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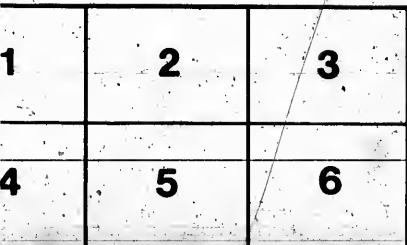
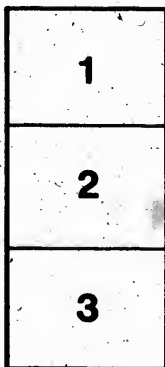
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Financial Facts as to Sums Returned to the People.

Out of a total of \$86,821,785, expended since 1872, it has returned to the people the following sums, amounting to \$68,821,803, or 79 per cent. (with other smaller sums):

Agriculture	\$ 3,171,711
Education	14,856,186
Maintenance of public institutions	13,132,075
Hospitals and charities	2,768,998
Public buildings and works	6,355,098
Administration of justice	8,112,319
Colonization roads	2,868,007
Aid to colonization and other railways	6,609,313
Municipal loan fund distribution	3,388,777
Of miscellaneous expenditure of \$1,908,000, $\frac{2}{3}$ was returned to the people	1,683,216

\$68,821,803

In addition to this liberal expenditure it has a surplus of \$5,121,915.

The Sandfield Macdonald Surplus.

At the close of 1871 the Province had to its credit:	
Invested funds	\$3,637,979
Cash on hand	172,985

\$3,810,964

The Sandfield Macdonald Government, however, legislated for the expenditure of \$4,481,631 of this sum, viz:

Railway Aid	\$1,500,000
Repayments due the Dominion	601,131
Payments due Quebec re sales of common school lands	107,000
Purchase of Rockwood Asylum	96,500

\$2,481,631

Leaving as the exact available cash surplus left in the Treasury by the Sandfield Macdonald administration \$1,329,333.

Financial Facts as to Total Expenditures.

The total expenditure for 1897 was considerably less than the House authorized, and the same statement is true for every year for ten years past, the amount expended each year being considerable. The additional fact that the total expenditures have had a marked tendency to decrease for several years past cannot be overlooked.

Total expenditure in 1891 amounted to	\$1,158,159.
" " " 1892 "	1,068,257.
" " " 1893 "	3,907,135.
" " " 1894 "	3,842,565.
" " " 1895 "	3,758,593.
" " " 1896 "	3,703,379.
" " " 1897 "	3,767,675.

Leaving a surplus on the total transactions of 1897 of \$372,171.98.

Financial Facts as to How Each \$100 is Spent.

Out of every \$100 the Province spends:

About \$16.95 of it is spent for schools.

" 19.93	" "	maintaining our public institutions.
" 15.12	" "	public works and buildings.
" 9.71	" "	administration of justice.
" 5.61	" "	railway aid.
" 4.34	" "	agriculture.
" 4.22	" "	hospitals and charities.
" 6.18	" "	civil government.
" 3.55	" "	legislation.
" 2.87	" "	colonization roads.
" 2.48	" "	charges on Crown Lands
" 2.06	" "	repairs to public buildings.
" 18c.	" "	immigration.
" 4.89	" "	miscellaneous.

Financial Facts as to Sums Challenged.

During 25 years of Liberal rule in Ontario, the Opposition have challenged less than three fifths of one per cent. of all our expenditures.

Out of the total expenditure under Supply Bill in 11 years, 1881-97, the Opposition opposed only \$243,146 out of \$47,117,483, or about one-half of one per cent.

The Montreal "Witness."

The Montreal *Witness* in its review of Ontario's budget speech of Dec. 11, 1897, says: "The surplus of receipts over expenditure for the current year is estimated at \$392,916, and the surplus of Provincial assets over Provincial liabilities present payable is \$5,231,068. The Province of Ontario is to be congratulated on its splendid financial position, which has been preserved by careful, business like, honest administration since Confederation."

The "Mail" on the Financial Administration of the Province.

On April 11th, 1890, the *Mail* said editorially:—"The Government can also *pull out a good case for itself in regard to its administration of the finances.* After dealing liberally by the municipalities and exhibiting uncreditable enterprise in building railways and erecting public institutions, Mr. Mowat is able to show a comfortable surplus. Instead of having a surplus of five or six millions in the treasury, *there is a debt of thirty millions, and, in spite of the direct taxes imposed on commercial corporations and of other revenue raising devices, a fresh loan is inevitable.* It must also be admitted that Mr. Mowat has passed many progressive measures affecting the general interests of the community, *and that, on the whole, his management has been clean and free from scandal. These are powerful reasons for giving him a new term.*"

In an editorial on Feb. 15, 1890, it also said:—"The Ontario Government's management of the finances has been *thrifty, judicious and clean.*"

The Toronto "Telegram."

The Toronto *Telegram*, which strives to be independent, but which always has a strong leaning to the Conservative side, and whose proprietor is the Conservative representative of one of the constituencies of Toronto in the Dominion Parliament, says: "The financial critics of the Opposition may go through the medium of an attack on the financial and administrative records of the Ontario Government. But their speeches are not likely to alter the general public belief that the record of the Liberal party in Ontario in these respects is, on the whole, creditable. It is as truly the duty of honest journalism to praise the good work of a party as to condemn its evil deeds. The resources of the Province of Ontario have been on the whole wisely handled. The revenues of the Province of Ontario have been fairly distributed and in its expenditures there has been a constant endeavor to secure efficiency in results without extravagance in outlay. There is no profit for the Opposition in wholesale denunciation of the Government in regard to administrative dealings, which have been creditable to the dominant party and profitable to the Province. It would be well for Toronto if its administrators had guarded the public resources as carefully and spent the public money as frugally as the resources of Ontario have been guarded and the money of Ontario has been spent. It would be good tactics for the Conservatives to try and prove that they would do as well or better than the Grits have done in handling the public resources or spending the public money, but the Opposition does not strengthen itself by its feeble and ineffectual attempts to prove that the Liberals have handled the public resources unwisely, or have spent the public money either rashly or dishonestly."

