

The gross traffic earnings of the Grand Trunk Canadian Pacific, Canadian Northern, Duluth South Shore & Atlantic railways, and the Montreal, Toronto, Halifax, Twin City, Detroit United and Havana street railways, up to the most recent date obtainable, compared with the corresponding period for 1903 and 1904, were as follows:

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Year to date.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
Aug. 31.....	\$23,146,621	\$21,631,375	\$22,744,413	1,113,038
Week ending.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
Sept. 7.....	787,031	739,897	814,313	74,476
14.....	761,984	724,700	795,918	71,918
21.....	735,730	742,985	781,941	38,956

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Year to date.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
Aug. 31.....	\$29,165,000	\$30,083,000	\$32,395,000	\$2,312,000

GROSS TRAFFIC EARNINGS.

Week ending	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
Sept. 7.....	807,000	990,000	1,056,000	66,000
14.....	870,000	933,000	1,040,000	112,000
21.....	888,000	971,000	1,109,000	138,000
30.....	1,216,000	1,277,000	1,600,000	329,000

NET TRAFFIC EARNINGS.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
January.....	\$916,771	\$357,652	\$422,668	\$65,010
February.....	742,741	82,541	302,171	219,606
March.....	1,258,564	850,854	1,182,827	331,973
April.....	1,493,173	412,533	531,806	119,273
May.....	1,383,357	1,391,565	1,387,935	3,630
June.....	1,246,055	1,449,911	.....	.....
July.....	1,318,527	1,449,652	1,637,778	188,126
August.....	1,434,102	1,527,930	.....	.....
September.....	1,202,266	1,268,808	.....	.....
October.....	1,654,027	1,566,114	.....	.....
November.....	1,477,981	1,669,575	.....	.....
December.....	1,581,145	1,662,669	.....	.....
Total.....	15,708,709	13,689,804	.....	.....

CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY.

GROSS TRAFFIC EARNINGS.

July 1st, 1903 to June 30, 1904	July 1st, 1904 to June 30, 1905	Increase
\$3,121,800	\$3,871,800	\$747,000
Week ending.	1904.	1905. Increase
Sept. 7.....	67,600	73,400 10,800
14.....	63,400	78,200 14,800
21.....	65,600	88,700 23,100
30.....	101,100	138,200 37,100

DULUTH, SOUTH SHORE & ATLANTIC.

Week ending.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
Sept. 7.....	\$56,562	\$51,243	\$57,401	\$5,160
14.....	54,212	52,867	62,447	9,550
21.....	53,492	53,005	56,672	3,667

MONTREAL STREET RAILWAY.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
January...	\$168,883	\$182,386	\$201,096	18,710
February...	130,065	167,023	184,132	17,103
March.....	168,987	183,689	206,725	23,036
April.....	170,050	184,905	200,910	16,005
May.....	170,773*	217,341	232,999	15,658
June.....	205,454	229,505	244,136	14,871
July.....	212,337	223,137	254,097	30,960
August...	208,586	226,764	257,493	30,699
September...	212,156	216,205	244,585	28,290
October...	204,452	219,633	.....	.....
November...	187,930	201,147	.....	.....
December...	187,780	208,428	.....	.....
Week ending.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
Sept. 7.....	51,470	51,388	56,247	4,859
14.....	50,008	50,799	59,285	8,480
21.....	49,784	50,684	55,602	5,218
30.....	60,092	63,424	73,148	9,724

TORONTO STREET RAILWAY.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
January...	\$161,918	\$179,360	\$196,970	\$17,610
February...	146,630	168,904	175,377	16,473
March...	159,943	83,643	207,014	23,371

TORONTO STREET RAILWAY.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Increase
April.....	\$162,276	183,763	\$201,317	\$17,554
May.....	174,519	198,337	225,768	27,431
June.....	177,593	207,482	231,140	23,658
July.....	192,629	211,356	238,895	27,539
August...	185,822	217,887	250,880	32,943
September...	237,010	246,862	.....	.....
October...	183,810	202,344	.....	.....
November...	174,039	198,150	.....	.....
December...	199,115	213,662	.....	.....
Week ending.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
Sept. 7.....	68,699	71,352	91,438	20,086
14.....	71,698	68,308	66,100	Dec. 2,708
21.....	43,581	46,753	54,252	7,469
30.....	53,132	60,491	70,782	10,363

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
January...	\$310,084	\$329,354	\$349,469	20,111
February...	281,947	310,180	319,811	9,634
March.....	317,839	338,580	359,884	21,304
April.....	315,465	332,615	354,729	20,114
May.....	337,699	358,344	387,645	29,301
June.....	346,018	365,897	399,120	33,229
July.....	362,702	381,224	432,239	49,015
August...	363,579	386,629	420,231	33,602
September...	370,349	371,476	.....	.....
October...	346,673	365,938	.....	.....
November...	333,424	352,433	.....	.....
December...	357,452	374,738	.....	.....
Week ending.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
Sept. 7.....	116,404	109,123	125,937	16,814
14.....	76,300	81,552	112,572	31,020
21.....	80,442	79,702	94,160	14,398

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY CO., LTD.

Railway Receipts.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
January...	\$10,867	10,677	\$10,256	Dec. 421
February...	9,322	9,894	7,186	" 2,705
March...	10,195	11,152	9,322	" 1,830
April.....	10,533	11,145	10,516	" 629
May.....	10,768	12,074	.....	.....
June.....	11,844	14,051	12,796	" 1,255
July.....	15,942	17,528	17,284	" 244
August...	16,786	17,402	17,754	" 352
September...	18,494	17,862	.....	.....
October...	12,055	12,434	.....	.....
November...	11,220	11,085	.....	.....
December...	12,160	12,163	.....	.....
Week ending.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
Sept. 7.....	3,706	\$3,913	\$3,619	Dec. 294
14.....	5,915	6,595*	4,113	" 2,482
21.....	4,825	3,647	6,624*	2,977

Lighting Receipts.

Month.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Inc.
January...	\$13,863	\$16,317	\$15,667	Dec. 650
February...	11,924	14,227	14,180	" 47
March.....	10,523	12,718	12,719	" 2
April.....	10,156	12,116	11,964	" 151
May.....	9,020	9,756	.....	.....
June.....	8,368	8,998	8,905	" 93
July.....	8,351	8,953	8,653	" 300
August...	8,826	9,596	9,619	" 23
September...	10,781	11,720	.....	.....
October...	13,186	14,209	.....	.....
November...	14,200	16,273	.....	.....
December...	16,611	17,684	.....	.....

DETROIT UNITED RAILWAY.

Week ending	1904	1905	Increase
Sept. 7.....	\$100,794	111,376	10,582
14.....	98,654	119,433	20,779
21.....	90,904	103,805	12,901

HAVANA ELECTRIC RAILWAY CO.

Week ending	1904	1905	Increase
Sept. 12.....	\$35,310	\$40,395	\$5,085
19.....	33,489	39,665	6,176
26.....	32,096	36,870	4,774

* Spanish Silver.

* Provincial Exhibition.