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Rates for Toll Service.

The rates for urgent calls taking precedence of ordinary calls are thrice the ordinary rates, which are as follows :---

For	a call of thre	e min	utes	(day service)							8.	d.
	For distance	up to	31	miles	••	• •	••	••	••	••	0	$6\frac{1}{2}$
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Plus ground rate of $6\frac{1}{2}d$.

FRANCE.

Paris—		Rates for	r Unlin	nited Loca	ıl Servic	e.			£	s.	d.
Ordinary lines	••	••	••	•••	••	• •			27	15	0
Immeubles*	••	••	••	••		••	••		39	13	0
Hotels, cafes, &c.		••	••	••	••	••	• •	••	4 7]	12	0
Lyons											
Ordinary lines			••	••	••	••		• •	20]	16	0
Immeubles*	••	••	••	• •	••	••			29]	15	0
Hotels, cafes, &c.	••			••	••	••	••	• •	35 1	l 4	0
Other towns with more	than 25	5,000 inhabi	tants		••	••	£1	3.18s.	to £23	3 10	ôs.
Towns with 25,000 inha							£1	0 8s. t	o £17	17	s.

Message Rate for Local Service.

(Applies only to towns with a population of 80,000 or less.)

Annual subscription-	-	ţ,					•		£	s.	d.
First year		••			••		• •	••	11	18	0
Second year	••		• •		••	••		••	7	19	0
Each subsequent	year	• •		• •		• •	•••	• •	4	19	0
1	v	Charge f	or each o	riginated	call, 21	l.					

Extra Charges.-Unlimited-service subscribers contribute towards the cost of erecting their line. Message-rate subscribers only contribute towards the cost of that section of their line which is outside a radius of one mile and a quarter from the exchange. Unlimited-service subscribers have to provide their own telephone apparatus.

GERMANY.

Unlimited-service Rate.

In areas with over 20,000 inhabitants, £17 13s.; in areas with 5,000 to 20,000 inhabitants £16 13s.; down to £7 17s. for areas with not more than 50 subscribers.

Message Rates.

In areas of 20,000 subscribers and over, £11 15s.; in areas with 5,000 to 20,000 subscribers, £10 16s.; in areas with 1,000 to 5,000 subscribers, £9 6s.; and in areas with 1,000 subscribers or less, £7 17s. The rates include a minimum of 400 calls. Local calls, 1¹/₄d.

A capital charge of £49 is now levied on subscribers in the form of a loan repayable when the service is discontinued, and as from the 1st July, 1920, these rates will be again doubled.

Rates for Toll Service.

The rates for urgent calls taking precedence over ordinary calls are three times the ordinary rates, which are as follows :---

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* Houses where the proprietor subscribes for the benefit of a number of his tenants (flats, &c).

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