

TABLE No. 28.—TRANSPORT LICENSING ACT, 1931.
STATEMENT OF OPERATING-COSTS PER VEHICLE-MILE AND RELATIVE STATISTICS FOR LICENSED PUBLIC WORKS AND LOCAL-BODY CONTRACTORS FOR 1937-38.

	No. 1 Licensing District.	No. 2 Licensing District.	No. 3 Licensing District.	No. 4 Licensing District.	Dominion Total.
Average mileage per vehicle	13,682	11,329	10,543	11,765	12,365
Average age of vehicles, years	2.41	2.24	2.01	1.95	2.27
Average gross load per vehicle (weight of vehicle plus maximum load), tons	5.07	5.10	5.17	5.53	5.13
Average maximum possible pay-load, tons	2.87	2.85	2.94	3.16	2.90
Average operating-costs per vehicle-mile—	Pence per Mile.	Pence per Mile.	Pence per Mile.	Pence per Mile.	Pence per Mile.
Running costs ..	4.38	4.53	4.12	4.15	4.35
Standing charges—					
Wages ..	4.38	5.44	5.21	4.36	4.76
Depreciation of vehicles ..	1.31	1.32	1.38	1.42	1.33
Licence fees, insurance, garaging ..	0.71	0.78	0.85	0.78	0.75
Overhead charges—	— 6.40	— 7.54	— 7.44	— 6.56	— 6.84
Management and office expenses ..	0.23	0.57	0.45	0.23	0.34
Other charges ..	0.28	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.24
	— 0.51	— 0.78	— 0.66	— 0.44	— 0.58
Total ..	11.29	12.85	12.22	11.15	11.77

TABLE No. 29.—TRANSPORT LICENSING ACT, 1931.
STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND PROFIT PER VEHICLE-MILE FOR LICENSED PUBLIC WORKS AND LOCAL-BODY CONTRACTORS FOR 1937-38.

	No. 1 Licensing District.	No. 2 Licensing District.	No. 3 Licensing District.	No. 4 Licensing District.	Dominion Total.
Average mileage per vehicle	13,682	11,329	10,543	11,765	12,365
Revenue per vehicle-mile—	Pence per Mile.	Pence per Mile.	Pence per mile.	Pence per Mile.	Pence per Mile.
General goods revenue ..	1.37	..	0.43	..	0.83
Mail revenue ..	..	..	..	..	..
Passenger revenue ..	0.02	0.02	0.04	..	0.02
Public-works and local-body contracting ..	11.22	14.05	13.45	13.08	12.32
Other revenue ..	..	0.34	0.09	0.01	0.09
Total ..	12.61	14.41	14.01	13.09	13.26
Profit per vehicle-mile ..	1.32	1.56	1.79	1.94	1.49