

940. The following table shows the number of passengers and tons of freight carried per head of the population in some of the principal countries of the world. The figures have been taken from various sources :—

NUMBER OF PASSENGERS AND TONS OF FREIGHT CARRIED PER HEAD OF POPULATION IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

| COUNTRY. | Number of Passengers per Head. | Tons of Freight per Head. |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| United Kingdom..... | 22·7 | 8·1 |
| England and Wales..... | 25·9 | 8·9 |
| Ireland..... | 4·9 | 0·9 |
| Scotland..... | 19·3 | 10·9 |
| United States..... | 8·8 | 11·5 |
| Belgium..... | 14·3 | 7·8 |
| German Empire..... | 8·6 | 4·9 |
| France..... | 6·7 | 2·8 |
| Italy..... | 1·6 | 0·6 |
| Russia in Europe..... | 0·4 | 0·5 |
| Switzerland..... | 11·0 | 3·5 |
| Norway..... | 2·2 | 0·8 |
| Sweden..... | 2·7 | 2·2 |
| Denmark..... | 4·5 | 1·8 |
| Holland..... | 4·3 | 2·0 |
| Portugal..... | 1·0 | 0·3 |
| Austria-Hungary..... | 2·4 | 2·7 |
| India..... | 0·4 | 0·8 |
| Canada..... | 2·7 | 4·4 |
| Victoria..... | 50·1 | 3·8 |
| New South Wales..... | 15·7 | 3·3 |
| Quensland..... | 10·2 | 2·0 |
| South Australia..... | 17·5 | 3·7 |
| Tasmania..... | 4·8 | 1·1 |
| New Zealand..... | 8·8 | 3·3 |
| Western Australia..... | 9·5 | 1·8 |
| Spain..... | 1·4 | 0·6 |