

POST OFFICE.

[Account No. 111]

Account No. 111.

DETAIL of the GROSS REVENUE and CHARGE of the POSTAL DEPARTMENT received and expended in EASTERN SETTLEMENTS, in each year from 1853-54 to 1866-67.

REVENUE.													
YEARS.			Cash Postage.	Sale of Ordinary Postage Stamps.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	Less Net Amount due to the London Post Office.	Net Revenue from Public.	Official Postage and Service Postage Stamps.	GRAND TOTAL.	DETAIL OF CASH POSTAGE		DETAIL OF STEAM POST-AGE
											On Letters.	On Banghy Parcels.	Due by the London Post Office.
			£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1853-54	...	...	1,030	...	9	1,039	5,779*	6,818	...	6,818	1,030	...	5,779
1855-56	...	...	1,257	1,661	1	2,919	3,947*	6,866	534	7,400	1,254	3	3,947
1856-57	...	...	6,038	1,859	5	7,902	...	7,902	336	8,238	6,031	7	...
1857-58	...	...	6,076	2,933	3	9,012	...	9,012	310	9,322	6,066	10	...
1858-59	...	...	4,550	626	...	5,176	...	5,176	312	5,488	4,538	12	...
1859-60	...	...	3,482	5,411	3	8,896	...	8,896	440	9,336	3,478	4	...
1860-61	...	...	3,563	6,304	1	9,868	...	9,868	549	10,417	3,557	6	...
1861-62	...	...	4,383	7,514	...	11,897	...	11,897	563	12,460	4,378	5	...
1862-63	...	...	4,803	8,449	2	13,254	...	13,254	526	13,780	4,799	4	...
1863-64	...	...	4,651	9,867	5	14,523	...	14,523	596	15,119	4,650	1	...
1864-65	...	...	4,936	10,008	4	14,948	...	14,948	641	15,589	4,932	4	...
1865-66	...	...	5,339	10,068	112	15,519	...	15,519	748	16,267	5,337	2	...
1866-67 (11 months)	...	...	3,947	9,331	89	13,367	...	13,367	732	14,099	3,945	2	...

* This is the amount due by the London Post Office.

YEARS.							EXPENDITURE.			
							Salaries and Establishments.	Miscellaneous and Contingencies.	Bounty Money.	TOTAL.
							£	£	£	£
1853-54	...	...	...	...	...	...	875	188	...	1,063
1854-55	...	...	...	...	...	...	890	242	...	1,132
1855-56	...	...	...	...	...	...	784	177	102	1,063
1856-57	...	...	...	...	...	...	855	257	53	1,165
1857-58	...	...	...	...	...	...	859	285	52	1,196
1858-59	...	...	...	...	...	...	853	266	40	1,159
1859-60	...	...	...	...	...	...	932	298	51	1,281
1860-61	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,106	394	42	1,542
1861-62	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,144	156	204	1,504
1862-63	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,196	156	170	1,522
1863-64	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,218	121	159	1,498
1864-65	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,422	128	206	1,756
1865-66	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,713	147*	232	2,092
1866-67 (11 months)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,570	131	199	1,900

* Includes £11 for construction and repairs of buildings in 1865-66.

DETAIL of the GROSS REVENUE and CHARGE of the POSTAL DEPARTMENT received and expended in the

YEARS.	REVENUE.							EXPENDITURE.					
	CASH POSTAGE		Sale of Ordinary Postage Stamps.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	Official Postage and Service Labels.	GRAND TOTAL.	Salaries and Establishments.	Miscellaneous & Contingencies.	Mail Cart after deducting Charges for Passenger Service.	Bounty Money.	Construction and repairs of Buildings.	TOTAL.
	On Letters.	On Banghy Parcels.											
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.													
1853-54	73,123	13,437	...	2,033	88,593	...	88,593	46,824	7,813	29,736	...	...	84,373
1854-55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,387	5,994	35,266	...	...	86,647
1855-56	26,312	7,616	24,915	1,761	60,604	56,586	117,190	43,412	9,512	36,705	...	...	89,629
1856-57	30,563	10,050	24,070	5,362	70,045	64,610	134,655	50,352	9,621	36,667	...	...	96,640
1857-58	17,309	3,734	11,293	3,322	35,658	36,115	71,773	31,572	6,491	30,305	...	...	68,368
1858-59	31,673	16,480	28,300	6,079	82,532	80,483	163,015	45,025	11,584	39,994	...	...	96,603
1859-60	35,752	15,970	35,271	3,937	90,930	87,284	178,214	51,056	11,295	44,260	...	...	106,611
1860-61	37,029	13,666	37,600	3,358	91,653	77,038	168,691	54,371	7,678	48,581	...	...	110,625
1861-62	25,519	10,073	31,393	1,645	68,630	61,062	129,692	38,132	2,579	35,419	...	235	76,365
1862-63	30,028	11,494	32,376	1,944	75,842	72,705	148,547	41,838	3,754	38,535	...	347	84,474
1863-64	33,032	10,869	35,096	266	79,263	71,622	150,885	41,991	4,024	36,679	...	383	83,077
1864-65	35,225	8,195	38,422	1,255	83,097	83,935	167,032	42,914	3,747	40,608	...	285	87,554
1865-66	36,752	6,980	41,476	505	85,713	112,238	197,951	45,541	6,831	42,713	...	335	95,420
1866-67 (11 months)	31,787	7,297	35,946	544	75,574	50,070	125,644	44,979	5,913	34,360	...	328	85,580
1867-68	36,731	7,362	39,267	1,003	84,363	33,939	118,302	52,324	8,101	41,419	...	542	102,386
1868-69	39,248	6,373	41,606	487	87,714	44,187	131,901	56,724	7,410	43,149	...	515	107,798
1869-70	38,590	5,874	41,525	1,038	87,027	38,626	125,653	61,905	6,295	29,032	...	639	97,871
1870-71	41,513	10,657	45,717	739	98,626	94,079	192,705	70,517	8,577	16,919	...	284	96,297
1871-72	38,187	8,417	40,257	777	87,638	69,847	157,485	69,718	8,120	11,865	...	256	89,959
1872-73	36,393	6,122	38,255	1,061	81,831	14,588	96,419	67,073	7,810	10,274	...	201	85,358
1873-74	38,606	...	38,563	438	77,607	15,330	92,937	69,417	13,575	5,485	...	157	88,634
1874-75	39,886	...	40,739	384	81,009	15,853	96,862	67,984	12,916	5,421	...	90	86,411
1875-76	40,910	...	43,523	442	84,875	16,763	101,638	69,613	11,484	4,918	...	105	86,120
1876-77	40,283	...	45,358	377	86,018	16,956	102,974	70,483	13,574	4,538	...	159	88,754
1877-78	40,514	...	50,047	455	91,016	18,362	109,378	71,549	13,516	5,415	...	63	90,543
1878-79	37,200	...	54,370	552	92,122	17,990	110,112	58,844	8,470	3,865	...	95	71,274
1879-80	34,838	...	57,271	669	92,778	17,307	110,085	61,779	11,056	4,172	...	37	77,044
1880-81	34,685	...	49,316	430	84,431	16,070	100,501	54,117	12,052	3,662	...	63	69,894
1881-82	40,205	...	46,496	631	87,332	16,851	104,183	58,253	8,499	4,140	...	82	70,974
RAJPOOTANA.													
1872-73	2,595	1,146	2,846	46	6,633	598	7,231	7,460	449	...	...	4	7,913
1873-74	6,639	...	3,920	42	10,601	482	11,083	10,784	852	2,279	...	21	13,936
1874-75	6,902	...	4,146	23	11,071	528	11,599	11,119	1,672	1,260	...	16	14,067
1875-76	7,298	...	3,981	56	11,335	530	11,865	11,557	1,484	558	...	7	13,606
1876-77	7,304	...	4,500	21	11,825	578	12,403	11,573	991	—25	...	...	12,439
1877-78	7,623	...	5,477	38	13,208	694	13,902	11,412	1,924	15	...	1	13,352
1878-79	6,501	...	6,896	48	13,445	804	14,249	11,838	1,921	—15	...	...	13,744
1879-80	6,299	...	8,723	69	15,091	1,200	16,291	12,801	1,881	...	...	31	14,713
1880-81	7,678	...	7,891	88	15,657	889	16,546	12,625	812	...	...	4	13,441
1881-82	9,484	...	6,768	112	16,364	1,081	17,445	12,507	1,771	...	...	1	14,279

(a) See Note below Account No. 104.

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Several PROVINCES [other than BENGAL, MADRAS and BOMBAY], in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	REVENUE.							EXPENDITURE.						
	CASH POSTAGE		Sale of Ordinary Postage Stamps.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	Official Postage and Service Labels.	GRAND TOTAL.	Salaries and Establishments.	Miscellaneous & Contingencies.	Mail Cart after deducting Charges for Passenger Service.	Bounty Money.	Construction and repairs of Buildings.	TOTAL.	
	On Letters.	On Banghy Parcels.												
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
PUNJAB.														
1861-62	13,433	5,840	15,669	860	35,802	47,998	83,800	20,888	1,755	26,005	...	53	48,700	
1862-63	11,131	4,693	17,132	474	33,430	45,330	78,760	18,540	1,703	17,585	...	109	37,937	
1863-64	12,197	5,077	20,131	150	37,555	52,194	89,749	18,980	3,443	19,775	...	229	42,427	
1864-65	13,460	4,802	22,596	594	41,452	61,398	102,850	19,738	2,673	28,892	...	210	51,513	
1865-66	14,077	4,015	24,590	924	43,606	72,779	116,355	21,329	4,677	29,940	17	46	56,009	
1866-67 (11 months)	16,586	3,973	29,332	384	50,275	47,991	98,266	23,980	4,364	25,305	8	111	53,768	
1867-68	18,794	4,397	31,601	376	55,168	46,680	101,848	28,823	4,232	25,043	10	63	58,171	
1868-69	19,401	4,117	32,948	319	56,785	52,674	109,459	32,588	5,534	26,708	...	113	64,943	
1869-70	17,295	3,632	25,387	957	47,271	50,581	97,852	32,611	5,426	16,396	...	15	54,448	
1870-71	17,339	4,473	25,829	701	48,342	59,410	107,752	34,568	6,076	13,394	..	65	54,103	
1871-72	18,620	4,393	27,543	565	51,121	53,190	104,311	39,634	7,895	12,462	...	11	60,002	
1872-73	19,431	4,094	28,490	857	52,872	14,242	67,114	42,386	7,793	13,304	...	50	63,533	
1873-74	23,734		29,595	451	53,780	17,235	71,015	44,743	6,990	13,459	...	70	65,262	
1874-75	24,961		32,446	414	57,821	17,619	75,440	44,762	7,867	14,078	...	68	66,775	
1875-76	26,102		34,525	352	60,979	19,725	80,704	44,770	8,552	12,365	...	125	65,811	
1876-77	25,743		35,707	410	61,860	20,326	82,186	45,020	7,118	11,974	...	58	64,170	
1877-78	25,006		39,602	443	65,051	21,880	86,931	44,689	8,253	14,709	...	207	67,858	
1878-79	25,100		47,473	345	72,918	23,160	96,078	40,767	6,972	19,149	...	58	66,946	
1879-80	30,519		70,867	939	102,325	32,092	134,417	51,629	10,139	30,356	...	70	92,194	
1880-81	37,097		63,351	562	101,010	28,756	129,766	50,051	10,772	25,851	...	86	86,760	
1881-82	37,612		44,290	3,840	85,742	24,909	110,651	51,323	6,189	14,501	...	5	72,018	
SINDH.														
1869-70	2,050	367	(a) 6,743	120	9,280	3,716	12,996	7,054	995	10,654	3	32	18,738	
1870-71	2,123	480	6,797	120	9,520	12,918	22,438	7,956	1,062	10,325	5	1	19,349	
1871-72	2,113	441	6,877	98	9,529	10,534	20,063	8,501	740	10,346	1	37	19,625	
1872-73	2,073	398	6,952	82	9,505	4,637	14,142	8,223	810	10,218	1	93	19,345	
1873-74	2,593		7,119	48	9,760	3,798	13,558	8,422	763	9,701	...	...	18,886	
1874-75	2,680		7,189	59	9,928	4,043	13,971	8,817	999	9,233	...	67	19,117	
1875-76	2,824		7,654	64	10,542	4,396	14,938	9,092	662	8,921	...	55	18,730	
1876-77	2,993		7,899	43	10,935	4,224	15,159	9,159	647	8,347	...	58	18,211	
1877-78	3,272		8,795	56	12,123	4,719	16,842	9,760	945	8,546	...	69	19,320	
1878-79	3,277		9,713	38	13,028	4,846	17,874	9,547	946	4,479	...	15	14,987	
1879-80	Included in		the Punjab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1880-81	4,570		7,937	108	12,615	2,600	15,215	3,229	282	369	...	4	3,884	
1881-82	7,305		8,447	183	15,935	5,374	21,309	11,995	1,370	1,493	...	49	14,809	

