

8.—Railway Bonds Guaranteed by Federal and Provincial Governments, as at Dec. 31, 1949

Government	Canadian National	Other Railways	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Provincial Governments—			
New Brunswick.....	—	465,000	465,000
British Columbia.....	1,949,845	—	1,949,845
Federal Government.....	530,771,723	—	530,771,723
Totals².....	532,721,568	465,000	533,186,568¹

¹ Does not include \$6,985,175 perpetual debenture stock and guaranteed stock of the former Grand Trunk Railway, now part of the Canadian National Railway System, on which interest and dividends are guaranteed by the Federal Government.

² Newfoundland not included.

Subsection 3.—Traffic

Passenger and Freight Traffic.—Table 9 shows the passenger and freight statistics for all steam railways for the years 1940-49. A separate analysis is given at pp. 731-732 of the operations and traffic of the Canadian National Railways. Since this System is controlled by the Federal Government, the information is considered of special interest.

9.—Statistics of Passenger and Freight Services and Revenue Receipts, 1940-49

NOTE.—Figures from 1910-39 are given in the corresponding tables of previous Year Books.

Year	PASSENGER				
	Revenue Passenger-Train Miles ¹	Passenger-Train Car Miles ¹	Passengers Carried ²	Passengers Carried One Mile	Passengers Carried One Mile per Mile of Line
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1940.....	37,293,721	296,077,068	21,969,871	2,176,467,876	51,090
1941.....	39,947,184	337,144,753	29,779,241	3,205,541,530	75,467
1942.....	43,271,994	395,118,691	47,596,602	4,989,295,894	117,728
1943.....	45,745,039	433,828,200	57,175,840	6,525,064,000	154,122
1944.....	46,575,706	450,042,986	60,335,950	6,873,188,000	162,729
1945.....	47,067,607	447,822,527	53,407,845	6,380,155,000	150,917
1946.....	45,700,856	415,890,589	43,405,177	4,648,558,000	109,773
1947.....	45,367,725	398,646,636	40,941,387	3,732,777,000	88,218
1948.....	46,101,568	410,689,409	38,279,981	3,477,273,000	82,193
1949 ³	45,680,009	407,421,229	34,883,803	3,193,174,337	74,497
	Average Receipts per Passenger Mile	Average Receipts per Passenger	Average Passenger Journey	Average Passengers per Train	Passenger-Train Revenue per Passenger-Train Mile
	cts.	\$	miles	No.	\$
1940.....	1.96	1.94	99	58	1.97
1941.....	1.86	2.01	108	80	2.25
1942.....	1.83	1.92	105	115	2.93
1943.....	1.90	2.16	114	143	3.68
1944.....	1.92	2.18	114	148	3.82
1945.....	1.96	2.34	120	136	3.70
1946.....	2.15	2.30	107	102	3.21
1947.....	2.35	2.14	91	82	3.01
1948.....	2.40	2.18	91	75	2.92
1949.....	2.66	2.44	92	69 ³	3.05 ³