

RETURN showing the Capital Cost, Working Expenses, Income and Revenue, of the Telephone Exchanges, Year by Year, from the date of their Establishment.

Exchange at	Date of Establishment.	Number of Connections.	Revenue.		Capital Cost for Instruments, Wire Poles, Labour, Freight, Superintendence, &c.		Working Expenses.							Net Revenue, i.e., Balance of Revenue over Working Expenses.	Annual Rate per Cent. Yielded by Net Revenue on Capital Cost.										
			Received during Year.	Annual Rate at Close of the Year.	Average for each Connection.	Total for all Connections.	Salaries and Allowances of Clerks, &c.	Lineman and Battery Materials.	Repairs, Wear and Tear, &c. 10 per cent.	Rent Fuel, Light, Power, Printing, Bindings, &c.	Total.														
												£	s.			d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland	£ 3,240	4 7	3,479	0 0	0 24	4 8½	9,597	4 6	549	14 0	811	0 0	959	14 5	100	0 0	0 0	0 0	1,920	8 5	1,558	11 7	16.23
Napier	£ 252	17 8	610	0 0	0 24	11 6½	1,794	2 6½	142	0 0	83	0 0	179	8 3	50	0 0	0 0	0 0	454	8 3	155	11 9	8.63
Wellington	£ 2,028	9 6	2,187	0 0	0 21	2 6½	5,894	9 1½	504	4 0	805	0 0	589	8 10	100	0 0	0 0	0 0	1,498	12 10	638	7 2	10.82
Nelson..	£ 490	3 3	538	5 2	0 16	9 3½	1,108	2 6½	120	0 0	83	0 0	110	6 3	50	0 0	0 0	0 0	363	6 3	174	18 9	15.77
Christchurch	£ 1,796	5 2	1,962	0 0	0 21	15 6½	5,204	14 5½	433	15 8	800	0 0	520	9 6	100	0 0	0 0	0 0	1,354	5 2	607	14 10	11.66
Timaru	£ 208	11 6	486	0 0	0 14	7 11½	835	1 7	140	0 0	83	0 0	83	10 2	50	0 0	0 0	0 0	356	10 2	129	9 10	15.44
Oamaru	£ 356	15 11	322	0 0	0 19	6 11½	831	19 2½	100	0 0	63	0 0	83	3 11	50	0 0	0 0	0 0	296	3 11	25	16 1	9.03
Dunedin	£ 3,359	4 8	3,530	5 0	0 22	7 1½	9,635	10 10½	699	7 7	310	0 0	963	11 1	100	0 0	0 0	0 0	1,982	18 8	1,547	6 4	10.03
Invercargill	£ 486	14 10	479	10 0	0 14	8 7½	966	17 10½	120	0 0	83	0 0	96	13 10	50	0 0	0 0	0 0	349	13 10	129	16 2	13.35
Wanganui	£ 124	14 6	453	0 0	0 25	11 0½	1,456	9 4½	130	0 0	83	0 0	145	12 11	50	0 0	0 0	0 0	408	12 11	44	7 1	3.01
Total for year ended the 31st March, 1886	..	1,710	£ 12,294	1 2	13,997	0 0	0 20	8 6½	37,319	12 1	2,849	1 3	1,704	0 0	3,731	19 2	700	0 0	0 0	0 0	8,985	0 5	5,011	19 7	13.42
Total for year ended the 31st March, 1885	..	1,075	£ 10,008	3 6	10,008	3 6	..	..	23,461	17 6	1,770	0 0	1,590	0 0	2,346	0 0	475	0 0	0 0	0 0	6,181	0 0	3,827	3 6	16.31
" " " 1884	..	715	£ 7,746	16 7	7,028	7 4	..	..	15,604	17 6	695	0 0	770	0 0	1,560	0 0	350	0 0	0 0	0 0	3,375	0 0	3,653	7 4	23.41
" " " 1883	..	379	£ 5,014	9 2	6,809	8 8	..	..	8,271	13 6	595	0 0	595	0 0	827	0 0	900	0 0	0 0	0 0	2,317	0 0	4,492	8 8	54.31
" " " 1882	..	116	£ 613	5 2	1,170	16 0	..	..	2,531	14 0	285	0 0	275	0 0	253	0 0	150	0 0	0 0	0 0	963	0 0	207	16 0	8.17