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YEARS.	REVENUE.							EXPENDITURE.					
	CASH POSTAGE		Sale of Ordinary Postage Stamps.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	Official Postage and Service Labels.	GRAND TOTAL.	Salaries and Establishments.	Miscellaneous & Contingences.	Mail Cart after deducting Charges for Passenger Service.	Bounty Money.	Construction and repairs of Buildings.	TOTAL.
	On Letters.	On Banghy Parcels.											
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
CENTRAL PROVINCES.													
1866-67 (11 months)	2,659	1,946	5,156	380	10,141	10,081	20,222	9,470	1,573	22,948	...	34	34,025
1867-68	3,005	1,741	6,029	168	10,943	10,715	21,658	11,429	2,332	23,605	...	35	37,401
1868-69	3,486	1,308	6,350	227	11,371	12,561	23,932	12,882	6,792	20,126	...	176	39,976
1869-70	3,837	1,163	(a) 6,399	224	11,623	8,812	20,435	14,768	2,627	27,439	...	130	44,964
1870-71	6,155	2,380	9,007	576	18,118	37,257	55,375	20,522	2,476	3,975	...	66	27,039
1871-72	6,704	1,456	9,239	228	17,627	15,919	33,546	20,561	1,736	290	...	60	22,647
1872-73	7,002	1,577	11,633	179	20,391	5,998	26,389	21,019	1,604	516	...	31	23,170
1873-74	8,364		10,367	93	18,824	5,779	24,603	21,988	2,762	516	...	83	25,349
1874-75	9,168		10,639	167	19,974	5,177	25,151	21,360	2,576	624	...	91	24,651
1875-76	9,550		11,401	94	21,045	5,606	26,651	21,398	1,985	1,064	...	59	24,506
1876-77	9,510		11,997	215	21,722	5,787	27,509	20,943	1,959	1,363	...	83	24,348
1877-78	9,996		14,772	18	24,906	6,090	30,996	21,069	1,847	1,355	...	65	24,336
1878-79	9,416		15,523	125	25,064	6,096	31,160	22,128	2,685	1,407	...	105	26,325
1879-80	8,816		16,554	176	25,546	6,137	31,683	21,890	2,631	1,512	...	87	26,120
1880-81	12,191		15,450	144	27,785	6,248	34,033	23,919	4,402	1,645	...	41	30,007
1881-82	15,021		14,618	346	29,985	6,326	36,311	26,224	4,904	1,642	...	55	32,825
BRITISH BURMA.													
1853-54	251	...	...	15	266	...	266	1,941	440	...	...	...	2,381
1854-55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,533	1,205	...	87	...	5,825
1855-56	661	248	1,441	77	2,427	2,618	5,045	3,708	2,536	...	38	...	6,282
1856-57	1,095	346	1,334	1,633	4,408	3,305	7,713	5,759	2,340	...	24	...	8,123
1857-58	982	286	1,402	660	3,330	5,234	8,564	5,652	1,601	...	133	...	7,386
1858-59	826	271	2,319	408	3,824	6,823	10,647	6,145	810	...	75	...	7,039
1859-60	772	248	2,297	113	3,430	6,575	10,005	6,229	829	...	7	4	7,069
1860-61	944	219	2,749	180	4,092	2,655	6,747	5,495	642	...	14	...	6,151
1861-62	852	185	2,860	23	3,920	2,469	6,389	5,946	344	...	3	1	6,294
1862-63	991	194	4,241	95	5,521	3,156	8,677	7,535	447	...	7	2	7,991
1863-64	1,209	216	4,389	32	5,846	3,823	9,669	7,681	231	...	22	21	7,955
1864-65	1,215	208	4,098	73	5,594	4,359	9,953	7,972	496	...	72	26	8,566
1865-66	1,340	241	5,383	84	7,048	4,785	11,833	7,844	184	...	118	...	8,146
1866-67 (11 months)	1,329	237	4,603	245	6,414	3,525	9,939	6,582	223	...	174	...	6,979
1867-68	1,437	315	5,997	71	7,820	2,266	10,086	7,289	247	...	186	...	7,722
1868-69	1,618	397	8,208	78	10,301	2,552	12,853	7,498	575	...	144	...	8,217
1869-70	1,542	542	(a) 8,077	270	10,431	2,879	13,310	7,725	744	...	133	...	8,602
1870-71	1,465	623	8,163	211	10,462	2,392	12,854	7,936	455	...	70	...	8,461
1871-72	1,563	560	8,520	143	10,786	1,947	12,733	8,067	545	...	17	1	8,630
1872-73	1,811	523	9,307	135	11,776	977	12,753	9,182	890	...	4	11	10,087
1873-74	2,500		9,626	84	12,210	1,040	13,250	7,924	367	...	8	6	8,305
1874-75	2,967		10,047	81	13,095	1,089	14,184	7,923	630	...	10	...	8,563
1875-76	3,589		11,264	103	14,956	1,336	16,292	7,554	662	...	4	...	8,220
1876-77	4,334		10,442	116	14,892	1,539	16,431	8,267	803	84	6	...	9,160
1877-78	4,615		11,532	165	16,312	1,499	17,811	9,325	1,066	86	6	6	10,489
1878-79	5,902		12,756	145	18,803	1,414	20,217	10,037	1,118	151	12	21	11,339
1879-80	7,379		13,432	258	21,069	1,710	22,779	10,788	1,204	135	10	1	12,138
1880-81	9,505		13,205	214	22,924	1,802	24,726	11,628	1,375	132	10	...	13,145
1881-82	12,055		11,100	190	23,345	2,043	25,388	11,864	1,639	168	12	...	13,683

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Several PROVINCES [other than BENGAL, MADRAS and BOMBAY], in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82—continued.

YEARS.	REVENUE.							EXPENDITURE.					
	CASH POSTAGE		Sale of Ordinary Postage Stamps.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	Official Postage and Service Labels.	GRAND TOTAL.	Salaries and Establishments.	Miscellaneous & Contingencies.	Mail Cart after deducting Charges for Passenger Service.	Bounty Money.	Construction and repairs of Buildings.	TOTAL.
	On Letters.	On Banghy Parcels.											
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
ODDH.													
1871-72	5,782	757	4,949	43	11,531	11,683	23,214	6,829	966	1,168	...	14	8,877
1872-73	6,286	606	5,261	35	12,188	3,156	15,344	8,047	1,159	967	...	40	10,213
1873-74	6,910		5,588	58	12,556	2,954	15,510	8,080	1,576	329	...	7	9,992
1874-75	7,483		5,894	89	13,466	3,026	16,492	8,265	1,147	360	...	33	9,805
1875-76	7,983		6,454	67	14,504	3,109	17,613	9,754	1,483	567	...	13	11,817
1876-77	8,198		6,745	54	14,997	3,187	18,184	10,840	1,835	641	...	12	13,328
1877-78	8,420		7,233	67	15,720	3,144	18,864	11,718	1,698	600	...	37	14,053
1878-79	7,684		7,940	55	15,679	3,511	19,190	10,261	1,949	336	...	7	12,553
1879-80	7,197		8,238	141	15,576	3,645	19,221	10,414	1,443	400	...	28	12,285
1880-81	9,052		9,133	103	18,288	3,762	22,050	11,560	1,328	660	...	43	13,591
1881-82	10,868		8,670	105	19,643	4,083	23,726	13,169	1,973	599	...	38	15,779
ASSAM.													
1874-75	3,947		6,325	43	10,315	1,673	11,988	13,015	1,603	...	...	63	14,681
1875-76	4,282		7,055	50	11,387	1,882	13,269	14,138	1,060	...	...	64	15,262
1876-77	4,598		7,521	56	12,175	1,876	14,051	14,502	1,502	...	...	97	16,101
1877-78	4,552		7,738	171	12,461	1,780	14,241	14,311	1,638	4	...	63	16,016
1878-79	4,569		8,432	68	13,069	1,777	14,846	16,050	2,573	...	...	169	18,792
1879-80	4,938		9,186	283	14,407	1,980	16,387	17,480	2,230	...	...	147	19,357
1880-81	7,104		8,287	182	15,573	2,329	17,902	18,510	3,131	40	...	180	21,861
1881-82	8,752		7,433	90	16,275	2,448	18,723	20,421	2,053	...	...	137	22,611
BEHAR.													
1879-80	15,317		17,432	87	32,836	3,179	36,015	18,495	1,117	140	...	90	19,842
1879-80	15,422		18,572	290	34,284	3,184	37,468	19,191	1,072	50	...	111	20,424
1880-81	18,377		16,026	143	34,546	3,235	37,781	21,872	1,852	49	...	79	23,852
1881-82	21,299		15,097	107	36,503	3,309	39,812	23,940	2,359	57	...	289	26,645
RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE													
1879-80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51,124	40,538	...	...	6	91,668
1880-81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60,118	55,185	...	...	48	115,351
1881-82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68,787	68,706	...	...	285	137,778
EASTERN BENGAL.													
1878-79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,306	37,750	...	...	11	83,067
1879-80	6,027		9,584	66	15,677	1,187	16,864	12,667	916	...	...	63	13,646
1880-81	8,887		9,028	49	17,464	1,227	18,691	13,742	963	...	...	297	15,002
1881-82	10,095		8,336	63	18,494	1,297	19,791	15,303	1,567	...	...	218	17,088
CENTRAL INDIA.													
1880-81	7,264		7,307	92	14,663	1,525	16,188	9,571	768	118	...	2	10,459
1881-82	9,107		6,470	48	15,625	1,557	17,182	10,085	2,197	182	...	6	12,420

DETAIL of RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS for each SEPARATE DEPARTMENT managed by the

YEARS.	BULLOCK TRAIN.										MILITARY VAN DAK.		DĀK BEARERS.							
	BENGAL.		NORTH- WESTERN PROVINCES.		PUNJAB.		CENTRAL PROVINCES.		ODH.		PUNJAB.		BENGAL.		NORTH- WESTERN PROVINCES.		PUN- JAB.		BENGAL.	
	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1853-54	4,393	7,965	39,510	26,326	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1854-55	...	14,762	...	23,508	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1855-56	13,670	15,172	50,174	25,536	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1856-57	16,666	28,616	46,981	28,998	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	119
1857-58	3,127	10,866	14,210	33,941	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,214	1,214
1858-59	3,450	424	71,978	57,075	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	561	561
1859-60	14,941	13,014	94,479	47,525	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,582	6,982	5,479	4,400	...	...	1,185	1,185
1860-61	24,982	33,458	90,716	65,839	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,611	5,130	5,210	4,164	...	...	1,013	1,013
1861-62	25,605	30,606	46,592	31,873	42,428	17,043	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,224	4,851	4,726	3,782	117	99	922	922
1862-63	13,916	26,165	62,166	47,334	40,397	13,775	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,386	7,364	4,392	4,368	74	74	782	782
1863-64	13,677	18,606	65,887	54,054	45,879	18,002	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,692	2,717	3,637	3,583	20	21	...	...
1864-65	716	4,581	1,655	6,492	1,802	3,166	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	53	1,799	1,906	10	10	...	...
1865-66	1,047	825	38	...	...	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	168	168	...	...	53	53
1866-67 (11 months)	4,881	5,614	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,667	11,486	...	6	181	181	...	...	511	511
1867-68	8,896	6,517	...	275	...	30	...	...	...	...	13,938	13,800	...	...	81	81	...	...	1,413	1,413
1868-69	29,031	36,682	27,178	27,921	45,148	24,291	...	...	...	...	16,643	16,853	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,456	2,456
1869-70	α 24,072	{ 39,364 +242 }	30,280	30,248	48,102	31,116	2,371	691	...	...	25,650	25,285	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,989	2,989
1870-71	15,737	28,287	23,807	21,239	39,131	39,240	576	252	...	...	21,494	23,343	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,456	3,456
1871-72	15,904	28,112	17,303	17,138	48,242	47,757	93	1,459	2,120	968	20,607	21,054	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,543	3,543
1872-73	13,279	23,155	14,466	10,193	52,668	44,634	120	49	582	309	31,681	25,075	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,057	4,057
1873-74	6,471	10,514	11,741	9,172	57,982	48,035	58	45	...	37	30,859	26,765	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,773	3,773
1874-75	7,064	11,212	10,943	7,415	65,002	43,577	67	23	...	53	30,403	27,381	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,059	3,059
1875-76	7,700	11,059	10,950	8,419	62,277	46,916	31	13	...	14	25,897	26,557	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,930	4,930
1876-77	9,569	10,253	11,489	9,449	58,121	41,205	2	...	...	8	23,954	23,080	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,060	3,060
CENTRAL INDIA.																				
1877-78	8,757	10,317	9,735	6,628	52,813	43,208	...	...	...	149	22,986	20,023	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,442	2,442
1878-79	9,694	11,060	15,233	10,834	85,627	58,384	...	...	...	147	27,062	22,363	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1879-80	10,089	11,833	12,509	7,795	117,518	89,250	...	...	...	95	30,039	28,688	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1880-81	8,984	9,796	8,566	6,079	82,710	80,465	170	167	...	108	25,114	33,306	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1881-82	6,406	6,017	132	112	30,446	29,626	43	32	...	2	3,959	6,818	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(α) Includes £40 realised in British Burma.

† On account of British Burma.

* { £3,685 Passenger
£18,461 Military

(b) Includes £15,755

POST OFFICE.

[Account No. 113]

No. 113.

POST OFFICE in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

PASSENGER SERVICE.												STAGING BUNGALOW FUND.						SUBSIDY PAYMENTS TO B. I. S. N. Co.		TOTAL.	
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.		PUNJAB.		CENTRAL PROVINCES.		BOMBAY.		MADRAS.		SINDH.		BENGAL.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.		PUNJAB.		BENGAL.	BRITISH BURMA.		
Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.	Charges.	Charges.	Receipts.	Charges.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
6,437	6,437	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,688	12,518	...	...	...	...	65,028	53,246
7,675	7,675	...	...	...	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,969	5,046	...	...	...	...	14,644	51,991
8,554	8,554	...	...	...	...	1,047	1,047	...	...	...	...	1,349	998	6,406	5,224	...	...	...	...	81,200	56,531
9,122	9,122	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	98	...	...	1,475	1,483	5,952	5,372	...	...	...	...	80,413	73,808
10,111	10,111	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	104	...	...	1,270	934	3,763	2,839	...	...	...	...	33,799	60,009
10,884	10,884	...	...	...	...	...	...	166	166	...	...	2,173	1,264	5,638	4,336	...	...	...	...	94,850	74,710
13,220	13,220	...	...	...	...	207	207	334	334	...	...	2,210	1,767	7,245	5,327	...	...	...	...	146,882	93,961
12,331	12,331	...	...	...	...	130	130	432	432	...	...	2,276	1,904	6,897	5,908	...	...	...	...	149,598	130,309
6,168	6,168	7,689	7,689	...	...	510	510	226	226	...	...	2,185	1,176	3,797	2,542	2,519	1,317	...	...	148,708	108,804
4,819	4,819	6,610	6,610	...	...	1,039	1,039	364	364	...	...	1,946	1,286	3,856	1,882	2,515	1,088	...	...	150,262	116,950
4,319	4,319	4,854	4,854	...	...	1,336	1,336	498	498	...	...	1,479	882	4,553	1,818	2,780	1,046	...	...	151,611	111,736
2,755	2,755	2,042	2,042	...	...	690	690	290	290	...	...	...	37	...	10	...	...	...	...	11,763	22,032
3,574	3,574	1,474	1,474	...	...	910	910	298	298	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,562	7,346
2,222	2,222	1,656	1,656	989	989	262	262	154	154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,521	23,081
2,290	2,290	2,516	2,516	1,252	1,252	736	736	136	136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,258	29,046
2,334	2,334	3,644	3,644	3,685	*22,146	1,135	1,135	157	157	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	131,411	137,619
2,042	2,042	1,517	1,517	7,863	623,618	1,218	1,218	91	91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50,558	...	146,195	208,979
1,633	1,633	2,806	2,806	338	1426	1,036	1,036	71	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77,469	...	110,085	199,253
2,082	2,082	5,779	5,779	229	229	1,429	1,429	36	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,869	...	117,367	206,455
1,108	1,108	6,610	6,610	...	...	864	864	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64,869	...	125,436	180,924
1,491	1,491	6,400	6,400	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,996	...	118,779	183,232
...	...	5,697	5,697	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71,208	...	124,714	172,104
297	297	6,481	6,481	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,383	445	118,563	181,514
210	210	7,049	7,049	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71,200	...	113,454	165,514
BEHAR.																					
114	114	6,086	6,086	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70,851	...	102,933	159,818
107	107	9,374	9,374	12	12	...	...	...	...	266	266	...	...	...	...	...	...	71,200	...	147,375	183,747
149	149	16,536	16,536	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	186,840	225,546
112	112	19,957	19,957	...	...	...	...	...	...	260	260	...	...	...	...	...	...	70,928	...	145,873	221,178
85	85	19,677	19,677	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71,200	...	60,748	133,569

Service.

