

88.—Water Powers of the British Empire.

Country.	Area in sq. miles.	Population.	Horse-Power.	
			Available.	Developed or under construction.
1. United Kingdom	121,630	45,516,000	963,000	210,000
2. India.....	1,669,000	302,885,000	“Possibilities very great” 7,000,000	142,000
3. Burma.....	230,840	12,115,000	7,000,000	—
4. Ceylon.....	25,332	4,547,000	“Known to be large.”	—
5. Canada.....	2,000,000 ¹	8,835,000	19,554,000	2,305,000
6. Newfoundland.....	42,730	252,800	—	60,000
7. Australia (includes 8, 9, 10, 11).....	2,974,580	4,455,000	1,000,000	—
8. New South Wales.....	309,460	1,646,700	—	—
9. Victoria.....	87,884	1,315,550	—	50,000
10. Queensland.....	670,500	604,800	150,000	—
11. Tasmania.....	93,591	203,177	400,000	17,350
12. New Zealand.....	104,750	1,162,000	3,822,000	60,000
13. Union of South Africa.....	473,075	5,973,000	—	—
14. Rhodesia, N. & S.....	440,000	1,656,000	500,000	—
15. W. Africa (includes 16 & 17).....	444,842	20,178,000	—	—
16. Nigeria.....	336,000	17,500,000	250,000	—
17. Gold Coast.....	80,000	1,503,400	250,000	—
18. Br. Guiana.....	89,480	313,900	“Enormous”	—
19. Br. Honduras.....	8,598	42,300	—	—
20. New Guinea, British.....	90,540	201,400	10,000,000	—
20a. New Guinea, former German.....	70,000	230,000	7,000,000	—
21. Pacific Islands.....	280	12,800	10,000,000	—
22. Fed. Malay States.....	27,500	1,037,000	500,000	11,250

¹ Portion of area likely to be developed in the next fifty years.

allowance is made for former German possessions, 1,058,400 sq. miles in area and having 12,828,000 population, nearly all of which have now fallen under British influence.

Table 89 indicates the water power resources of certain foreign countries and the extent of their development. It must be understood that this table is based on the pre-war map and that the figures are not up to date in every case.

89.—Water Powers of Foreign Countries.

Country.	Area in sq. miles.	Population.	Horse-Power.	
			Available.	Developed or under construction.
Austria-Hungary.....	241,491	49,316,678	6,460,000	566,000
Brazil.....	3,218,991	24,618,429	26,000,000	320,000
British Empire.....	13,153,712	434,286,650	60,000,000 ¹	2,855,600
Finland.....	125,689	3,277,100	3,000,000	150,000
France.....	207,054	39,602,258	4,600,000	—
			(min.)	
			8,000,000	1,200,000
			(av.)	
Germany.....	208,780	67,812,000	1,425,000	618,000
Greece.....	41,933	4,812,300	66,000	6,270
Iceland.....	85,118	90,000	4,000,000	—
Italy.....	110,632	36,546,437	7,000,000	1,500,000

¹ Estimated to be between 50,000,000 and 70,000,000.