

Table No. 22.
TABLE showing the Capital Cost, Working-expenses, and Revenue of the Telephone Exchanges, Year by Year, from the Date of their Establishment.

Year.	Number of Connections.	Capital Cost for Instruments, Wire, Poles, Labour, Freight, Superintendence, &c.		Revenue.		Working-expenses.					Balance of Revenue over Working-expenses.	Annual Rate per Cent. yielded on Capital Cost.		
		Average Cost of each Connection.	Total for all Connections.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Salaries and Allowances of Clerks, &c.	Materials and Linemen.	* Wear-and-tear, &c.			Rent, Fuel, Light, Paper, Printing, Binding, &c.	Total.
Total for the year ended 31st March,—														
1882	116	21 16 6	2,531 14 0	613 5 2	285 0 0	275 0 0	253 0 0	285 0 0	275 0 0	253 0 0	150 0 0	963 0 0	8-17	
1883	379	21 16 6	8,271 13 6	5,014 9 2	595 0 0	595 0 0	827 0 0	595 0 0	595 0 0	827 0 0	300 0 0	2,317 0 0	54-31	
1884	715	21 16 6	15,604 17 6	7,746 16 7	695 0 0	770 0 0	1,560 0 0	695 0 0	770 0 0	1,560 0 0	350 0 0	3,375 0 0	23-41	
1885	1,075	21 18 6	23,461 17 6	10,008 3 6	1,770 0 0	1,590 0 0	2,346 0 0	1,770 0 0	1,590 0 0	2,346 0 0	475 0 0	6,181 0 0	16-31	
1886	1,710	20 8 6	37,819 12 1	12,294 1 2	2,849 1 8	1,704 0 0	3,731 19 2	2,849 1 8	1,704 0 0	3,731 19 2	700 0 0	8,965 0 5	13-42	
1887	2,088	19 19 5	40,686 3 1	15,477 16 2	2,873 0 0	1,580 10 0	4,068 12 2	2,873 0 0	1,580 10 0	4,068 12 2	320 0 0	8,842 2 2	16-30	
1888	2,153	22 19 0	49,407 5 0	16,881 8 6	3,119 10 0	2,252 0 0	4,940 14 6	3,119 10 0	2,252 0 0	4,940 14 6	330 0 0	10,642 4 6	12-63	
1889	2,249	23 18 10	53,849 11 6	17,613 4 0	3,315 10 0	2,249 7 0	5,344 9 2	3,315 10 0	2,249 7 0	5,344 9 2	335 0 0	11,244 6 2	11-82	
1890	2,402	24 4 1	58,229 3 0	18,581 11 7	3,790 0 0	2,206 10 0	5,823 0 1	3,790 0 0	2,206 10 0	5,823 0 1	375 0 0	12,194 10 1	11-00	
1891	2,587	24 17 1	64,294 4 4	19,961 4 2	4,192 0 0	2,249 18 5	6,429 8 5	4,192 0 0	2,249 18 5	6,429 8 5	394 3 9	13,265 10 7	10-43	
1892	3,080	24 16 11	76,579 1 8	18,571 7 8	4,630 0 0	2,345 2 9	7,658 7 11	4,630 0 0	2,345 2 9	7,658 7 11	393 1 6	15,026 12 2	4-63	
1893	3,690	24 16 11	91,687 11 1	19,155 11 5	7,405 0 0	2,695 19 10	9,168 15 1	7,405 0 0	2,695 19 10	9,168 15 1	464 6 2	19,734 1 1	Loss.	
1894	4,244	24 12 1	104,425 3 0	21,771 4 4	7,720 0 0	3,313 1 1	10,442 10 4	7,720 0 0	3,313 1 1	10,442 10 4	741 18 9	22,217 10 2	Loss.	
1895	4,616	25 6 3	116,845 10 4	21,552 12 10	9,285 0 0	4,253 11 4	11,684 11 0	9,285 0 0	4,253 11 4	11,684 11 0	817 19 5	26,041 1 9	Loss.	
1896	5,143	24 6 6	125,108 4 1	25,938 12 9	9,686 0 10	5,303 11 9	12,510 16 5	9,686 0 10	5,303 11 9	12,510 16 5	1,952 8 3	29,452 17 3	Loss.	
1897	5,747	23 7 4	134,299 11 4	29,248 19 5	12,306 9 7	7,398 0 10	13,429 19 1	12,306 9 7	7,398 0 10	13,429 19 1	1,856 13 2	34,991 2 8	Loss.	
1898	6,203	24 11 6	142,218 11 8	36,422 6 8	14,181 18 0	11,834 2 11	17,110 18 7	14,181 18 0	11,834 2 11	17,110 18 7	1,881 11 11	35,008 11 5	0-99	
1899	6,787	24 5 3	150,490 18 9	39,718 7 7	15,030 7 1	16,190 4 0	7,524 10 11	15,030 7 1	16,190 4 0	7,524 10 11	1,861 2 3	40,606 4 3	Loss.	
1900	7,150	22 14 1	162,333 1 2	43,303 2 10	15,710 13 2	20,847 13 6	8,116 13 0	15,710 13 2	20,847 13 6	8,116 13 0	1,892 10 8	46,567 10 4	Loss.	
1901	8,210	21 9 7	176,349 1 8	49,117 0 8	16,304 6 3	18,225 18 9	8,817 9 0	16,304 6 3	18,225 18 9	8,817 9 0	2,000 15 10	50,772 8 9	2-14	
1902	9,260	20 18 0	198,511 6 2	55,542 4 8	18,448 3 5	20,570 0 9	9,675 11 9	18,448 3 5	20,570 0 9	9,675 11 9	2,078 12 10	52,776 19 8	2-46	
1903	10,633	20 2 6	213,966 10 8	62,151 8 11	20,885 13 3	22,078 4 11	10,698 6 6	20,885 13 3	22,078 4 11	10,698 6 6	2,614 15 0	56,276 19 8	2-75	
1904	12,105	19 19 8	241,903 2 6	71,028 6 3	23,359 8 3	22,507 9 10	12,095 3 1	23,359 8 3	22,507 9 10	12,095 3 1	2,986 3 8	60,948 4 10	4-17	
1905	14,423	21 19 7	295,029 7 2	79,061 7 4	25,121 16 1	26,781 19 6	14,751 9 4	25,121 16 1	26,781 19 6	14,751 9 4	4,447 18 4	71,103 3 8	2-69	
1906	15,338	23 13 9	363,192 6 9	89,542 1 5	26,506 16 5	22,576 6 8	18,159 12 4	26,506 16 5	22,576 6 8	18,159 12 4	5,270 0 9	72,512 16 2	4-69	
1907	17,403	24 2 2	430,088 12 1	100,814 1 3	32,913 16 8	26,145 3 4	21,004 8 7	32,913 16 8	26,145 3 4	21,004 8 7	6,162 18 1	86,226 6 8	3-47	
1908	23,881	21 5 9	508,408 7 8	116,852 13 10	38,107 12 8	36,813 9 6	25,420 8 5	38,107 12 8	36,813 9 6	25,420 8 5	6,902 8 1	107,243 19 1	1-89	
1909	26,833	22 1 1	591,760 0 7	131,249 0 7	47,224 7 0	32,995 2 4	29,588 0 0	47,224 7 0	32,995 2 4	29,588 0 0	7,264 18 5	141,176 12 10	2-40	

* This column includes 5 per cent. for wear-and-tear, and 5 per cent. for debenture capital, except in 1897-98 and following years, in which only 5 per cent. for debenture capital is included.