Transport Train.

on account of Military Transport Train.

† Includes £88 on account of Military Transport Train.

Account No. 114]

POST OFFICE.

Account No. 114.

TOTAL NUMBER of LETTERS, NEWSPAPERS and PARCELS received for delivery in the POST OFFICES in INDIA, in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	LETTERS.							NEWSPAPERS.			
	Post Cards.	Paid.	Service.	Unpaid.	Registered.	Insured.	TOTAL.	Paid.	Service.	Unpaid.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ESTIMATED.											
1853-54 ...	...	4,547,868	5,084,904	7,625,004	2,484	...	17,260,260	158,232	308,256	1,358,412	1,824,900
1854-55 ...	...	16,901,076	4,996,272	4,270,860	224,052	...	26,392,260	601,944	231,780	1,795,668	2,629,392
1855-56 ...	...	15,948,888	5,639,520	7,580,400	334,908	...	29,503,716	813,396	211,728	2,108,028	3,133,152
1856-57 ...	...	16,873,620	6,571,656	10,042,452	376,248	...	33,863,976	1,134,156	316,884	2,321,652	3,772,692
1857-58 ...	...	18,322,992	7,495,764	11,217,180	422,904	...	37,458,840	2,387,256	353,364	2,531,424	5,272,044
1858-59 ...	...	21,804,672	8,813,532	14,632,044	493,224	...	45,743,472	3,303,768	302,880	2,720,208	6,326,856
1859-60 ...	...	19,788,708	8,182,932	14,099,916	566,424	...	42,637,980	4,784,028	478,740	†	5,262,768
1860-61 ...	...	19,589,424	8,769,876	14,065,848	556,560	...	42,981,708	4,242,684	409,584	†	4,652,268
1861-62 ...	...	18,434,934	8,989,469	14,328,376	594,391	...	42,347,170	3,325,364	447,660	456,253	4,229,277
1862-63 ...	...	19,270,039	8,950,575	15,378,296	647,163	...	44,246,073	3,606,312	504,320	447,949	4,558,581
1863-64 ...	...	20,564,883	8,938,121	16,642,233	762,417	...	46,907,654	3,758,881	480,465	409,594	4,648,850
1864-65 ...	...	21,970,586	9,722,684	18,459,573	916,474	...	51,069,317	3,992,127	523,154	402,048	4,917,329
1865-66 ...	...	22,435,572	11,384,467	19,904,301	1,072,964	...	54,797,304	4,157,879	550,934	425,787	5,134,600
1866-67 (11 months) ...	...	25,903,285	7,267,713	19,788,769	1,097,253	...	54,057,020	4,117,524	325,693	382,179	4,825,396
1867-68 ...	...	34,995,281	3,983,830	22,321,703	1,266,441	...	62,567,255	4,916,296	117,074	377,740	5,411,110
1868-69 ...	...	38,904,155	4,017,709	24,612,666	1,356,702	...	68,891,232	5,280,970	98,753	393,862	5,773,585
1869-70 ...	...	44,068,194	4,117,424	26,594,484	1,487,816	...	76,867,918	5,662,137	97,289	405,613	6,165,039
1870-71 ...	...	45,253,070	3,179,225	27,284,923	1,585,856	...	77,303,074	6,121,756	64,451	379,116	6,565,323
1871-72 ...	...	...	50,526,310	28,420,046	1,690,292	...	80,636,648	6,493,496	...	346,624	6,840,120
1872-73 ...	...	...	52,080,653	29,205,293	1,841,152	...	83,127,098	7,532,335	...	395,757	7,928,092
1873-74 ...	...	59,394,635	6,942,916	29,963,258	2,230,819	...	98,531,628	...	8,762,200	...	8,762,200
1874-75 ...	...	63,260,336	7,418,835	31,231,458	2,442,447	...	104,353,076	...	9,365,586	...	9,365,586
1875-76 ...	...	65,518,686	7,959,282	31,555,468	2,543,507	...	107,576,943	...	9,423,670	...	9,423,670
1876-77 ...	...	66,558,269	9,526,070	31,355,998	2,611,003	...	110,051,340	...	9,880,679	...	9,880,679
1877-78 ...	...	76,038,932	3,529,891	32,773,919	2,746,594	...	115,089,336	...	10,999,758	...	10,999,758
1878-79 ...	...	80,518,479	3,805,597	31,429,552	2,845,981	...	118,599,609	...	10,276,990	...	10,276,990
1879-80 ...	7,471,984	83,712,908	4,260,422	30,099,109	3,022,635	...	128,567,058	...	11,251,021	...	11,251,021
1880-81 ...	14,865,121	91,240,538	4,835,130	29,884,636	2,712,680	...	143,538,105	...	11,942,304	...	11,942,304
1881-82 ...	21,953,265	94,529,057	4,615,268	28,747,295	3,160,404	88,382	153,093,671	...	12,526,800	...	12,526,800

YEARS.	PARCELS.				TOTAL.*				Total number of Covers returned undelivered.
	Paid.	Service.	Unpaid.	TOTAL.	Paid and Registered.	Unpaid.	Service.	TOTAL.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
1853-54 ...	42,300	94,248	159,792	296,340	4,750,884	9,143,208	5,487,408	19,381,500	...
1854-55 ...	157,488	168,648	137,424	463,560	17,884,560	6,203,952	5,396,700	29,485,212	...
1855-56 ...	159,504	178,272	139,572	477,348	17,256,696	9,828,000	6,029,520	33,114,216	...
1856-57 ...	144,516	195,792	152,016	492,324	18,528,540	12,516,120	7,084,332	38,128,992	...
1857-58 ...	141,672	226,644	164,940	533,256	21,274,824	13,913,544	8,075,772	43,264,140	...
1858-59 ...	189,444	229,200	206,628	625,272	25,791,108	17,558,880	9,345,612	52,695,600	...
1859-60 ...	333,780	230,292	†	564,072	20,355,132	14,099,916	8,891,964	48,464,820	...
1860-61 ...	317,172	246,504	†	563,676	20,145,984	14,065,848	9,425,964	48,197,652	...
1861-62 ...	146,342	242,304	172,913	561,559	22,501,031	14,957,542	9,679,433	47,138,006	...
1862-63 ...	150,770	227,002	178,504	556,276	23,674,284	16,004,749	9,681,897	49,360,930	...
1863-64 ...	149,346	229,978	176,930	556,254	25,235,527	17,228,667	9,648,564	52,112,758	...
1864-65 ...	162,777	259,531	168,786	591,094	27,041,964	19,030,407	10,505,369	56,577,740	...
1865-66 ...	154,181	267,642	157,250	579,073	27,820,596	20,487,338	12,203,043	60,510,977	...
1866-67 (11 months) ...	187,528	224,140	151,157	562,825	31,305,590	20,322,105	7,817,546	59,445,241	...
1867-68 ...	239,528	244,399	167,499	651,426	41,417,546	22,866,942	4,345,303	68,629,791	...
1868-69 ...	256,131	277,595	165,480	699,206	45,797,958	25,172,008	4,394,057	75,364,023	...
1869-70 ...	335,197	258,409	171,305	764,911	52,153,344	27,171,402	4,473,122	83,797,868	...
1870-71 ...	348,805	150,509	194,923	694,237	53,309,487	27,858,962	3,394,185	84,562,634	...
1871-72 ...	467,588	...	208,000	675,588	59,177,686	28,974,670	†	88,152,356	...
1872-73 ...	431,183	...	222,218	653,401	61,885,323	29,823,268	†	91,708,591	...
1873-74 ...	...	605,312	...	605,312	70,992,966	29,963,258	6,942,916	107,899,140	4,935,838(a)
1874-75 ...	...	792,462	...	792,462	75,860,831	31,231,458	7,418,835	114,511,124	4,947,431(a)
1875-76 ...	...	851,915	...	851,915	78,337,778	31,555,468	7,959,282	117,852,528	4,574,207
1876-77 ...	...	990,661	...	990,661	80,040,612	31,355,998	9,526,070	120,922,680	4,690,411
1877-78 ...	...	909,962	...	909,962	90,695,246	32,773,919	3,529,891	126,999,056	5,043,322
1878-79 ...	...	998,901	...	998,901	94,640,351	31,429,552	3,805,597	129,875,500	5,418,138
1879-80 ...	...	1,074,262	...	1,074,262	106,532,810	30,099,109	4,260,422	140,892,341	5,517,503
1880-81 ...	...	699,887	380,981	1,080,868	121,460,530	30,265,617	4,835,130	156,531,277	5,691,601
1881-82 ...	522,444	153,560	128,038	348,028	133,061,950	29,095,323	4,615,268	166,772,541	5,991,997

* Exclusive of Packets.

† Shown under "Paid."

† Shown under "Paid and Registered."

(a) Inclusive of Books and Patterns.

(b) Includes Service and Unpaid Newspapers and Parcels.

POST OFFICE.

[Account No. 115]

Account No. 115.

NUMBER of PAID, UNPAID, SERVICE, and REGISTERED LETTERS received for delivery in the POST OFFICES in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	North-Western Provinces.	Punjab.	British Burma.	Central Provinces.	Sindh.	Oudh.	Rajpootana.	Assam.	Behar.	Eastern Bengal.	Central India.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ESTIMATED.															
1853-54	4,072,188	3,664,044	3,055,320	6,468,708	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,260,260
1854-55	5,300,628	4,978,224	5,807,952	10,305,456	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,392,260
1855-56	6,055,392	5,172,372	6,562,716	11,713,236	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,503,716
1856-57	6,663,696	6,452,256	7,888,992	12,859,032	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33,863,976
1857-58	7,253,544	6,881,208	10,466,484	12,857,604	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37,458,840
1858-59	8,092,032	7,799,748	13,172,940	16,678,752	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,743,472
1859-60	7,896,180	7,267,224	11,625,144	15,849,432	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42,637,980
1860-61	8,187,528	8,067,684	11,289,624	15,436,872	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42,981,708
1861-62	8,380,096	7,762,409	9,898,651	11,193,020	4,814,079	298,915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42,347,170
1862-63	8,676,250	7,739,507	10,487,690	11,464,510	5,548,515	329,601	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44,246,073
1863-64	8,791,061	7,812,675	11,951,477	12,149,613	5,838,842	363,986	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46,907,654
1864-65	10,075,457	8,135,068	13,094,357	13,150,228	6,255,316	358,891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51,069,317
1865-66	11,386,491	8,722,036	13,299,827	14,305,071	6,710,654	373,225	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,797,304
1866-67	10,901,583	8,643,915	11,559,757	13,299,957	7,828,838	354,345	1,468,625	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,057,020
months.)															
1867-68	12,644,174	9,766,251	14,042,686	14,674,003	9,244,093	395,734	1,800,314	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62,567,255
1868-69	14,021,203	10,734,799	15,834,942	15,954,773	9,887,641	477,995	1,979,879	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68,891,232
1869-70	16,104,108	11,668,931	17,811,238	17,136,627	9,451,271	528,962	2,225,390	1,941,391	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,867,918
1870-71	17,642,921	11,807,976	15,512,793	17,314,348	9,111,413	540,919	3,344,943	2,027,761	...	...	...	...	...	...	77,303,074
1871-72	18,733,733	12,227,418	15,808,782	16,086,246	9,486,305	585,655	3,547,957	2,109,415	2,051,137	...	...	...	...	...	80,636,648
1872-73	19,479,037	12,767,346	15,873,064	14,797,338	10,125,521	640,799	3,729,243	2,195,544	2,321,572	1,197,634	...	...	...	...	83,127,098
1873-74	26,003,744	14,798,993	17,117,582	15,336,878	12,024,144	1,011,256	4,493,376	3,009,943	2,628,338	2,107,374	...	...	...	...	98,531,628
1874-75	25,667,425	16,771,932	18,345,470	16,099,941	11,503,051	951,841	4,830,880	3,240,601	2,696,230	2,557,111	1,688,594	...	...	...	104,353,076
1875-76	25,352,034	18,034,746	19,046,662	17,108,180	12,077,600	1,067,333	4,494,739	3,233,482	2,846,982	2,645,395	1,669,790	...	...	...	107,576,943
1876-77	26,149,665	19,548,124	20,401,751	16,293,054	11,885,415	765,191	4,700,939	3,061,481	2,912,806	2,625,393	1,707,521	...	...	...	110,051,340
1877-78	25,847,606	19,843,462	22,556,506	17,059,942	12,567,783	1,242,122	5,244,869	3,366,172	2,942,053	2,814,671	1,604,150	...	...	...	115,089,336
1878-79	21,353,907	19,817,467	22,157,690	17,517,732	14,372,423	1,369,845	5,448,304	2,845,462	3,099,346	2,936,790	1,760,343	5,920,300	...	...	118,599,609
1879-80	20,086,318	21,426,222	23,786,334	17,909,852	20,799,457	1,703,329	5,738,303	a	3,290,286	2,881,044	1,994,919	6,081,261	2,869,733	...	128,567,058
1880-81	22,209,051	23,573,786	25,929,600	17,785,380	18,948,662	1,821,794	6,078,919	5,433,495	3,933,292	3,239,480	2,365,331	6,578,839	3,195,367	2,445,109	143,538,105
1881-82	24,085,255	25,353,787	28,913,475	18,825,214	19,486,151	1,961,796	6,820,599	4,172,706	4,234,287	3,513,751	2,709,134	6,834,521	3,513,464	2,669,531	153,093,671

