

SOUTH AUSTRALIA, 1894.

Number of Telegraph and Telephone Offices	....	250
Length of Lines (Telegraph) ..	.....	5335½ miles.
Ditto (Telephone) ..	....	244 "
Length of Wires (Telegraph) ..	....	10,926 "
Ditto (Telephone) ..	.....	2244 "
Number of Messages, Local ..	.. ..	402,776
Receipts, ditto ..	.. ..	£17,315
Number of Messages (Intercolonial) ..	.....	241,008
Receipts, ditto ..	.. ..	£16,730
Number of Cable Messages, all Colonies—		
Forwarded, 44,989 ; Received, 44,892. ..	..	89,881
Gross Receipts, ditto ..	.. ..	£304,150
South Australia's Proportion. ..	.. ..	£34,700
Number of Post Offices ..	.. ..	646
Ditto Money Order Offices . ..	.. ..	184
Postal Receipts (including Money Order, £4439) ..		£118,702
Value of Money Orders issued ..	.. ..	£226,160
Ditto, paid. ..	.. ..	£219,509
Value of Postal Notes issued to Post Offices ..	.. ..	£68,550
Ditto paid ..	.. ..	£66,506

C. TODD,
Postmaster-General and Superintendent of Telegraphs.

QUEENSLAND, 1894.

RETURN RELATIVE TO THE TELEGRAPH SERVICE, 1894.

On 31st December, 1894—

Number of Telegraph Stations	.. ..	362
Miles of Line Wire.....	.. ..	17,812
Miles of Line ..	.. ..	9989
Total Cost of Construction to date ..	.. ..	£845,885
Approximately—		
Number of Messages transmitted "Cash" ..	.. ..	737,536
Number of Messages transmitted "O.H.M.S." ..	.. ..	77,938
Value of O.H.M.S.. ..	.....	£7971 0s. 10d.

INTERNATIONAL.

Number of Messages transmitted..	.. ..	912—Value	£	s.	d.
Number of Messages received	.. ..	951—	2982	3	9
			2428	12	6
			£5410	16	3

Nett Revenue to Queensland, or proportion of value in favour of Queensland, £180 1s. 4d.

TELEPHONES.

Number of Telephones ..	741
Amount received in 1894 ..	£4742 17s. 7d.

JOHN M'DONNELL,
Under Secretary Post and Telegraph Department and Superintendent of Telegraphs.
