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# Getting the Most from the Index

This is essentially a subject index, not an index of titles, and articles treating a number of different subjects are listed under each of them. In addition, a geographical reference is published wherever the article relates to any particular railway company, city, state or nation. Entries about an electric railway are under the name of the city in which the main office of the company is located, but in the case of electrified sections of steam railroads, the entries appear under the name of the railroad.

In the subject index, the alphabetical method is followed. If there is a choice of two or three keywords the one most generally used has been selected, cross references being supplied. Below is a list of the common keywords used in the index to this volume. This list has been subdivided for convenience into fourteen general subjects.

The headings which appear in the index itself are in small type under the general classifications. The main headings in capitals below do not appear in the index. The list of keywords is revised from time to time

to keep the index abreast with developments. As an example of how to use the index, if a reader wishes to locate an article on special trackwork he obviously would look in the list below at the general subject "Track."

Under this caption, only "Special trackwork" could apply to the article in question. The reader would therefore refer to this keyword

under S in the body of the index.

In addition to the groups of articles covered by these headings, papers and reports from railway associations are grouped under the names of the various organizations. Proceedings of other associations and societies are indexed in general only in accordance with the subject discussed. Short articles about machine tools appear only under the heading "Repair shop practice; shop methods and equipment" and are not indexed alphabetically, because there is a wide choice in most cases of the proper keyword to be used.

Signed articles also are indexed by the name of the author. When the name of the author is known to the reader this provides the simplest method of locating any article.

### CLASSIFIED LIST OF KEYWORDS

## ACCIDENTS AND ACCIDENT PREVENTION

Accident claim department Accident prevention Accidents (including wrecks) Insurance, Fire Safety work Storm and fire damage

### ELECTRIC CARS AND SERVICE CARS

Cars (including car design) Locomotives Service and tower trucks Trackless trolley

### CAR EQUIPMENT

Bearings Bearings
Brakes and compressors
Doors, car
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