

74.—Number of Telephone Companies in Canada, 1911-1926.<sup>1</sup>

Years.	Government.	Municipal.	Stock.	Co-operative.	Partnership.	Private.	Total.
1911.....	3	25	308	101	18	82	537
1912.....	3	35	368	133	31	113	683
1913.....	4	52	543	262	63	151	1,075
1914.....	4	58	611	297	48	118	1,136
1915.....	4	62	584	601	28	117	1,396
1916.....	4	67	622	765	23	111	1,592
1917.....	5	73	645	841	17	114	1,695
1918.....	5	74	735	1,085	12	96	2,007
1919.....	5	89	666	1,346	18	95	2,219
1920.....	5	88	647	1,495	9	83	2,327
1921.....	5	103	614	1,544	7	92	2,365
1922.....	5	117	693	1,474	—	98	2,387
1923.....	5	127	450	1,752	1	124	2,459
1924.....	5	153	502	1,606	63	137	2,466
1925.....	6	144	502	1,551	106	186	2,495
1926.....	6	142	490	1,560	107	174	2,479

<sup>1</sup>The years 1911-1918 are from July 1 to June 30. Figures for 1919 to 1926 are for the calendar years.

In the two following tables, figures are shown giving the number of telephones in use, the mileage of wire and the number of employees of telephone companies, by provinces, for the year 1926, and for the Dominion, from 1911 to 1926.

75.—Telephones in use, Mileage of Wire and Number of Employees, by Provinces, Dec. 31, 1926.

Provinces.	Telephones in use.						Mileage of wire.	Em- ployees.
	Busi- ness.	Resi- dential.	Rural.	Public pay.	Total.	Per 100 popula- tion.		
Prince Edward Island.....	No. 1,003	No. 1,430	No. 2,080	No. 49	No. 4,562	No. 5.2	Miles. 5,598	No. 73
New Scotia.....	9,870	15,729	10,540	965	40,104	7.4	73,290	939
Nova Brunswick.....	7,423	14,851	7,468	475	30,237	7.4	46,349	702
Quebec.....	76,672	132,351	25,764	6,127	240,914	9.4	670,120	5,983
Ontario.....	129,587	277,356	116,048	10,201	533,192	17.0	1,383,836	10,115
Manitoba.....	19,936	33,959	15,091	1,696	71,272	11.2	261,006	1,063
Saskatchewan.....	14,984	20,065	67,725	120	102,894	12.5	336,644	773
Alberta.....	19,404	29,397	21,475	720	70,996	11.8	254,405	747
British Columbia.....	32,628	69,220	3,860	993	106,701	18.8	274,400	2,274
Yukon.....	50	71	—	15	136	3.9	566	3
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>311,557</b>	<b>597,429</b>	<b>276,686</b>	<b>21,336</b>	<b>1,201,008</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>3,306,214</b>	<b>23,567</b>

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	Busi- ness.	Resi- dential.	Rural.	Public pay.	Total.	Per 100 popula- tion.		
1911.....	No. —	No. —	No. —	No. —	No. 302,759	No. 4.2	Miles. 687,782	No. 10,425
1912.....	—	—	—	—	370,884	5.0	889,572	12,783
1913.....	—	—	—	—	463,671	6.2	1,092,587	12,867
1914.....	—	—	—	—	521,144	6.8	1,343,090	16,799
1915.....	—	—	—	—	533,090	6.8	1,452,360	15,072
1916.....	—	—	—	—	548,421	6.8	1,600,564	15,247
1917.....	—	—	—	—	604,136	7.4	1,708,203	16,490
1918.....	—	—	—	—	662,330	8.0	1,848,466	17,336
1919.....	—	—	—	—	778,758	9.2	2,105,240	20,491
1920.....	260,481	390,950	204,855	—	856,286	9.9	2,105,101	21,187
1921.....	273,498	396,384	232,208	—	902,090	10.3	2,268,271	19,943
1922.....	281,535	414,887	247,607	—	944,029	10.6	2,396,805	19,321
1923.....	303,660	444,300	261,360	—	1,009,320	11.1	2,574,083	21,002
1924.....	281,108	509,928	265,509	15,909	1,072,454	11.6	2,765,722	21,685
1925.....	297,875	556,837	268,807	19,357	1,142,876	12.2	3,020,773	21,831
1926.....	311,557	597,429	276,686	21,336	1,201,008	12.8	3,306,214	22,567

<sup>1</sup>See note to Table 74.