NUMBER of PAID, UNPAID, and SERVICE NEWSPAPERS received for delivery in the POST OFFICES in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	North-Western Provinces.	Punjab.	British Burma.	Central Provinces.	Sindh.	Oudh.	Rajpootana.	Assam.	Behar.	Eastern Bengal.	Central India.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ESTIMATED.															
1853-54	536,784	290,520	456,564	541,032	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,824,900
1854-55	667,812	536,376	520,932	904,272	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,629,392
1855-56	884,004	600,732	575,700	1,072,716	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,133,152
1856-57	1,019,496	747,960	871,092	1,134,144	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,772,692
1857-58	1,314,564	987,924	1,213,572	1,755,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,272,044
1858-59	1,376,196	1,018,692	2,060,628	1,871,340	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,326,856
1859-60	1,132,392	1,083,684	1,414,116	1,632,576	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,262,768
1860-61	1,112,592	980,028	1,196,136	1,363,512	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,652,268
1861-62	977,422	880,447	846,449	901,211	534,308	89,440	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,229,277
1862-63	1,053,368	941,071	954,771	926,163	578,449	104,759	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,558,581
1863-64	943,648	1,023,887	1,030,814	915,964	617,752	116,785	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,648,850
1864-65	1,092,284	1,037,104	1,044,406	998,133	627,591	117,811	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,917,329
1865-66	1,227,962	1,010,109	1,095,212	1,028,453	657,451	115,413	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,134,600
1866-67	1,048,979	954,644	956,697	927,478	667,397	106,474	163,727	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,825,396
months.)															
1867-68	1,178,078	1,063,502	1,122,986	978,845	757,079	119,859	190,761	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,411,110
1868-69	1,215,219	1,182,858	1,288,748	1,031,788	743,944	148,801	162,227	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,773,585
1869-70	1,284,524	1,221,298	1,234,444	1,139,876	786,163	161,684	185,141	151,909	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,165,039
1870-71	1,350,503	1,276,487	1,182,316	1,272,314	878,376	172,390	266,570	166,367	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,565,323
1871-72	1,418,578	1,299,248	1,232,252	1,182,287	850,523	180,311	265,507	183,274	228,140	...	...	...	...	...	6,840,120
1872-73	1,628,798	1,521,428	1,472,259	1,218,773	1,000,693	200,345	318,297	227,525	262,404	77,570	...	...	...	...	7,928,092
1873-74	2,208,144	1,485,677	1,409,654	1,273,666	1,121,331	287,513	353,083	276,695	237,354	109,083	...	...	...	...	8,762,200
1874-75	2,106,441	1,680,564	1,467,691	1,316,006	1,174,465	289,420	381,504	280,607	256,255	135,233	277,400	...	...	...	9,365,586
1875-76	1,890,722	1,716,804	1,423,043	1,439,129	1,269,546	357,225	383,227	247,702	228,805	149,554	317,913	...	...	...	9,423,670
1876-77	1,912,313	1,975,501	1,517,044	1,415,234	1,491,261	216,625	361,246	274,455	291,322	153,483	330,195	...	...	...	9,880,679
1877-78	2,211,144	2,083,055	1,776,272	1,511,989	1,510,162	331,887	408,200	333,698	304,204	173,532	355,615	...	...	...	10,999,758
1878-79	1,711,120	1,940,574	1,649,487	1,497,830	1,596,249	367,398	371,753	283,318	260,583	154,369	*	444,309	...	...	10,276,990
1879-80	1,549,435	1,949,238	1,697,927	1,415,766	2,343,210	441,108	381,032	a	283,754	168,203	324,195	416,063	221,090	...	11,251,021
1880-81	1,562,513	2,268,240	1,713,127	1,270,044	1,820,985	434,063	396,625	674,755	323,155	160,783	417,742	436,357	229,689	234,226	11,942,304
1881-82	1,773,326	2,346,637	1,907,803	1,370,784	1,848,647	457,345	441,207	334,679	365,860	204,869	442,067	482,999	263,739	286,838	12,526,800

* Not separately shown, being included in packets.

(a) Punjab includes Sindh.

Account No. 115—continued.

NUMBER of PAID, UNPAID, and SERVICE PARCELS received for delivery in the POST OFFICES in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

YEARS.			Bengal.	Madras.	Bombay.	North-Western Provinces.	Punjab.	British Burma.	Central Provinces.	Sindh.	Oudh.	Rajpootana.	Assam.	Behar.	Eastern Bengal.	Central India.	TOTAL.
			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ESTIMATED.	1853-54	...	114,660	59,844	40,392	81,444	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	296,340
	1854-55	...	129,036	75,252	73,872	185,400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	463,560
	1855-56	...	126,552	83,496	81,708	185,592	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	477,348
	1856-57	...	119,844	86,892	96,804	188,784	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	492,324
	1857-58	...	162,120	83,496	106,188	181,452	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	533,256
	1858-59	...	174,768	94,020	116,184	240,300	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	625,272
	1859-60	...	159,960	82,596	105,732	215,784	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	564,072
	1860-61	...	160,764	89,592	98,076	215,244	...	...	...	Not separately shown.	...	...	...	...	...	...	563,676
	1861-62	...	151,399	91,140	83,120	164,116	66,562	5,222	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	561,559
	1862-63	...	137,781	85,747	89,038	165,085	72,463	6,162	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	556,256
	1863-64	...	113,398	90,025	98,622	170,685	75,339	8,185	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	556,254
	1864-65	...	128,425	107,546	106,414	160,285	82,729	5,695	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	591,094
	1865-66	...	128,082	106,879	103,075	153,261	81,841	5,935	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	579,073
	1866-67 (11 months)	...	111,212	107,948	85,336	132,649	89,876	5,823	29,981		...	...	...	...	...	...	562,825
	1867-68	...	131,643	118,174	106,856	147,726	109,456	6,984	30,587		...	...	...	...	...	...	651,426
	1868-69	...	146,884	115,237	118,016	150,764	128,422	9,110	30,773		...	...	...	...	...	...	699,206
	1869-70	...	160,627	127,402	136,217	160,550	116,371	8,502	28,467	26,775	...	...	...	...	...	...	753,112
	1870-71	...	150,594	117,265	84,638	150,054	127,410	5,997	33,484	24,795	...	...	...	...	...	...	694,237
	1871-72	...	144,233	133,596	75,668	146,006	89,647	5,667	33,530	25,475	21,766	...	...	...	...	...	675,588
	1872-73	...	163,914	124,789	67,403	111,710	98,065	5,712	28,660	19,856	23,188	10,104	...	...	...	...	653,401
	1873-74	...	168,293	95,784	78,161	116,798	66,064	9,177	22,369	12,148	17,200	19,318	...	...	...	...	605,312
	1874-75	...	188,053	134,607	93,830	143,601	107,493	10,454	29,955	12,043	28,079	25,576	18,771	...	...	...	792,462
	1875-76	...	192,171	124,117	108,145	166,408	114,041	11,111	32,312	13,181	47,897	26,512	16,020	...	...	...	851,915
	1876-77	...	242,229	130,931	139,718	179,606	126,003	9,868	33,944	14,144	67,524	29,617	17,077	...	...	...	990,661
	1877-78	...	200,853	115,339	118,600	177,859	100,401	14,444	30,450	16,835	78,579	39,551	17,051	...	...	...	909,962
	1878-79	...	156,064	115,236	125,612	194,154	153,613	20,675	32,849	11,680	80,326	36,031	22,056	50,605	...	...	998,901
	1879-80	...	144,962	117,904	130,113	178,112	227,234	29,201	37,254	a	62,011	41,331	25,515	55,658	24,967	...	1,074,262
	1880-81	...	142,559	127,124	134,294	157,889	201,506	28,496	39,054	34,935	40,620	42,522	37,256	49,458	21,196	23,959	1,080,868
	1881-82	...	184,977	154,604	156,141	148,632	175,252	29,905	43,617	27,557	42,445	37,960	36,891	57,879	26,671	29,539	1,152,070

POST OFFICE.

[Account Nos. 116 & 117]

Account No. 116.

NUMBER of each denomination of ENVELOPES, NOTE PAPERS, and LABELS SOLD by the POSTAL DEPARTMENT, and the TOTAL VALUE REALISED, from 1856-57 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	½-Anna.	¾-Anna.	1-Anna.	1½-Anna.	2-Anna.	3-Anna.	4-Anna.	8-Pie and 9-Pie.	6-Anna 8 Pie.	6-Anna.	8-Anna.	12-Anna.	1-Rupce.	TOTAL VALUE.	Discount.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£
1856-57 ...	...	15,607,366	2,372,052	...	417,527	...	531,076	...	...	...	109,042	...	...	86,992	..
1857-58 ...	...	13,731,751	2,158,579	...	605,508	...	622,259	...	...	...	106,959	...	...	85,349	...
1858-59 ...	...	17,115,188	2,895,358	...	941,371	...	1,058,729	...	...	...	197,260	...	...	119,888	...
1859-60 ...	...	18,187,795	3,440,594	...	1,015,387	...	1,485,969	2,088	...	...	323,557	...	...	144,904	...
1860-61 ...	...	19,471,369	4,122,036	...	1,212,376	...	1,572,553	223,803	...	...	347,970	...	...	159,935	...
ANNUAL AVERAGE ...	...	17,126,526	3,154,142	...	943,661	...	1,184,803	112,945	...	...	243,712	...	...	127,519	...
1861-62 ...	...	20,107,687	5,238,014	...	1,367,129	...	1,764,763	310,452	...	...	379,426	...	...	175,992	...
1862-63 ...	...	21,313,794	5,649,424	...	1,507,243	...	1,770,209	322,127	...	...	448,273	...	...	189,309	...
1863-64 ...	...	22,957,415	6,196,998	...	1,759,778	...	1,940,062	834,608	...	...	488,415	...	...	210,011	...
1864-65 ...	...	24,481,370	6,708,457	...	1,940,978	...	2,100,424	1,015,405	...	...	554,886	...	...	228,009	...
ANNUAL AVERAGE ...	...	22,215,067	5,948,223	...	1,643,782	...	1,893,865	620,648	...	...	467,750	...	...	200,830	...
1865-66 ...	...	25,390,875	7,199,000	...	2,062,903	...	2,250,597	1,122,261	...	...	659,295	...	...	244,611	...
1866-67 (11 months) ...	...	25,714,661	7,802,578	...	2,041,285	...	2,170,749	1,146,269	103,427	8,798	690,010	...	...	252,974	...
1867-68 ...	...	26,846,533	7,865,712	...	1,957,845	...	2,019,013	803,163	365,205	5,244	534,520	...	...	254,226	12,480
1868-69 ...	...	28,661,363	8,144,824	...	2,302,171	...	2,174,464	1,128,362	204,949	845	973,680	...	...	285,980	13,863
ANNUAL AVERAGE ...	...	26,653,358	7,753,029	...	2,091,051	...	2,153,706	1,050,014	224,527	4,962	714,376	...	...	259,448	13,172
1869-70 ...	...	31,485,786	6,760,259	...	1,922,277	...	2,083,503	1,162,264	162,392	88	1,088,375	...	...	282,899*	13,843
1870-71 ...	...	33,269,084	6,972,968	...	1,991,278	...	2,211,095	1,170,585	92,022	511	1,150,907	...	...	294,089†	14,564
1871-72 ...	...	37,734,480	5,599,815	...	1,853,357	...	2,272,753	1,004,318	25,844	440	1,316,104	...	...	304,079†	14,616
1872-73 ...	...	42,557,098	4,209,830	...	1,796,302	...	2,277,885	825,747	26,707	117	1,386,441	...	...	312,670‡	15,628
ANNUAL AVERAGE ...	...	36,261,612	5,885,718	...	1,890,803	...	2,211,309	1,040,728	76,741	289	1,235,457	...	...	298,434	14,663
1873-74 ...	...	45,620,721	4,120,438	...	1,735,941	...	2,341,387	847,654	30,458	14	1,452,979	...	...	326,030	11,489
1874-75 ...	...	50,055,445	4,194,379	...	1,739,413	...	2,459,720	615,928	217	145	1,391,004	...	99,988	348,323*	10,675
1875-76 ...	...	55,684,848	4,318,210	...	1,701,986	...	2,572,266	586,876	5	...	1,287,754	...	80,073	371,732**	11,418
1876-77 ...	...	61,399,473	4,575,567	...	2,029,112	...	2,933,650	497,666	...	409,265	596,502	44,776	137,984	383,888††	11,827
ANNUAL AVERAGE ...	...	53,190,122	4,302,148	...	1,801,613	...	2,576,756	637,031	10,227	136,475	1,182,059	44,776	139,348	357,481	11,352
1877-78 ...	...	69,894,828	4,854,861	...	1,948,059	...	2,959,852	475,975	...	997,509	358,446	84,845	151,275	426,162†††	13,146
1878-79 ...	...	72,961,647	5,035,630	...	2,037,223	...	3,096,702	500,708	...	1,161,763	505,737	107,212	231,311	464,733§§	14,078
1879-80 ...	8,104,661	75,041,463	6,151,526	124,156	2,387,499	...	4,080,882	552,805	...	185,107	642,045	52,796	351,694	499,435¶	15,418
1880-81 ...	13,280,849	78,461,344	5,669,862	67,181	1,855,450	...	3,746,543	424,470	...	101,317	540,574	52,518	466,371	502,295	15,517
ANNUAL AVERAGE ...	10,692,755	74,089,820	5,427,970	95,668	2,057,058	...	3,470,995	488,489	...	611,424	511,700	74,343	300,163	473,156	14,540
1881-82 ...	19,693,190	79,950,239	5,748,823	135,737	2,718,922	77,048	2,340,806	294,432	231,618	71,176	326,150	52,591	167,707	459,355(c)	14,225

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NUMBER of each DENOMINATION of SERVICE POSTAGE LABELS sold by the POSTAL DEPARTMENT, and the TOTAL VALUES REALISED, from 1866-67 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	½-Anna Post Card.	8-Pie and 9-Pie.	½-Anna.	1-Anna.	2-Anna.	4-Anna.	8-Anna.	Gross Value.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
1866-67 (11 months) ...	...	...	686,538	1,293,350	585,874	334,812	85,776	30,303
1867-68 ...	...	...	722,808	1,182,358	690,776	297,215	122,068	31,818
1868-69 ...	...	...	579,792	1,207,301	676,025	265,906	82,181	28,565
1869-70 ...	...	...	921,039	1,034,681	393,347	148,221	36,215	19,778
1870-71 ...	...	...	1,717,549	1,416,957	505,904	249,407	143,660	33,965
1871-72 ...	...	...	3,843,627	3,188,814	1,056,582	417,307	187,021	64,933
1872-73 ...	...	960	7,138,238	6,465,573	1,488,959	533,236	234,421	106,385
1873-74 ...	...	264	7,586,555	7,901,332	797,658	451,093	221,303	105,406
1874-75 ...	...	15,224	7,761,637	8,365,281	732,493	439,588	221,825	107,844
1875-76 ...	...	65,484	8,147,675	8,908,237	746,196	465,800	238,784	114,357
1876-77 ...	...	39,442	8,269,608	9,524,891	804,545	503,253	248,022	120,599
1877-78 ...	...	19,004	8,661,312	10,263,735	891,368	540,524	251,104	128,515
1878-79 ...	...	8,006	9,060,003	10,315,070	827,415	513,601	207,009	126,352
1879-80 ...	...	1,818	9,520,165	11,174,303	829,034	537,214	242,299	134,009
1880-81 ...	...	516,359	9,155,416	11,128,793	790,092	549,763	210,228	133,108
1881-82 ...	...	419,933	9,449,722	11,666,609	891,451	556,177	214,473	139,170

* From this sum the discount £13,843 on sale of Postage Stamps is to be deducted.

