

the average was multiplied by 365. The long distance calls in practically all cases were the actual long distance calls put through or completed. The average was 1,803 local and 27 long distance calls per telephone and 257 telephone conversations per capita as compared with an estimated average of 241 in 1928. The estimated per capita average for the United States in 1928 was 230.7 and for New Zealand, 209.1.

Statistics of the number of telephone companies reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics are given in Tables 73 and 74.

72.—Progress of Telephones in Canada, years ended June 30, 1911-1918, and Dec. 31, 1919-1929.

Yr.	Capitalization.	Cost of Property.	Revenue.	Operating Expenses.	Salaries and Wages. ¹	Companies	Pole Line Mileage.	Tele-phones.	Em-ployees ²	Tele-phones per 100 Popula-tion.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	No.	miles.	No.	No.	No.
1911	40,043,982	34,737,530	10,068,220	6,979,045	915,036	537		302,759	10,425	4.2
1912	46,276,852	56,887,799	12,273,627	9,091,689	2,659,642	683		370,884	12,783	5.0
1913	59,847,005	69,214,971	14,879,278	11,175,689	6,839,399	1,075		463,671	13,867	6.2
1914	70,291,884	80,258,356	17,297,269	12,882,402	8,250,253	1,136		521,144	16,799	6.8
1915	74,284,991	83,792,583	17,601,673	12,836,715	8,357,029	1,396		533,090	15,072	6.8
1916	76,920,314	88,520,020	18,594,268	11,147,201	7,852,719	1,532		548,421	15,247	6.8
1917	79,121,702	91,469,531	20,122,232	12,095,426	8,882,593	1,695		604,136	16,490	7.4
1918	85,274,691	104,338,628	22,753,280	13,644,518	10,410,807	2,007		662,330	17,336	8.0
1919	100,587,833	125,017,222	29,401,003	20,081,436	15,774,586	2,219		778,758	20,491	9.2
1920	116,689,705	141,530,939	33,473,712	28,014,401	17,294,405	2,327	161,270	856,266	21,187	9.9
1921	132,537,771	158,678,229	36,586,913	30,080,035	19,000,422	2,365	178,093	902,090	19,943	10.3
1922	143,802,028	167,332,932	39,589,119	29,966,181	17,305,759	2,387	184,147	944,029	19,321	10.6
1923	152,673,022	179,002,152	42,132,959	32,390,370	18,182,429	2,459	188,408	1,009,203	21,002	11.1
1924	160,015,020	198,834,378	44,322,598	33,615,686	18,293,234	2,466	193,399	1,072,454	21,685	11.6
1925	168,167,291	210,535,795	47,233,617	35,556,947	19,108,383	2,495	194,370	1,142,876	21,831	12.2
1926	179,151,098	227,155,900	50,522,859	38,141,360	25,219,493	2,479	201,604	1,201,008	23,083	12.8
1927	192,442,495	243,999,135	56,907,338	38,561,916	26,254,605	2,462	204,245	1,259,987	23,437	13.2
1928	207,441,886	263,201,651	61,791,333	51,542,544	28,501,378	2,447	207,566	1,334,534	24,373	13.8
1929	231,948,307	291,589,148	65,240,610	55,559,517	31,672,277	2,415	220,525	1,399,986	27,459	14.3

¹Includes salaries and wages chargeable to capital accounts.

²Exclusive of employees on rural lines in Saskatchewan.

73.—Number of Telephone Companies in Canada, by Provinces, Dec. 31, 1929.

Province.	Government.	Municipal.	Stock.	Co-operative.	Partnership.	Private.	Total.
Prince Edward Island.....	-	-	14	25	-	6	45
Nova Scotia.....	-	-	16	205	16	14	251
New Brunswick.....	-	-	18	3	4	5	30
Quebec.....	-	-	102	42	22	30	196
Ontario.....	1	126	305	54	52	61	599
Manitoba.....	1	8	1	6	6	7	29
Saskatchewan.....	1	-	19	1,176	-	4	1,200
Alberta.....	2	2	7	31	6	5	53
British Columbia.....	-	1	9	1	-	-	11
Yukon Territory.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Totals.....	5	137	492	1,543	106	132	3,415