

## APPENDIX.

## CABLE BUSINESS.

The Dominion's outward International and Australian cable business, excluding press, for the years 1929-30 and 1928-29 was as follows:—

## INTERNATIONAL.

|          |    |    | Number of<br>Messages.  |    |    |                                 | Value.<br>£ |
|----------|----|----|-------------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 1929-30  | .. | .. | 192,351                 | .. | .. | ..                              | 195,701     |
| 1928-29  | .. | .. | 179,399                 | .. | .. | ..                              | 188,851     |
| Increase |    |    | 12,952 = 7·22 per cent. |    |    | Increase 6,850 = 3·63 per cent. |             |

## AUSTRALIAN.

|          |    |    | Number of<br>Messages. |    |    |                                 | Value.<br>£ |
|----------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 1929-30  | .. | .. | 149,486                | .. | .. | ..                              | 31,701      |
| 1928-29  | .. | .. | 146,942                | .. | .. | ..                              | 29,747      |
| Increase |    |    | 2,544 = 1·73 per cent. |    |    | Increase 1,954 = 6·57 per cent. |             |

There was a total increase of 15,496 messages, and an increase in value of £8,804. Of the total revenue received on forwarded cable messages—viz., £227,402—£213,341 was paid to other Administrations, and £14,061 was retained by New Zealand.

## RECEIVED CABLE MESSAGES.

The number of cable messages received in New Zealand during the years 1929-30 and 1928-29, exclusive of press, was as follows:—

|          |    |    | International.         |    |    |                                 | Australian. |
|----------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 1929-30  | .. | .. | 162,963                | .. | .. | ..                              | 144,095     |
| 1928-29  | .. | .. | 156,115                | .. | .. | ..                              | 140,597     |
| Increase |    |    | 6,848 = 4·39 per cent. |    |    | Increase 3,498 = 2·48 per cent. |             |

The total revenue earned by New Zealand on received cable messages during the year 1929-30 was £11,665, as compared with £11,224 for 1928-29.

## RADIO-TELEGRAMS.

The radio-telegraph business transacted by the New Zealand coast stations during the years 1929-30 and 1928-29 was as follows:—

| Year.    |    | Forwarded. |         |                                     |              | Received. |         |                                     |
|----------|----|------------|---------|-------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|---------|-------------------------------------|
|          |    | Number of  |         | Amount<br>earned by<br>New Zealand. | Total Value. | Number of |         | Amount<br>earned by<br>New Zealand. |
|          |    | Messages.  | Words.  |                                     |              | Messages. | Words.  |                                     |
| 1929-30  | .. | 13,921     | 164,821 | £<br>2,932                          | £<br>5,531   | 24,282    | 272,335 | £<br>4,526                          |
| 1928-29  | .. | 14,345     | 204,857 | 3,847                               | 6,523        | 25,559    | 290,137 | 5,059                               |
| Decrease | .. | 424        | 40,036  | 915                                 | 992          | 1,277     | 17,802  | 533                                 |