

Table No. 20.

ORDINARY and PRESS TELEGRAMS forwarded during the Four Quarters ended 31st December, 1892, also for each Quarter of the Year ended 31st December, 1891, and the REVENUE derived therefrom.

| Class.      | March Quarter. |             | June Quarter. |              | September Quarter. |             | December Quarter. |             | Totals for Year. |              |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|
|             | Number.        | Revenue.    | Number.       | Revenue.     | Number.            | Revenue.    | Number.           | Revenue.    | Number.          | Revenue.     |
| 1892.       |                | £ s. d.     |               | £ s. d.      |                    | £ s. d.     |                   | £ s. d.     |                  | £ s. d.      |
| Ordinary .. | 410,992        | 20,112 19 3 | 357,190       | 17,552 2 8   | 346,685            | 16,319 1 4  | 396,143           | 18,748 4 4  | 1,511,010        | 72,732 7 7½  |
| Press ..    | 45,396         | 2,174 3 6   | 37,611        | 1,670 10 6   | 48,806             | 2,526 6 8   | 43,241            | 1,938 10 4  | 175,054          | 8,309 11 0   |
| Totals ..   | 456,388        | 22,287 2 9  | 394,801       | 19,222 13 2  | 395,491            | 18,845 8 0½ | 439,384           | 20,686 14 8 | 1,686,064        | 81,041 18 7½ |
| 1891.       |                |             |               |              |                    |             |                   |             |                  |              |
| Ordinary .. | 426,231        | 21,873 7 4  | 396,536       | 20,272 18 8  | 358,358            | 17,117 19 6 | 377,367           | 18,690 0 11 | 1,558,492        | 77,954 6 5   |
| Press ..    | 53,040         | 2,716 3 9   | 39,312        | 1,689 17 2   | 56,042             | 3,382 10 4  | 39,229            | 1,801 14 3  | 187,623          | 9,590 5 6    |
| Totals ..   | 479,271        | 24,589 11 1 | 435,848       | 21,962 15 10 | 414,400            | 20,500 9 10 | 416,596           | 20,491 15 2 | 1,746,115        | 87,544 11 11 |

Table No. 21.

RETURN of the NUMBER and AMOUNT of TELEGRAPH MONEY ORDERS issued within the several Postal Districts during the Year ended 31st December, 1892.

| Districts.              | Number. | Commission.        | Amount.                 |
|-------------------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Auckland .. .. .        | 3,209   | £ s. d.<br>160 9 0 | £ s. d.<br>11,688 16 11 |
| Blenheim .. .. .        | 536     | 26 16 0            | 1,686 19 11             |
| Christchurch .. .. .    | 1,289   | 64 9 0             | 4,558 17 2              |
| Dunedin .. .. .         | 1,597   | 79 17 0            | 6,595 9 4               |
| Gisborne .. .. .        | 728     | 36 8 0             | 2,383 19 4              |
| Greymouth .. .. .       | 1,138   | 56 18 0            | 3,894 19 4              |
| Hokitika .. .. .        | 292     | 14 12 0            | 1,096 3 10              |
| Invercargill .. .. .    | 601     | 30 1 0             | 1,881 7 7               |
| Napier .. .. .          | 1,723   | 86 3 0             | 6,811 11 10             |
| Nelson .. .. .          | 448     | 22 8 0             | 1,422 0 10              |
| New Plymouth .. .. .    | 618     | 30 18 0            | 2,073 0 6               |
| Oamaru .. .. .          | 158     | 7 18 0             | 425 6 10                |
| Thames .. .. .          | 549     | 27 9 0             | 1,751 13 8              |
| Timaru .. .. .          | 256     | 12 16 0            | 864 2 2                 |
| Wanganui .. .. .        | 1,191   | 59 11 0            | 3,743 11 9              |
| Wellington .. .. .      | 3,379   | 168 19 0           | 11,772 14 9             |
| Westport .. .. .        | 831     | 41 11 0            | 2,970 9 0               |
| Totals .. .. .          | 18,543  | 927 3 0            | 65,621 4 9              |
| Totals for 1891 .. .. . | 18,800  | 940 0 0            | 62,407 6 5              |

Table No. 22.

VALUE of SHIPPING, WEATHER, and GOVERNMENT TELEGRAMS transmitted during the Year ended 31st December, 1892.

| Districts.              | No.     | Amount.               |
|-------------------------|---------|-----------------------|
| Auckland .. .. .        | 33,859  | £ s. d.<br>3,574 10 2 |
| Blenheim .. .. .        | 5,018   | 499 8 7               |
| Christchurch .. .. .    | 15,316  | 1,722 10 7            |
| Dunedin .. .. .         | 20,323  | 2,282 13 10           |
| Gisborne .. .. .        | 3,542   | 437 9 2               |
| Greymouth .. .. .       | 5,710   | 675 7 9               |
| Hokitika .. .. .        | 2,984   | 367 13 0              |
| Invercargill .. .. .    | 8,187   | 886 7 1               |
| Napier .. .. .          | 11,912  | 1,186 5 3             |
| Nelson .. .. .          | 5,841   | 558 15 0              |
| New Plymouth .. .. .    | 6,681   | 688 14 9              |
| Oamaru .. .. .          | 1,711   | 188 15 0              |
| Thames .. .. .          | 4,172   | 353 4 9               |
| Timaru .. .. .          | 3,302   | 324 13 9              |
| Wanganui .. .. .        | 9,869   | 966 0 8               |
| Wellington .. .. .      | 74,068  | 8,954 10 3            |
| Westport .. .. .        | 5,584   | 675 7 5               |
| Totals .. .. .          | 218,079 | 24,342 7 0            |
| Totals for 1891 .. .. . | 222,149 | 24,840 5 7            |