† Ditto ditto	£14,564	ditto ditto	£14,616
‡ Ditto ditto	£15,628	ditto ditto	£11,489
§ Ditto ditto	£10,675	ditto ditto	

** From this sum the discount £11,418 on sale of Postage Stamps is to be deducted.

†† Ditto ditto	£11,827	ditto ditto	£13,146
‡‡ Ditto ditto	£14,078	ditto ditto	£15,418
§§ (a) Ditto ditto	£15,517	ditto ditto	£14,225
(b) Ditto ditto		ditto ditto	
(c) Ditto ditto		ditto ditto	

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POST OFFICE.

Account No. 118.

NUMBER of ARTICLES received at, and disposed of by, the DEAD LETTER OFFICES at CALCUTTA, MADRAS, BOMBAY, ALLAHABAD, LAHORE, NAGPORE, LUCKNOW, ABU, RANGOON, DINAPORE, and by the Enquiry Office at SHILLONG, as well as the RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE Enquiry Offices at MADRAS, BOMBAY and ALLAHABAD, during 1881-82.

	Calcutta.	Madras.	Bombay.	Allahabad.	Lahore.	Nagpore.	Lucknow.	Abu.	Rangoon.	Dinapore.	Shillong.	Kurrachee.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Articles transferred to other Dead Letter Offices ...	146,761	34,162 1,697*	91,151 25,735*	139,390 11,081*	79,906 5,494*	48,234	41,946	27,012 65*	903	46,455	46,140*	10,154	756,286
ARTICLES SENT OUT BY THE DEAD LETTER OFFICES. { By re-direction or re-transmission to their addressees ...	18,710	8,716 20,208*	57,140 109,413*	23,155 56,854*	24,294 25,219	5,553	5,063	13,369 1,217*	746	9,981	6,897*	1,121	387,656
{ By return to their senders ...	261,605	94,429	221,855	264,746	181,769	63,041	92,074	46,076	11,868	113,407	...	8,277	1,359,147
Articles undisposable and deposited as Dead ...	111,788	77,529	160,192	97,108	73,255	18,158	23,348	5,144	1,261	50,397	...	3,271	621,451
TOTAL ...	538,864	214,836 21,905*	530,338 135,145*	524,399 67,935*	359,224 30,713*	134,986	162,431	91,601 1,282*	14,778	220,240	53,037	22,823	3,124,540†
Articles issued by Dead Letter Offices for delivery to the addressees or senders, and returned as undeliverable ...	27,070	7,27	24,684	35,682	20,139	10,371	4,465	3,531	1,065	17,484	1,232	868	153,868‡

* Articles disposed of by Enquiry Offices.

† Of which 2,942,302 or 94·7 per cent. are letters.

‡ Ditto 153,557 or 99·8 do. do.

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CORRESPONDENCE sent to, and received from, the DISTRICT POST by the GENERAL POST OFFICE in each CIRCLE during 1881-82.

	Bengal.	North-Western Provinces.	Punjab.	Madras.	Bombay.	Other Administrations.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Articles received from the Imperial Post or from the District Post for delivery by the District Post ...	784,399	1,105,450	64,880	1,626,862	919,766	1,172,867	5,674,224
Articles posted in the District Post for despatch to the Imperial Post or to the District Post ...	722,366	805,293	61,301	519,266	272,243	1,027,226	3,407,695
Articles returned by the District to the Imperial Post undelivered ...	36,662	68,569	2,798	85,124	50,564	86,841	330,558
TOTAL ...	1,543,427	1,979,312	128,979	2,231,252	1,242,573	2,286,934	9,412,477

TELEGRAPH.

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TELEGRAPH.

Account No. 120.

REVENUE and EXPENDITURE, NUMBER of CIRCLES and SIGNAL OFFICES open, LENGTH of TELEGRAPH LINE and WIRE, and NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES, from the commencement of the GOVERNMENT INDIAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT to 31st March 1882.

YEARS.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Number of Circles.	Number of Signal Offices open.	LENGTH OF TELEGRAPH		NUMBER OF MESSAGES.				VALUE OF MESSAGES.			
					Line.	Wire.	Service.	Private.	Free.	TOTAL.	Service.	Private.	Free.	TOTAL.
	£	£	No.	No.	Miles.	Miles.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£
1850-51 ...	...	2,430	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...
1851-52 ...	600	4,327	1	6	83	83					343	257	...	600
1852-53 ...	1,850	2,088	1	6	83	83					1,036	814	...	1,850
1853-54 ...	2,343	122,473	1	7	91	91					1,221	1,122	...	2,343
1854-55 ...	6,481	74,777	3	48	3,255	3,314½					2,405	4,076	...	6,481
1855-56 ...	23,228	61,310	5	56	3,829	3,888½					5,552	17,586	...	23,138
1856-57 ...	29,843	113,172	6	62	4,162	4,221½					8,134	21,626	...	29,760
1857-58 ...	37,742	221,668	8	82	6,033½	6,199					20,236	17,483	...	37,719
1858-59 ...	54,105	209,713	11	122	9,401½	9,595	Information not available.				26,473	27,530	...	54,008
1859-60 ...	52,747	157,686	11	131	10,897½	11,253					11,598	41,021	...	52,619
1860-61 ...	62,766	172,725	11	145	11,401½	11,810½					12,024	50,428	...	62,452
1861-62 ...	67,948	256,431	10	144	11,401½	11,810½					12,584	54,858	...	67,442
1862-63 ...	75,488	381,316	10	146	11,658½	12,085½					10,838	64,270	...	75,108
1863-64 ...	93,899	288,852	10	155	12,160½	12,975½					13,415	77,645	...	91,060
1864-65 ...	92,621	310,162	10	174	13,635½	14,586½					12,386	79,256	...	91,642
1865-66 ...	114,542	356,689	14	172	13,767	15,399					11,638	101,028	...	112,666
1866-67 ...	143,148	397,305	14	159	13,784	15,866					12,060	91,592	37,561	141,213
(11 months)														
1867-68 ...	129,353	407,230	15	178	13,886½	18,066½	41,187	261,004	...	302,191	18,867	92,185	16,065	127,117
1868-69 ...	125,549	526,739	17	193	14,422½	21,123½	40,405	321,718	6,690	368,813	13,923	103,309	5,599	122,831
1869-70 ...	122,976	374,646	16	190	13,793½	21,378½	39,069	420,214	51,661	510,944	13,676	99,422	3,549	116,647
1870-71 ...	129,067	308,252	15	197	13,534½	22,834½	37,177	508,008	3,420	548,605	12,132	107,811	4,535	124,478
1871-72 ...	156,633	418,045	15	192	14,857	28,410½	53,734	571,012	3,446	628,192	22,015	127,659	4,660	154,334
1872-73 ...	174,860	416,107	15	195	15,224	30,681	57,618	593,766	3,254	654,638	20,108	141,730	10,683	172,521
1873-74 ...	193,985	350,319	15	217	16,117	32,696	65,454	639,073	5,777	710,304	22,189	148,880	13,307	184,376
1874-75 ...	227,821	373,706	16	216	16,154	33,346	77,677	718,138	17,050	812,865	26,637	166,362	15,867	208,866
1875-76 ...	231,482	409,697	16	216	16,633	35,707½	89,482	768,959	7,611	866,052	28,768	166,105	17,576	212,384
1876-77 ...	267,857	401,319	16	222	17,231½	39,112½	99,364	952,655	7,307	1,059,326	34,698	192,709	15,779	243,186
1877-78 ...	322,088	391,069	17	249	17,600½	42,116	124,250	1,167,309	7,358	1,296,917	48,091	232,306	14,160	294,557
1878-79 ...	359,701	351,888	17	250	17,971	43,890½	210,998	1,097,354	7,591	1,315,943	78,466	217,890	11,697	308,053
1879-80 ...	425,145	345,091	18	303	20,520	52,914	291,902	1,210,841	3,856	1,506,599	123,261	242,612	11,397	377,270
1880-81 ...	450,164	401,051	17	322	20,346	56,088	317,959	1,324,818	2,417	1,645,194	135,727	251,391	4,650	391,768
1881-82 ...	385,421	453,275	17	321	21,049	59,569	250,106	1,363,269	1,290	1,614,665	73,872	247,228	4,374	325,474

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TELEGRAPH.

Account No. 121.

REVENUE and EXPENDITURE, NUMBER of CIRCLES and SIGNAL OFFICES open, LENGTH of TELEGRAPH LINE and WIRE, and NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES of GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT in CEYLON, from its commencement to 31st March 1880.

YEARS.	Revenue.	Expenditure.	Number of Circles.	Number of Signal Offices open.	LENGTH OF TELEGRAPH		NUMBER OF MESSAGES.				VALUE OF MESSAGES.			
					Line.	Wire.	Service.	Private.	Free.	TOTAL.	Service.	Private.	Free.	TOTAL.
	£	£	No.	No.	Miles.	Miles.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£
1869-70*	10,176	11,230	1	8	479	526½	386	28,033	...	28,419	107	9,697	310	10,114
1870-71	10,774	9,035	1	8	481	526½	429	31,747	...	32,176	144	10,068	442	10,654
1871-72	8,304	8,546	1	7	479	527½	571	29,621	...	30,192	180	7,805	239	8,224
1872-73	9,019	7,733	1	8	481	528	1,041	31,963	...	33,004	233	8,277	436	8,946
1873-74	7,978	9,938	1	8	472	522	1,088	39,853	...	40,941	245	7,028	541	7,814
1874-75	3,218†	12,145	1	9	495	554	854	40,722	...	41,576	200	1,512	1,968	3,280
1875-76	8,343	14,487	1	10	513	572½	1,504	47,424	...	48,928	323	7,804	...	8,127
1876-77	9,347	12,173	1	12	608	667¾	1,553	55,464	...	57,017	336	8,916	...	9,252
1877-78	10,137	12,723	1	13	609½	679¾	1,843	63,612	...	65,455	312	9,662	...	9,974
1878-79	9,941	11,770	1	15	618	688	1,853	61,516	...	63,369	308	9,274	...	9,582
1879-80	9,347	11,471	1	14	615	685½	1,996	57,772	...	59,768	326	8,655	...	8,981

* The amounts of Revenue and Expenditure entered against this year show the transactions of fifteen months, from 1st January 1869 to 31st March 1870.

† The actual receipts of the year were £7,245, from which £10,463, being the amount of Indian share over-credited to Ceylon in accounts up to 1873-74, was deducted under calculation ordered by the Director General of Telegraphs.

N. B.—The Ceylon Accounts closed with the year 1879-80, the lines having been transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon, from July 1880.

Account No. 122.

REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT INDIAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT from its commencement to 31st March 1882, showing SURPLUS or DEFICIT of each year as struck, respectively, on the TOTAL EXPENDITURE and on WORKING EXPENSES.

YEARS.	RECEIPT.					EXPENDITURE.				ON TOTAL EXPENDITURE.		ON WORKING EXPENSES.	
	REVENUE.									Surplus.	Deficit.	Surplus.	Deficit.
	On Private Messages.	On Service Messages.	Miscellaneous.	Value of Free Messages.	TOTAL.	CONSTRUCTION.	Working.	TOTAL.					
	£	£	£	£	£	Europe Stores.	Other Charges.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1850-51	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,430	...	2,430	...	2,430	...	...
1851-52	...	257	343	...	600	...	3,789	538	4,327	...	3,727	62	...
1852-53	...	814	1,036	...	1,850	...	566	1,522	2,088	...	238	328	...
1853-54	...	1,122	1,221	...	2,343	80,902	36,099	5,472	122,473	...	120,130	...	3,129
1854-55	...	4,076	2,405	...	6,481	7,578	57,854	9,345	74,777	...	68,296	...	2,864
1855-56	...	17,586	5,552	90	23,228	...	27,735	33,575	61,310	...	38,082	...	10,347
1856-57	...	21,626	8,134	83	29,843	33,629	33,592	45,971	113,172	...	83,329	...	16,108
1857-58	...	17,483	20,236	23	37,742	116,118	49,826	55,724	221,668	...	183,926	...	17,982
1858-59	...	27,530	26,478	97	54,105	22,829	91,341	95,543	209,713	...	155,608	...	41,438
1859-60	...	41,021	11,598	128	52,747	1,028	50,729	105,929	157,686	...	104,939	...	53,182
1860-61	...	50,428	12,024	314	62,766	...	33,321	139,404	172,725	...	109,959	...	76,638
1861-62	...	54,858	12,584	506	67,948	90,837	23,096	142,498	256,431	...	188,483	...	74,550
1862-63	...	64,270	10,838	380	75,488	211,978	38,239	131,099	381,316	...	305,828	...	55,611

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Account No. 122—continued.

REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT INDIAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT from its commencement to 31st March 1882, showing SURPLUS or DEFICIT of each year as struck, respectively, on the TOTAL EXPENDITURE and on WORKING EXPENSES—continued.

YEARS.	RECEIPT.					EXPENDITURE.				ON TOTAL EXPENDITURE.		ON WORKING EXPENSES.	
	REVENUE.												
	On Private Messages.	On Service Messages.	Miscellaneous.	Value of Free Messages.	TOTAL.	CONSTRUCTION.		Working.	TOTAL.	Surplus.	Deficit.	Surplus.	Deficit.
	£	£	£	£	£	Europe Stores.	Other Charges.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1863-64 ...	77,645	13,415	2,839	...	93,899	86,585	66,184	136,083	288,852	...	194,953	...	42,184
1864-65 ...	79,256	12,386	979	...	92,621	44,384	113,411	152,367	310,162	...	217,541	...	59,746
1865-66 ...	101,028	11,638	1,876	...	114,542	41,732	48,068	163,392	356,689	...	242,147	...	48,850
Add—Value of buildings occupied by the Department at the end of 1865-66, but on which the expenditure of each year is not traceable. ...						...	103,497	...	...	...	...	...	...
1866-67 (11 months) ...	91,592	12,060	1,935	37,561	143,148	159,560	51,410	186,335	397,305	...	254,157	...	43,187
1867-68 ...	92,185	18,867	2,236	16,065	129,353	86,540	88,162	232,528	407,230	...	277,877	...	103,175
1868-69 ...	103,309	13,923	2,718	5,599	125,549	130,541	161,546	234,652	526,739	...	401,190	...	109,103
1869-70 ...	99,422	13,676	6,329	3,549	122,976	92,871	68,719	273,056	374,646	...	251,670	...	150,080
1870-71 ...	107,811	12,132	4,589	4,535	129,067	18,793	47,715	241,744	308,252	...	179,185	...	112,677
1871-72 ...	127,659	22,015	2,299	4,600	156,633	105,958	83,806	228,281	418,045	...	261,412	...	71,648
1872-73 ...	141,730	20,108	2,339	10,683	174,860	93,836	72,913	249,358	416,107	...	241,247	...	74,498
1873-74 ...	148,880	22,189	9,609	13,307	193,985	40,087	61,828	248,404	350,319	...	156,334	...	54,002
1874-75 ...	166,362	26,637	18,955	15,867	227,821	46,605	70,196	256,905	373,706	...	145,885	...	29,084
1875-76 ...	166,105	28,703	19,098	17,576	231,482	47,378	89,912	272,407	409,697	...	178,215	...	40,925
1876-77 ...	192,709	34,698	24,872	15,779	267,857	61,443	74,018	265,858	401,319	...	133,462	1,999	...
1877-78 ...	232,306	48,091	27,531	14,160	322,088	36,495	53,651	300,923	391,069	...	68,981	21,165	...
1878-79 ...	217,890	78,466	51,648	11,697	359,701	34,632	20,195	297,061	351,888	7,813	...	62,640	...
1879-80 ...	242,612	123,261	47,875	11,397	425,145	...	54,092	290,999	345,091	80,054	...	134,146	...
1880-81 ...	251,391	135,727	58,396	4,650	450,164	...	83,904	317,147	401,051	49,113	...	133,017	...
1881-82 ...	247,228	73,872	59,947	4,374	385,421	...	139,711	323,564	463,275	...	77,854	61,857	...

Account No. 123.

REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT in CEYLON, from its commencement to 31st March 1880, showing SURPLUS or DEFICIT of each year as struck, respectively, on the TOTAL EXPENDITURE and on WORKING EXPENSES.

YEARS.	RECEIPT.					EXPENDITURE.				ON TOTAL EXPENDITURE.		ON WORKING EXPENSES.	
	REVENUE.												
	On Private Messages.	On Service Messages.	Miscellaneous.	Value of Free Messages.	TOTAL.	CONSTRUCTION.		Working.	TOTAL.	Surplus.	Deficit.	Surplus.	Deficit.
	£	£	£	£	£	Europe Stores.	Other Charges.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Up to end of December 1868 under the Government of Ceylon.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1st January 1869 to 31st March 1870 ...	9,697	107	62	310	10,176	...	164	11,066	11,230	...	1,054	...	890
1870-71 ...	10,068	144	120	442	10,774	...	204	8,831	9,035	1,739	...	1,943	...
1871-72 ...	7,806	180	79	239	8,304	...	...	8,546	8,546	...	242	...	242
1872-73 ...	8,277	233	73	436	9,019	...	...	7,733	7,733	1,286	...	1,286	...
1873-74 ...	7,028	245	164	541	7,978	...	214	9,724	9,938	...	1,960	...	1,746
1874-75 ...	1,512	209	62	1,968	3,218a	...	2,666	9,479	12,145	...	4,900	...	2,234
1875-76 ...	7,804	323	216	...	8,343	...	3,090	11,397	14,487	...	6,144	...	3,054
1876-77 ...	8,916	336	95	...	9,347	...	786	11,387	12,173	...	2,826	...	2,040
1877-78 ...	9,662	312	163	...	10,137	...	—366	13,089	12,723	...	2,586	...	2,952
1878-79 ...	9,274	308	359	...	9,941	...	13	11,757	11,770	...	1,829	...	1,816
1879-80 ...	8,655	326	366	...	9,347	...	—84	11,555	11,471	...	2,124	...	2,208

(*)—The actual receipts of the year were £7,245, from which £10,463, being the amount of Indian share over-credited to Ceylon in accounts up to 1873-74, was deducted under calculation ordered by the Director General of Telegraphs.

N. B.—The Ceylon Accounts closed with the year 1879-80, the lines having been transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon from July 1880.

CAPITAL and REVENUE of the GOVERNMENT INDIAN

YEARS.	Miles of Line.	CAPITAL ACCOUNT.				REVENUE			
		Expenditure of the year.	EXPENDITURE TO END OF THE YEAR.			CHARGES.			
			Total.	Deduct abandoned line.	Existing line.	Interest at 5 per cent. on Capital.	Current expenses.	Total for each year.	Total to end of each year.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1850-51 ...	...	2,430	2,430	...	2,430	...	...	...	...
1851-52 ...	83	3,789	6,219	...	6,219	122	538	660	660
1852-53 ...	83	566	6,785	...	6,785	311	1,522	1,833	2,493
1853-54 ...	91	117,001	123,786	...	123,786	339	5,472	5,811	8,304
1854-55 ...	3,255	65,432	189,218	...	189,218	6,199	9,345	15,544	23,848
1855-56 ...	3,829	27,735	216,953	...	216,953	9,460	33,575	43,035	66,883
1856-57 ...	4,162	67,221	284,174	...	284,174	10,847	45,951	56,798	123,681
1857-58 ...	6,033½	165,944	450,118	...	450,118	14,208	55,724	69,932	193,613
1858-59 ...	9,401½	114,170	564,288	...	564,288	22,505	95,543	118,048	311,661
1859-60 ...	10,897½	51,757	616,045	...	616,045	28,214	105,929	134,143	445,804
1860-61 ...	11,401½	33,321	649,366	...	649,366	30,802	139,404	170,206	616,010
1861-62 ...	11,401½	113,933	763,299	...	763,299	32,468	142,498	174,966	790,976
1862-63 ...	11,658½	250,217	1,013,516	...	1,013,516	38,165	131,099	169,264	960,240
1863-64 ...	12,160½	152,769	1,166,285	...	1,166,285	50,676	136,083	186,759	1,146,999
1864-65 ...	13,635½	157,795	1,324,080	...	1,324,080	58,314	152,367	210,681	1,357,680
1865-66 ...	13,767	89,800	1,413,880	...	1,413,880	66,204	163,392	229,596	1,587,276
Add—Value of buildings occupied by the Department at the end of 1865-66, but on which the expenditure of each year is not traceable.		...	103,497	1,517,377	392,905	1,124,472	(At 4½ per cent.)		
1866-67 (11 months)	13,784	210,970	1,728,347	394,725	1,333,622	50,602	186,335	236,937	1,824,213
1867-68 ...	13,886½	174,702	1,903,049	397,354	1,505,695	60,013	232,528	292,541	2,116,754
1868-69 ...	14,422½	292,087	2,195,136	421,718	1,773,418	67,756	234,652	302,408	2,415,162
1869-70 ...	13,793½	101,590	2,296,726	457,981	1,838,745	79,804	273,056	352,860	2,772,022
1870-71 ...	13,534½	66,508	2,363,234	485,684	1,877,550	82,743	241,744	324,487	3,096,509
1871-72 ...	14,857	189,764	2,552,998	532,374	2,020,624	84,490	228,281	312,771	3,409,280
1872-73 ...	15,224	166,749	2,719,747	544,821	2,174,926	100,786	249,358	350,144	3,759,424
1873-74 ...	16,117	101,915	2,821,662	550,137	2,271,525	116,264	248,404	364,668	4,124,092
1874-75 ...	16,154	116,801	2,938,463	561,751	2,376,712	95,370	256,905	352,275	4,476,367
1875-76 ...	16,633	137,290	3,075,753	554,963	2,520,790	108,428	272,407	380,835	4,857,202
1876-77 ...	17,231½	135,461	3,211,214	552,784	2,658,430	114,204	265,858	380,062	5,237,264
1877-78 ...	17,600½	90,146	3,301,360	552,622	2,748,738	121,892	300,923	422,815	5,660,079
1878-79 ...	17,971	54,827	3,356,187	563,897	2,792,290	124,478	297,061	421,539	6,081,618
1879-80 ...	20,520	54,092	*2,466,072	563,991	1,902,081	152,245	290,999	443,244	6,524,862
1880-81 ...	20,346	83,904	†2,549,543	...	2,549,543	112,861	317,147	430,008	6,954,871
1881-82 ...	21,049	139,711	‡2,736,538	...	§2,736,538	120,215	323,564	443,779	7,373,703

* The difference of £ 944,206 in the total capital expenditure to end of the year is due to the revision of the Capital Account as ordered

† £433 less shown, being the amount of outlay on stores reduced by the

‡ The difference of £47,284 in the total capital expenditure is owing to the transfer of the value

§ The difference of £47,284—£ 22,337 being the amount of net loss

TELEGRAPH.

[Account No. 124]

No. 124.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT, from its commencement to 31st March 1882.

ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.		Balance of charge for each year.	Balance of charge to end of each year.	PER MILE OF LINE.		Value of unissued balance of stores at end of each year.	YEARS.
Amount realised in each year.	Total to end of each year.			Charges, exclusive of interest.	Revenue.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
...	...	...	...	...	...		1850-51
600	600	60	60	6.48	7.22		1851-52
1,850	2,450	Revenue 17	43	18.33	22.28		1852-53
2,343	4,793	Charges 3,468	3,511	60.13	25.74		1853-54
6,481	11,274	9,063	12,574	2.87	1.99		1854-55
23,228	34,502	19,807	32,381	8.76	6.06		1855-56
29,843	64,345	26,955	59,336	11.04	7.17		1856-57
37,742	102,087	32,190	91,526	9.73	6.59		1857-58
54,105	156,302	63,943	155,469	10.5	5.95		1858-59
52,747	208,939	81,396	236,865	10.	4.98		1859-60
62,766	271,705	107,440	344,305	12.56	5.65		1860-61
67,948	339,653	107,018	451,323	12.84	6.12	24,977	1861-62
75,488	415,141	93,776	545,099	11.55	6.65	62,038	1862-63
93,899	509,040	92,860	637,959	11.54	7.96	19,608	1863-64
92,621	601,661	118,060	756,019	11.49	6.98	37,319	1864-65
114,542	716,203	115,054	871,073	12.2	8.55	20,579	1865-66
143,148	859,351	93,789	964,861	13.93	10.7	157,116	1866-67 (11 months)
129,353	988,704	163,188	1,128,049	17.25	9.6	132,413	1867-68
125,645	1,114,253	176,859	1,304,908	16.83	9.	200,208	1868-69
122,976	1,237,229	229,884	1,534,792	19.8	8.91	186,978	1869-70
129,067	1,366,296	195,420	1,730,212	17.86	9.53	151,588	1870-71
156,633	1,522,929	156,138	1,886,350	15.36	10.54	159,301	1871-72
174,860	1,697,789	175,284	2,061,634	16.37	11.48	207,061	1872-73
193,985	1,891,774	170,683	2,232,319	15.26	12.03	218,174	1873-74
227,821	2,119,595	124,454	2,356,773	15.9	14.1	233,652	1874-75
231,482	2,351,077	149,353	2,506,126	16.37	13.91	196,094	1875-76
267,857	2,618,934	112,204	2,618,330	15.42	15.54	265,913	1876-77
322,088	2,941,022	100,727	2,719,057	17.09	18.30	247,323	1877-78
359,701	3,300,723	61,838	2,780,895	16.53	20.02	223,653	1878-79
425,145	3,725,868	18,101	2,798,996	14.18	20.71	188,136	1879-80
450,164	4,176,032	Revenue 20,156	2,778,840	15.59	22.12	213,103	1880-81
385,421	4,561,453	Charges 58,358	2,812,250	15.37	18.31	188,338	1881-82

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Accountant General, Public Works Department.

of instruments, batteries, fittings and furniture on 31st March 1881 from Revenue to Capital Account.

sustained by the Indian Telegraph Department on account of the Ceylon Telegraphs, is owing to the cause just above mentioned.

Account No. 125]

TELEGRAPH.

