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A monorail train which might solve a few problems for Britain has been developed by a team of engineers in Cologne. This model shows the coach layout, and the rubber-tired side-wheels that keep it upright and steady. So much for the model - here's the real thing, the first full-sized job of its kind in the world. It runs on a concrete rail at 50 or 60 miles an hour, and it's practically noiseless.

No level crossings - no interference with other transport - very little space required - it could be the answer to such headaches as the journeys to and from London Airport. This test monorail is only just over a mile long, but there's already a 60-mile track on order for Sao Paulo, Brazil, and town-planners of many lands are interested.

A triumph for Dr. Wenner-Gren, the Swedish industrialist who inspired the project,