after settling income taxes, a dividend of 4 p.c. is paid on earnings. Also, for a term of ten years ended Jan. 1, 1962, the Railway was not obliged to pay interest on \$100,000,000 of its long-term debt. The Government is authorized to buy additional preferred stock annually in amounts related to the company's gross revenues. As a consequence, the proportion of total capitalization represented by equity capital in shareholders' account was raised from 34.5 p.c. at Dec. 31, 1951 to 67.2 p.c. at Jan. 1, 1952, and the proportion of borrowed capital was correspondingly reduced. By the end of 1966, the proportion represented by equity capital in shareholders' account was 51.3 p.c.

At Dec. 31—	Shareholders' Capital		Funded Debt Held by Public		Government Loans and	
	Government of Canada Shareholders' Account	Capital Stock Held by Public	Guaranteed by Federal and Provincial Governments	Other	Appro- priations— Active Assets in Public Accounts	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1957 1958 1959 1960 1961	$\begin{array}{c}1,639,451,306\\1,704,387,845\\1,723,909,722\\1,721,143,162\\1,744,673,266\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 4,505,870\\ 4,504,203\\ 4,503,549\\ 4,499,284\\ 4,499,273\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 730,346,711\\ 1,024,710,205\\ 1,335,510,205\\ 1,677,209,478\\ 1,670,653,176\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 17,978,788\\9,098,765\\5,548,765\\3,098,765\\2,423,765\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 623,967,851\\ 484,791,699\\ 345,684,052\\ 148,021,700\\ 164,593,150\end{array}$	3,016,250,526 3,227,492,717 3,415,156,293 3,553,972,389 3,586,842,630
1962	$\substack{1,767,976,925\\1,792,380,188\\1,817,243,906\\1,843,209,298\\1,871,426,675}$	$\begin{array}{r} 4,499,261\\ 4,485,785\\ 4,345,185\\ 4,345,185\\ 4,345,185\\ 4,345,185\end{array}$	$\substack{1,630,895,308\\1,378,875,000\\1,367,811,500\\1,366,061,500\\1,325,461,500}$	2,423,765 2,023,764 2,023,764 2,023,764 2,023,764 2,023,764 2,023,764	$\begin{array}{c} 209,026,793\\ 410,354,762\\ 410,354,762\\ 410,354,762\\ 410,354,762\\ 445,354,762 \end{array}$	3,614,822,052 3,588,119,499 3,601,779,117 3,625,994,509 3,648,611,886

11.—Capital Structure of the Canadi	an National Railway	System as at Dec. 31, 1957-66
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In Table 12 the assets of the Canadian National Railway System as at Dec. 31, 1965 and 1966 are shown.

## 12.—Assets of the Canadian National Railway System as at Dec. 31, 1965 and 1966

Nore.—Assets as at the time of consolidation of the system (Dec. 31, 1922) are given in the 1963-64 Year Book, p. 764.

Account	1965	1966	Account	1965	1966
	\$	\$	-	\$	\$
Current Assets Cash Special deposits Traffic accounts receiv- able.		53,539,728 26,560	Investments—concl. Improvements on leased property	1,384,318 147,438,633	1,416,332 155,439,860
Agent and conductor balances	54,582,813	4,204,163 60,132,858	Investments in affiliated companies Other investments	288,892,167 3,853,705	288,704,950 4,689,126
able	64,193,969	36,811,059	Deferred Assets	27,511,771 736,930	27,050,856 1,037,720
due on deficit account. Material and supplies Interest and dividends	12,017,755 71,083,427	6,155,732 76,835,257	Insurance and other funds Other deferred assets		16,326,528 9,686,608
receivable Other current assets	2,990,874 14,728,384	4,744,095 32,943,605	Unadjusted Debits Prepayments Discount on funded debt Other unadjusted debits		28,077,247 2,123,816 14,580,334
Investments	4, 468, 857, 050	4,592,066,667	Other unaujusted debits	11,010,219	11,373,097
Road and equipment property	4,027,288,227	4,141,816,399	Totals	4,779,044,009	4,922,587,827