24.—Mileage, Capital, Earnings, Operating Expenses, Passengers, Employees and Salaries and Wages of Electric Railways, 1940

| Name of Railway | Main Track Operated | Capital Liability | Gross Earnings | Operating Expenses | Fare Passengers Carried | Em- ployees | Salaries and Wages |
|---|---------------------------|---|---|--|---|--|--|
| | miles | \$ | \$ | \$ | No. | No. | \$ |
| British Columbia | 46·58 40·17 | 23,822,251 ¹ 2,379,644 683,330 3,205,000 1,022,480 54,605,000 | 5,916,085 717,662 782,113 1,233,869 561,554 14,125,711 | 4,420,191 546,347 605,350 957,705 526,799 8,608,460 | 76,411,790 11,477,520 16,002,073 18,277,519 10,072,913 225,764,051 | 2,140 210 278 333 194 3,934 | 3,327,251 336,348 423,106 448,805 249,694 5,882,864 |
| Power Co | 48.30 | 2,473,924 ¹ 3,477,899 | 1,601,798 | 461,196 1,149,838 | 12,592,990 25,775,238 | 202 428 | 332,624 585,784 |
| and Power Co. Toronto Transportation Com. Winnipeg | 20·11 214·91 64·60 | · | 1,069,773 12,043,163 3,182,064 | 934,998 6,898,237 2,812,392 | 18,654,225 173,639,820 44,602,935 | 3,194 1,094 | 447,877 4,817,205 1,457,288 |
| Totals, Eleven Leading Railways | 1,079-64 | 165,244,484 | 42,036,264 | 27,921,513 | 633,271,074 | 12,441 | 18,308,846 |
| Totals, All Electric Railways | 1,535.68 | 200,183,147 | 47,311,009 | 32,624,012 | 691,737,901 | 14,204 | 20,649,358 |
| Percentages of eleven leading railways to all electric railways | | 82.5 | 88· 9 | 85-6 | 91.5 | 87-6 | 88.7 |

¹ Investment in road and equipment. ² Municipally owned. ³ Operated by Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. ⁴ Provincially owned. ⁵ Bus service. ⁶ Citadel division operations only. Total capital and operations of the Montmorency division are included in steam railways. ⁷ Represents all divisions of the company.

Subsection 3.—Electric Railway Traffic

Statistics for electric railways reflect a steady building up of passenger and freight traffic since the depression years although mileage in operation has been reduced. The number of passengers carried by electric railways in 1940 showed an especially sharp rise over previous years due to increased traffic resulting from improved conditions, and the curtailment of passenger automobile traffic as a result of the War.

25.—Statistics of Electric Railway Operations, 1931-40

Note.—Figures will be found at p. 676 of the 1933 Year Book for the years 1901 to 1910; at p. 681 of the 1936 Year Book for the years 1911 to 1918; and at p. 667 of the 1938 Year Book for 1919 to 1930.

| Year | Mileage in Operation | | | Car Mileage | | | |
|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | First Main Track | Second Main Track | Passenger | Other | Total | Passengers | Freight |
| | miles | miles | miles | miles | miles | No. | tons |
| 1931 | 1,379.03 1,306.30 1,297.63 1,286.16 1,268.31 1,247.09 1,221.88 1,154.50 1,083.49 1,040.04 | 572 · 69 560 · 02 559 · 57 557 · 14 557 · 83 552 · 77 548 · 90 538 · 66 508 · 56 495 · 64 | 131,200,894 123,672,220 117,100,127 117,678,030 118,263,764 119,779,505 122,750,869 123,201,830 121,528,380 125,886,523 | 2,682,595 2,213,081 2,062,669 2,357,595 2,552,585 2,465,384 2,559,953 2,221,392 2,287,878 2,367,910 | 133,883,489 125,885,301 119,162,796 120,035,625 120,816,349 122,244,889 125,310,822 125,423,222 123,816,258 128,254,433 | 720,468,361 642,831,002 585,385,094 595,143,903 600,728,313 614,890,897 631,894,662 629,778,738 632,533,152 691,737,901 | 1,977,44 1,509,56 1,547,20 1,939,83 2,057,89 2,265,02 2,612,92 2,151,30 2,313,74 2,599,00 |