Account

CAPITAL and REVENUE of the GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH

YEARS.	Miles of Line.	CAPITAL ACCOUNT.				REVENUE			
		Expenditure of the year.	EXPENDITURE TO END OF THE YEAR.			CHARGES.			
			Total.	Deduct abandoned line.	Existing lines, &c.	Interest at 4½ per cent.	Current Expenses.	Total for each year.	Total to end of each year.
Estimated value of lines taken over at the end of December 1868 from the Government of Ceylon. 1st January 1869 to	481	£ 24,355	£ 24,355	£ ...	£ 24,355	...	...	...	...
31st March 1870 ...	479	164	24,519	...	24,519	8	11,066	11,074	11,074
1870-71 ...	481	204	24,723	...	24,723	16	8,881	8,847	19,921
1871-72 ...	479	...	24,723	...	24,723	17	8,546	8,563	28,484
1872-73 ...	481	...	24,723	...	24,723	17	7,733	7,750	36,234
1873-74 ...	472	214	24,937	...	24,937	20	9,724	9,744	45,978
1874-75 ...	495	2,666	27,603	...	27,603	68	9,479	* 9,547	55,525
1875-76 ...	513	3,090	30,693	...	30,693	193	11,397	11,590	67,115
1876-77 ...	608	786	31,479	...	31,479	302	11,387	11,689	78,804
1877-78 ...	609½	—366	31,113	...	31,113	314	13,089	13,403	92,207
1878-79 ...	618	13	31,126	...	31,126	304	11,757	12,061	104,268
1879-80 ...	615	—84	31,042*	...	31,042	303	11,555	11,858	116,126

N. B.—The Ceylon Accounts closed with the year 1879-80, the lines having been transferred to the Colonial Government,

* Deducting £24,355 being the cost of Ceylon Telegraphs not

Account

NUMBER of SIGNAL OFFICES open in each DIVISION

	1853-54.	1854-55.	1855-56.	1856-57.	1857-58.	1858-59.	1859-60.	1860-61.	1861-62.	1862-63.	1863-64.	1864-65.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
British Burma and Arrakan A	...	...	5	5	7	8	8	9	8	10	10	13
Bengal, Dacca and Assam B	7	31	13	13	16	21	28	31	31	29	31	35
Punjab, Beluchistan,* Sindh and Peshawar-Cabul Division† C	...	...	18	18	14	31	30	30	32	34	35	35
Madras Presidency D	...	7	10	12	17	26	29	36	33	35	37	43
Bombay and Malabar Coast E	...	10	10	11	18	18	18	21	21	20	20	23
Rajpootana, Nágapore, Central India and Indore F	...	...	...	3	10	18	18	18	19	18	22	25
Oudh and Rohilkhund G	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	7	48	56	62	82	122	131	145	144	146	155	174
Ceylon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	7	48	56	62	82	122	131	145	144	146	155	174

* Beluchistan from 1877-78.

† Peshawar-Cabul Division, from 1879-80.

TELEGRAPH.

[Account No. 126]

No. 125.

DEPARTMENT in CEYLON, from its commencement to 31st March 1880.

ACCOUNT.

REVENUE.		Balance of charge for each year.	Balance of charge to end of each year.	PER MILE OF LINE.		Value of unissued balance of stores at end of each year.	YEARS.
Amount realised in each year.	Total to end of each year.			Charges, exclusive of interest.	Revenue.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Estimated value of lines taken over at the end of December 1868, from the Government of Ceylon.
10,176	10,176	898	898	23.1	21.24	...	1st January 1869 to 31st March 1870.
10,774	20,950	Revenue 1,927	Revenue 1,029	18.36	22.39	...	1870-71
8,304	29,254	Charges 259	770	17.84	17.33	...	1871-72
9,019	38,273	Revenue 1,269	2,039	16.07	18.75	...	1872-73
7,978	46,251	Charges 1,766	273	20.63	16.93	...	1873-74
—3,218	43,033	12,765	12,492	19.14	...	...	1874-75
8,343	51,376	3,247	15,739	22.22	16.26	...	1875-76
9,347	60,723	2,342	18,081	18.72	15.36	...	1876-77
10,137	70,860	3,266	21,347	21.48	16.63	...	1877-78
9,941	80,801	2,120	23,467	19.03	16.09	...	1878-79
9,347	90,148	2,511	25,978	18.76	15.18	...	1879-80

Ceylon, from July 1880. The net loss on account of the Ceylon Telegraphs is borne by the Indian Telegraph Department, paid from Indian Revenues, the net total becomes £6,687.

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at the close of each Official Year from 1853-54 to 1881-82.

1865-66.	1866-67 (11 months)	1867-68.	1868-69.	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
12	11	14	15	14	14	14	14	17	16	17	17	18	20	21	22	28
37	37	37	37	37	37	36	37	52	46§	44	48	46	47	53	53	64
33	29	33	36	35	39	39	43†	46	39	38	38	40	53	71	57	55
31	26	29	29	29	29	28	29	30	31	31	33	37	32	32	35	55
33	30	32	32	35	37	38	38	39	42	41	41	41	40	40	44	43
26	26	26	37	40	41	37	34	33	34	36	36	32	32	31	31	33
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9	9	12	12	14	12	14
172	159	171	186	190	197	192	195	217	216	216	222	226	236	262	254	292
...	...	7	7	8	8	7	8	8	9	10	12	13	14	14	...	...
172	159	178	193	198	205	199	203	225	225	226	234	239	250	276	254	292

† Including Puttiala.

§ This includes the four Offices in the Tirhoot Sub-Division.

NUMBER of SIGNAL OFFICES open in each DIVISION

		1853-54.	1854-55.	1855-56.	1856-57.	1857-58.	1858-59.	1859-60.	1860-61.	1861-62.	1862-63.	1863-64.	1864-65.
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
A	B, Burma ...	...	...	5	5	7	8	8	9	8	10	10	13
	Arrakan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
B	Bengal ...	7	31	13	13	16	20	25	23	23	22	24	28
	Dacca ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	8	8	7	7	7
	Assam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL ...	7	31	13	13	16	21	28	31	31	29	31	35
C	Punjab ...	...	...	18	18	14	20	20	20	20	23	23	23
	Sindh ...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	10	12	11	12	12
	Beluchistan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Peshawar-Cabul Division ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL ...	...	...	18	18	14	31	30	30	32	34	35	35
D	Bangalore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ganjam ...	...	...	...	...	5	9	12	17	15	15	16	16
	Madras ...	...	7	10	12	12	15	15	16	18	20	21	27
	S.-E. Coast ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL ...	...	7	10	12	17	26	29	36	33	35	37	43
E	Bombay ...	...	10	10	11	18	18	18	21	21	20	20	23
	Malabar Coast ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
F	Rajpootana ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nágpore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	11
	Central India ...	...	...	...	3	3	11	11	10	11	...	...	...
	Indore ...	...	...	...	...	7	7	7	8	8	8	12	14
	TOTAL ...	...	...	...	3	10	18	18	18	19	18	22	25
G	Oudh and Rohilkhand ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Including Puttiala.

† This includes the four Offices in the Tirhoot Sub-Division.

‡ Inclusive of the offices attached to the Kohat and Peshawar Columns Field Telegraphs.

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at the close of each Official Year from 1853-54 to 1881-82—continued.

1865-66.	1866-67 (11 months).	1867-68.	1868-69.	1869-70.	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
12	11	9	10	9	9	9	9	12	11	12	12	13	15	14	15	21
...	...	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	7	7	7
21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	36	29†	28†	27	25	25	25	29¶	37
7	7	5	5	6	6	5	6	6	6	5	5	5	8	8	7	7
9	9	11	11	10	10	10	10	10	11	11	16	16	14	20	17	20
37	37	37	37	37	37	36	37	52	46	44	48	46	47	53	53	64
20	19	23	26	25	28	29	33*	36	30	29	27	28	35†	37	35	35
13	10	10	10	10	11	10	10	10	9	9	11	10	9	10	12	12
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9§	7	10	8
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	...
33	29	33	36	35	39	39	43	46	39	38	38	40	53	71	57	55
7	7	8	8	8	9	9	11	12	13	13	13	13	12	12	13	13
12	9	11	11	11	11	10	10	10	10	10	10	16	15	15	15	16¶
12	10	10	10	10	9	9	8	8	8	8	10	8	5	5	7	26
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	26	29	29	29	29	28	29	30	31	31	33	37	32	32	35	55
15	14	16	16	18	21	22	22	23	26	26	26	26	26	26	30	32
18	16	16	16	17	16	16	16	16	16	15	15	15	14	14	14	11
7	7	7	10	9	9	9	8	7	8	9	8	9	7	7	6	5
8	9	9	16	16	16	15	12	13	13	14	14	10	12	11	11	12
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	10	9	11	15	16	13	14	13	13	13	14	13	13	13	14	16
26	26	26	37	40	41	37	34	33	34	36	36	32	32	31	31	33
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9	9	12	12	14	12	14

§ Inclusive of the offices attached to the Quetta Column Field Telegraphs.

|| Bellary.

¶ Includes one Departmental Telephone Office.

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TELEGRAPH.

Account

LENGTH of TELEGRAPH LINE and WIRE respectively

YEARS.			British Burma and Arrakan	Bengal, Dacca and Assam.	Punjab, Beluchis- tan, Sindh, Pe- shawar and Cabul Divi- sion.	MADRAS PRESIDENCY.			
						Bangalore.	Ganjam.	Madras.	South-East Coast.
1851-52	{ Line	...	...	83	...	...	...	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	83	...	...	...	...	...
1852-53	{ Line	...	...	83	...	...	...	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	83	...	...	...	...	...
1853-54	{ Line	...	...	91	...	...	...	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	91	...	...	...	...	...
1854-55	{ Line	...	...	2,131	...	...	...	483	...
	{ Wire	...	...	2,157	...	...	...	483	...
1855-56	{ Line	...	216	575	1,739	...	...	628	...
	{ Wire	...	216	601	1,739	...	...	628	...
1856-57	{ Line	...	216	575	1,739	...	...	686	...
	{ Wire	...	216	601	1,739	...	...	686	...
1857-58	{ Line	...	311	970	1,306	...	714	774	...
	{ Wire	...	311	1,102	1,306	...	714	774	...
1858-59	{ Line	...	404	1,250	2,194	...	958	1,038	290
	{ Wire	...	404	1,382	2,194	...	986	1,038	290
1859-60	{ Line	...	404	2,148	2,266	...	1,027	1,038	290
	{ Wire	...	404	2,344	2,266	...	1,055	1,038	290
1860-61	{ Line	...	538	2,368	2,400	...	1,153	1,122	242
	{ Wire	...	548	2,603	2,400	...	1,181	1,127	242
1861-62	{ Line	...	538	2,368	2,400	...	1,153	1,122	242
	{ Wire	...	548	2,603	2,400	...	1,181	1,127	242
1862-63	{ Line	...	668	2,249	2,596 $\frac{1}{2}$	...	1,186 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,345 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	{ Wire	...	678	2,484	2,601 $\frac{3}{4}$	...	1,214	1,350 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1863-64	{ Line	...	686 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,433 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,602 $\frac{1}{4}$	...	1,198 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,345 $\frac{1}{2}$	
	{ Wire	...	696 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,055 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,607 $\frac{3}{4}$	...	1,226 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,350 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1864-65	{ Line	...	771 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,887 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,602 $\frac{1}{4}$	...	1,102 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,661	
	{ Wire	...	781 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,509 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,607 $\frac{1}{4}$	...	1,102 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,666	
1865-66	{ Line	...	771	3,006	2,297	1,059	866	852	
	{ Wire	...	781	3,714 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,302 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,067	866	857	
1866-67 (11 months)	{ Line	...	787	2,958	2,297	1,059	839	852	
	{ Wire	...	797	3,879 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,407	1,068 $\frac{1}{2}$	839	857	
1867-68	{ Line	...	985	2,691	2,329	1,059	839 $\frac{1}{2}$	855	
	{ Wire	...	1,019	4,976 $\frac{3}{4}$	2,439	1,068 $\frac{1}{2}$	849 $\frac{1}{2}$	871	
1868-69	{ Line	...	985	2,740 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,390	1,070 $\frac{1}{2}$	826 $\frac{1}{2}$	868	
	{ Wire	...	1,010 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,397 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,940	1,401 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,011 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,136 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1869-70	{ Line	...	985	2,724 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,369	1,081 $\frac{1}{2}$	841	846	
	{ Wire	...	1,010 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,381 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,208	1,413	1,531	1,136	
1870-71	{ Line	...	998 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,703 $\frac{3}{4}$	2,464	1,102 $\frac{1}{4}$	842	843	
	{ Wire	...	998 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,290 $\frac{1}{4}$	3,383	1,708	1,652	1,119 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1871-72	{ Line	...	962 $\frac{3}{4}$	2,915 $\frac{3}{4}$	2,659	1,032	827	1,222	
	{ Wire	...	1,000 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,189	4,067	1,620	1,658	2,011 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1872-73	{ Line	...	1,019 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,161	2,741 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,002	811 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,235	
	{ Wire	...	1,064 $\frac{1}{2}$	8,140 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,741	1,580	1,640	2,052	
1873-74	{ Line	...	1,162	3,715	2,834	1,031	811	1,233	
	{ Wire	...	1,286	8,573	5,598	1,615	1,642	2,078	
1874-75	{ Line	...	1,146	3,277	2,401	1,125	2,811	1,233	
	{ Wire	...	1,445	7,634	4,319	1,843	1,642	2,043	

Included in Madras.

a Of these, 500 miles of wire are rented to the Rajpootana State Railway.

b Of these, 45 miles of wire are rented to the Wardah Valley State Railway.

c Of these, 172 miles of wire are rented to the Holkar State Railway.

d Of these, 1,071 miles of wire are rented to the Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway Company.

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OPEN in the several DIVISIONS in each year from 1851-52 to 1881-82.

