30,000. British Columbia was calculated in 1872 upon the Census population of 33,586, and from 1873 to 1880, inclusive, upon an estimated population of 50,000.

The population upon which the calculation for the year embraced in the present report, 1881, is based, is that approximately ascertained, subject to future correction, by the Census returns of this year; and the following are the figures, viz.:—Prince Edward Island, 108,928; Nova Scotia, 440,585; New Brunswick, 321,129; Quebec, 1,358,469; Ontario, 1,913,460; Manitoba, 49,509; and British Columbia, 60,000; estimated; and for the Dominion, including 100,000, as the estimated population of the North-West Territories and Manitoba extension, 4,352,080.

No. 10.—Annual percentage of expenses of Collection of Customs Revenue in each Province since Confederation.

Years.	Ontario.	Quebec.	Nova Scotia.	New Brunswick	Manitoba.	British Columbia.	Prince Edward Island.	Dominion.
	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.	p. c.
1868.....	07·14							
1869.....	07·58	04·35	08·66	08·48	.....	.....	.....	05·99
1870.....	06·83	05·79	09·55	09·06	.....	.....	.....	07·09
1871.....	04·90	03·59	08·26	06·28	.....	.....	.....	05·41
1872.....	04·29	02·87	07·37	05·38	.....	.....	.....	04·21
1873.....	04·25	02·77	06·89	05·61	17·03	.....	.....	04·04
1874.....	04·95	03·12	07·53	05·88	17·36	08·03	.....	04·35
1875.....	04·69	02·94	07·77	06·27	15·87	05·91	08·05	04·55
1876.....	05·29	03·02	07·16	07·13	06·85	04·76	07·40	04·44
1877.....	04·99	04·25	08·89	09·30	05·04	04·84	08·79	05·61
1878.....	04·91	04·71	08·47	09·16	06·61	05·81	09·72	05·75
1879.....	04·72	04·69	09·01	06·81	05·78	05·36	10·80	05·58
1880.....	04·61	04·46	09·55	09·57	05·00	04·20	12·19	05·56
1881.....	03·77	03·48	09·35	10·97	04·56	04·89	10·98	05·04
		02·56	07·54	07·63	02·94	03·75	08·74	03·87