

The following is a summary statement of aids granted to Railways constructed and under construction, by Governments and Municipalities, to June 30, 1902 :—

Governments and Municipalities.	Loans.	Bonus.	Subscription to Shares or Bonds.	Total.
<i>Governments.</i>	\$	\$	\$	\$
Dominion .....	15,964,259	162,037,927	.....	178,022,186
Ontario .....	26,000	9,730,778	.....	9,756,778
Quebec .....	3,722,956	13,961,850	.....	17,684,806
New Brunswick .....	.....	4,244,440	300,000	4,544,440
Nova Scotia .....	.....	2,664,316	.....	2,664,316
Manitoba .....	900,000	941,953	.....	1,841,953
British Columbia .....	.....	37,500	.....	37,500
Total .....	20,613,215	193,638,764	300,000	* 214,551,979
<i>Municipalities in</i>				
Ontario .....	980,311	10,115,853	1,211,500	12,307,664
Quebec .....	2,434,000	873,074	1,568,000	4,875,074
New Brunswick .....	.....	301,500	60,000	361,500
Nova Scotia .....	.....	485,559	.....	485,559
Manitoba .....	.....	595,600	.....	595,600
British Columbia .....	.....	37,500	.....	37,500
North-west Territories .....	.....	25,000	.....	25,000
Total .....	3,414,311	12,434,086	2,839,500	18,687,897
Grand total .....	24,027,526	206,072,850	3,139,500	233,239,876

The changes which have taken place in 1902, compared with 1901 are :—

Dominion Government bonus increased by .....	\$ 3,521,191
Ontario " bonus " .....	1,047,200
Quebec " bonus decreased by .....	16,130
Nova Scotia " bonus increased by .....	44,999

Municipalities :—

Ontario bonus increased by .....	109,500
Quebec decreased by .....	6,500

Total increase .....

\$ 4,700,259