

RAILWAYS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES—*Concluded.*

Countries.	Date of Opening.	Miles of Railway.	Square Miles of Area to each Mile.
Africa—			
Congo.....	Dec. —, 1901	297	3,030·3
Abyssinia.....	Oct. —, 1862	190	890·0
Algiers and Tunis.....	Oct. 16, 1862	2,511	131·1
Reunion, Senegal, &c.....		683	86·0
Egypt.....	Jan. 26, 1856	3,031	131·9
America—			
Argentine Republic.....	Dec. 14, 1854	10,688	123·4
Bolivia.....	" 14, 1873	655	866·3
Brazil.....	April 30, 1854	9,370	343·4
Chile.....	Jan. —, 1852	2,795	107·1
Colombia.....	Sept. —, 1880	376	1,342·4
Ecuador.....		117	1,025·7
Hayti.....		71	143·7
Mexico.....	Oct. 8, 1850	12,070	69·5
Paraguay.....	" 1, 1863	143	685·3
Peru.....	May 29, 1851	7,596	91·6
United States.....	April 17, 1827	203,132	17·8
Uruguay.....	Jan. 1, 1869	1,208	60·0
Venezuela.....	Feb. 9, 1866	529	1,122·8
Costa Rica.....	Jan. 19, 1872	130	177·0
Guatemala.....	June 20, 1880	397	253·6
Honduras.....	Sept 25, 1871	57	811·4
Nicaragua.....	July —, 1880	90	547·6
Salvador.....	" 1882	97	74·4
Porto Rico.....		131	27·6
Guadeloupe.....		60	11·4
Martinique.....		12	31·6
Cuba.....		1,113	39·5
Saint Domingo.....		130	138·8
Hawaii.....		100	66·4

ELECTRIC RAILWAY STATISTICS OF CANADA.

The following table gives particulars of Electric Railway Companies during the years ended December 31, 1901–1904:—

	1904.	1903.	1902.
Total number of railways sending returns.....	46	46	44
" miles of track, single.....	475·75	454·75	421·39
" " double.....	201·64	192·54	188·09
" motor cars.....	2,129	2,053	1,895
" trailers.....	255	298	326
" snow-sweepers and ploughs.....	131	109	97
" miles run.....	40,964,845	39,721,153	36,711,130
" passengers carried.....	191,755,066	167,703,958	145,609,993
" employees.....	6,984	7,439	5,427
Total amount of capital paid up.....	\$ 30,314,730	\$ 29,838,326	\$ 25,961,254
" bonded debts.....	\$ 19,641,777	\$ 17,013,758	\$ 15,794,408
" gross earnings.....	\$ 8,978,378	\$ 7,777,324	\$ 6,865,907
" gross expenses.....	\$ 6,523,142	\$ 5,018,779	\$ 4,140,490