

No. 11.—TELEGRAPH EXTENSION.

RETURN showing the AMOUNT EXPENDED for TELEGRAPH PURPOSES out of PUBLIC WORKS and GENERAL PURPOSES LOANS, from the 1st July, 1873, to the 30th June, 1874.

No. of Miles Poles.	No. of Miles Wire.	Locality.	Amount.		
36	36	Manukau Line*	£	s.	d.
	270	Grahamstown to Napier, third wire*	1,419	1	2
50	50	Poverty Bay Line, completed to Wairoa	5,065	10	0
50	50	Cambridge to Alexandra, reconstruction	6,713	7	8
54	54	Maketu to Opotiki	1,836	17	9
	26	Wellington to Wanganui, second wire completed from Wan- ganui to Bull's	4,499	2	7
	33	Palmerston to Dunedin, fourth wire	642	0	9
48	48	Tapanui to Switzers Line	563	5	1
32	32	Reefton to Lyell	1,678	16	1
	29	Christchurch to Blenheim, fourth wire completed to Leithfield	6,064	15	9
			418	7	1
		RAILWAY WIRES.			
	33	Dunedin to Tokomairiro	858	4	9
	35	Hampden to Waitaki	392	4	2
	8	Auckland to Penrose	77	13	5
270	704	New Stations, also sundry material lying in stock, and expendi- ture on Lines in course of construction not yet brought to charge	30,229	6	3
			4,213	12	1
270	704		34,442	18	4

SUMMARY of TELEGRAPH EXPENDITURE out of PUBLIC WORKS LOAN.

Period.						Miles.		Amount. *		
						Poles.	Wire.			
To 30th June, 1872	...	...	...	...	...	801	1,260	£	s.	d.
" " 1873	...	...	...	...	...	170	559	58,297	8	9
Year, 1873-74	...	...	...	...	...	270	704	32,998	3	3
								34,442	18	4
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	1,241	2,523	125,738	10	4

* In course of construction last year.