Bombay Presidency and Malabar Coast.	Oudh and Rohilkhand.	Rajpootana.	Nagpore.	Central India.	Indore.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	YEARS.
...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	83	Line ... } 1851-52
...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	83	Wire ... }
...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	83	Line ... } 1852-53
...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	83	Wire ... }
...	...	...	...	...	...	91	...	91	Line ... } 1853-54
...	...	...	...	...	...	91	...	91	Wire ... }
641	...	...	...	...	...	3,255	...	3,255	Line ... } 1854-55
674½	...	...	...	...	...	3,314½	...	3,314½	Wire ... }
671	...	...	...	...	...	3,829	...	3,829	Line ... } 1855-56
704½	...	...	...	...	...	3,888½	...	3,888½	Wire ... }
715	...	...	...	231	...	4,162	...	4,162	Line ... } 1856-57
748½	...	...	...	231	...	4,221½	...	4,221½	Wire ... }
966	...	...	...	231	453	5,725	308½	6,033½	Line ... } 1857-58
999½	...	...	...	231	453	5,890½	308½	6,199	Wire ... }
1,239	...	...	...	1,267	453	9,093	308½	9,401½	Line ... } 1858-59
1,272½	...	...	...	1,267	453	9,286½	308½	9,595	Wire ... }
1,441	...	...	...	1,267	708	10,589	308½	10,897½	Line ... } 1859-60
1,572½	...	...	...	1,267	708	10,944½	308½	11,253	Wire ... }
1,260	...	...	...	1,275	735	11,093	308½	11,401½	Line ... } 1860-61
1,391	...	...	...	1,275	735	11,502	308½	11,810½	Wire ... }
1,260	...	...	...	1,275	735	11,093	308½	11,401½	Line ... } 1861-62
1,391	...	...	...	1,275	735	11,502	308½	11,810½	Wire ... }
1,238	...	...	1,331½	...	735	11,350	308½	11,658½	Line ... } 1862-63
1,369½	...	...	1,344½	...	735	11,777	308½	12,085½	Wire ... }
1,216½	...	...	1,331½	...	969½	11,783½	377	12,160½	Line ... } 1863-64
1,348½	...	...	1,344½	...	969½	12,598½	377	12,975½	Wire ... }
1,714½	...	...	1,451½	...	1,067½	13,258½	377	13,635½	Line ... } 1864-65
1,931½	...	...	1,471½	...	1,067½	14,137½	449½	14,586½	Wire ... }
2,006	...	807	938	...	788	13,390	377	13,767	Line ... } 1865-66
2,476½	...	1,128½	950½	...	806	14,949½	449½	15,399	Wire ... }
2,006	...	807	978	...	788	13,371	413	13,784	Line ... } 1866-67
2,554½	...	1,128½	998½	...	806	15,335½	530½	15,866	Wire ... } (11 months)
2,025	...	804	785	231	870	13,473½	413	13,886½	Line ... } 1867-68
2,573½	...	1,596	805½	462	948	17,608½	458	18,066½	Wire ... }
1,967½	...	1,076½	1,137	...	879	13,941½	481	14,422½	Line ... } 1868-69
2,815	...	2,060½	1,853	...	971	20,597½	526½	21,123½	Wire ... }
2,085	...	761½	1,221	...	879	13,793½	481½	14,275	Line ... } 1869-70
2,814	...	2,060	1,853	...	971	21,378½	526½	21,904½	Wire ... }
2,143½	...	762½	948½	...	727	13,534½	481½	14,016	Line ... } 1870-71
3,562½	...	2,063½	2,249	...	808	22,834½	526½	23,360½	Wire ... }
2,569½	...	762	1,249½	...	657½	14,857	479½	15,336½	Line ... } 1871-72
4,803½	...	2,064	3,225	...	772	28,410½	527½	28,938	Wire ... }
2,692	...	762½	1,103	...	696	15,224	481	15,705	Line ... } 1872-73
5,689½	...	2,134½	2,717	...	922	30,681	528	31,209	Wire ... }
2,752	...	819	2,103	...	657	16,117	472	16,589	Line ... } 1873-74
6,008	...	2,301a	2,769b	...	826c	32,696	522	33,218	Wire ... }
2,639	843	911	1,118	Rajpootana and Sin- dia State Railway.	651	16,155	495	16,650	Line ... } 1874-75
5,789	1,900d	2,936e	2,861f	...	935g	33,347	554	33,901	Wire ... }

e Of these, 652 miles of wire are rented to the Rajpootana State Railway.

f Of these, 72 miles of wire are rented to the Wardah Valley State Railway.

g Of these, 72 miles of wire are rented to the Holkar State Railway.

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Account

LENGTH of TELEGRAPH LINE and WIRE respectively

YEARS.			British Burma and Arrakan.	Bengal, Dacca and Assam.	Punjab, Beluchis- tan, Sindh, Pe- shawur and Cabul Divi- sion.†	MADRAS PRESIDENCY.			
						Bangalore.	Ganjam	Madras.	South-East Coast.
1875-76	{ Line	...	1,204½	3,124½	2,906½	1,097½	806	1,464½	Included in Madras.
	{ Wire	...	1,490½	7,523½	5,952	1,836½	1,634	2,517½ ^a	
1876-77	{ Line	...	1,278	3,500½	2,915½	1,092½	806½	1,549	
	{ Wire	...	1,875½	8,545½	6,202½	1,828½	1,629	3,043½ ^c	
1877-78	{ Line	...	1,242	3,792	3,134½	1,092	1,336	1,143½	
	{ Wire	...	2,349	10,828½	6,950½	1,832½	2,432½	2,873½ ^f	
1878-79	{ Line	...	1,362	3,752	3,523	1,093	1,335	1,009	
	{ Wire	...	2,691	10,811	7,810	1,829	2,425	2,740	
1879-80	{ Line	...	1,365	5,127	4,501	1,093	1,165	1,027	
	{ Wire	...	2,695	16,201	10,551	1,834	2,253	2,776	
1880-81	{ Line	...	1,371	5,185	4,219	1,176	1,165	1,047	
	{ Wire	...	2,717	16,401	11,173	2,199	2,298	2,817	
1881-82	{ Line	...	1,556	5,409	3,937	885	1,191	1,671	
	{ Wire	...	2,981	16,965	11,361	1,547	2,879	4,238 ^e	

^a Of these, 430 miles of wire are for the use of the South Indian Railway Company.^b Of these, 1,066 miles of wire are for the use of the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway Company.^c Of these, 910·5 miles of wire are for the use of the Rajpootana State Railway.^d Of these, 7·5 miles of wire are for the use of the Khamgaon, 5·75 miles of wire for the Omraoti, and 41 miles of wire for the Wurdah Valley State Railways.^e Of these, 186 miles of wire are for the use of the Holkar and Neemuch State Railway.^f Of these, 867 miles of wire are rented to South Indian Railway Company.

Account

LENGTH of TELEGRAPH LINE and WIRE respectively OPEN, in each year

YEARS.		British Burma.	Arrakan.	TOTAL.	Bengal.	Dacca.	Assam.
1851-52	{ Line	...	...	...	83	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	...	83	...	...
1852-53	{ Line	...	...	...	83	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	...	83	...	...
1853-54	{ Line	...	...	...	91	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	...	91	...	...
1854-55	{ Line	...	...	...	2,131	...	...
	{ Wire	...	...	...	2,157	...	...
1855-56	{ Line	...	216	216	575	...	...
	{ Wire	...	216	216	601	...	...
1856-57	{ Line	...	216	216	575	...	...
	{ Wire	...	216	216	601	...	...
1857-58	{ Line	...	311	311	970	...	...
	{ Wire	...	311	311	1,102	...	...
1858-59	{ Line	...	404	404	1,140	110	...
	{ Wire	...	404	404	1,272	110	...
1859-60	{ Line	...	404	404	1,700	448	...
	{ Wire	...	404	404	1,896	448	...
1860-61	{ Line	...	538	538	1,749	619	...
	{ Wire	...	548	548	1,984	619	...
1861-62	{ Line	...	538	538	1,749	619	...
	{ Wire	...	548	548	1,984	619	...
1862-63	{ Line	...	668	668	1,749	500	...
	{ Wire	...	678	678	1,984	500	...
1863-64	{ Line	...	686½	686½	1,933½	500	...
	{ Wire	...	696½	696½	2,555½	500	...

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OPEN in the several DIVISIONS, in each year from 1851-52 to 1881-82—continued.

Bombay Presidency and Malabar Coast.	Oudh and Rohilkhand.	Rajpootana.	Nagpore.	Central India.	Indore.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	YEARS.
2,585½	757½	920½	1,140½	...	654	16,632	513	17,145	Line ... } 1875-76
5,648½	1,852½	2,845½	3,451½	...	957½	35,708½	572½	36,281½	Wire ... }
2,642½	754½	919½	1,110½	...	662½	17,231½	608	17,839½	Line ... } 1876-77
6,720½	1,846½	2,841½	3,452½	...	1,126½	39,112½	667½	39,780	Wire ... }
2,617½	787	959	895	...	601½	17,600½	609½	18,209½	Line ... } 1877-78
6,958½	1,905½	3,031	1,904½	...	1,050	42,116	679	42,795	Wire ... }
2,624	788	1,000	925	...	560	17,971	618	18,589	Line ... } 1878-79
7,321	1,924	3,324	2,005	...	1,011	43,891	688	44,579	Wire ... }
2,633	863	694	970	521	561	20,520	615	21,135	Line ... } 1879-80
7,404	2,088	1,953	2,107	1,870	1,181	52,914	792	53,706	Wire ... }
2,625	863	1,037	961	...	697	20,346	Transferred to the Colonial Govt., Ceylon.	20,346	Line ... } 1880-81
8,346	2,087	4,232	2,228	...	1,590	56,088		56,088	Wire ... }
2,648	906	1,053	1,047	...	746	21,049		21,049	Line ... } 1881-82
8,478	2,130	4,385	2,399	...	2,206	59,569		59,569	Wire ... }

g Of these, 1,065·96 miles of wire are for the use of the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway Company.

h Of these, 914 miles of wire are for the use of the Rajpootana State Railway.

i Of these, 669·9 miles of wire are for the use of the East Indian Railway Company, 7·5 miles of wire for the Khan gaon, 6 miles of wire for Omraoti, and 41·7 miles of wire for the Wardah Valley State Railway Telegraphs.

j Of these, 347·1 miles of wire are rented to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railway.

k Beluchistan from 1877-78.

† Peshawar-Cabul Division from 1879-80.

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from 1851-52 to 1881-82, in the DIVISIONS SHEWN in AGGREGATE in ACCOUNT No. 127.

TOTAL.	Punjab.	Sindh.	Beluchistan.	Peshawar- Cabul Division.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Malabar Coast.	TOTAL.	YEARS.
83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Line ... } 1851-52
83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wire ... }
83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Line ... } 1852-53
83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wire ... }
91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Line ... } 1853-54
91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Wire ... }
2,131	...	...	...	...	...	641	...	641	Line ... } 1854-55
2,167	...	...	...	...	...	674½	...	674½	Wire ... }
575	1,739	...	...	...	1,739	671	...	671	Line ... } 1855-56
601	1,739	...	...	...	1,739	704½	...	704½	Wire ... }
575	1,739	...	...	...	1,739	715	...	715	Line ... } 1856-57
601	1,739	...	...	...	1,739	748½	...	748½	Wire ... }
970	1,306	...	...	...	1,306	966	...	966	Line ... } 1857-58
1,102	1,306	...	...	...	1,306	999½	...	999½	Wire ... }
1,250	1,500	694	...	...	2,194	1,239	...	1,239	Line ... } 1858-59
1,382	1,500	694	...	...	2,194	1,272½	...	1,272½	Wire ... }
2,148	1,500	766	...	...	2,266	1,441	...	1,441	Line ... } 1859-60
2,344	1,500	766	...	...	2,266	1,572½	...	1,572½	Wire ... }
2,368	1,616	784	...	...	2,400	1,260	...	1,260	Line ... } 1860-61
2,603	1,616	784	...	...	2,400	1,391	...	1,391	Wire ... }
2,368	1,616	784	...	...	2,400	1,260	...	1,260	Line ... } 1861-62
2,603	1,616	784	...	...	2,400	1,391	...	1,391	Wire ... }
2,249	1,811½	784½	...	...	2,596½	1,238	...	1,238	Line ... } 1862-63
2,484	1,811½	790½	...	...	2,601½	1,369½	...	1,369½	Wire ... }
2,433½	1,744½	857½	...	...	2,602½	1,216½	...	1,216½	Line ... } 1863-64
3,055½	1,744½	863½	...	...	2,607½	1,348½	...	1,348½	Wire ... }

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TELEGRAPH.

Account

LENGTH of TELEGRAPH LINE and WIRE respectively OPEN, in each year

YEARS.		British Burma.	Arrakan.	TOTAL.	Bengal.	Dacca.	Aseam.
1864-65	{ Line	771½	...	771½	2,239½	648	...
	{ Wire	781½	...	781½	2,861½	648	...
1865-66	{ Line	771	...	771	1,610	669	727
	{ Wire	781	...	781	2,318½	669	727
1866-67 (11 months)	{ Line	787	...	787	1,602	669	687
	{ Wire	797	...	797	2,523½	669	687
1867-68	{ Line	581	404	985	1,502	502	687
	{ Wire	615	404	1,019	3,787½	502	687
1868-69	{ Line	581	404	985	1,638	496	606½
	{ Wire	606½	404	1,010½	4,267½	496	634
1869-70	{ Line	581	404	985	1,638	480	606½
	{ Wire	606½	404	1,010½	4,267½	480	634
1870-71	{ Line	583	415½	998½	1,615	475½	613½
	{ Wire	583	415½	998½	4,173½	475½	641½
1871-72	{ Line	547½	415½	962½	1,751½	541½	622½
	{ Wire	585	415½	1,000½	5,997 ^a	541½	650½
1872-73	{ Line	604	415½	1,019½	2,018½	515	627½
	{ Wire	649	415½	1,064½	6,970	515	655½
1873-74	{ Line	747	415	1,162	2,353	515	847
	{ Wire	863	423	1,286	7,184 ^d	515	874 ^e
1874-75	{ Line	730	416	1,146	1,911	514	852
	{ Wire	1,022	423	1,445	6,234 ^f	514	886 ^g
1875-76	{ Line	791½	413½	1,204½	1,820½	464	840
	{ Wire	1,077½	413½	1,490½	6,192½ ^h	464	867½ ^m
1876-77	{ Line	855½	422½	1,278	1,925½	465½	1,109½
	{ Wire	1,453½ ^g	422½	1,875½	6,656½ ^r	748½	1,141 ^s
1877-78	{ Line	877½	364½	1,242	2,195	829	768
	{ Wire	1,708½	640½	2,349	8,292½	855½	1,681½
1878-79	{ Line	958	404	1,362	2,265	800	687
	{ Wire	1,882	809	2,691	8,414	1,684	713
1879-80	{ Line	961	404	1,365	3,544	792	791
	{ Wire	1,886	809	2,695	13,464	1,897	840
1880-81	{ Line	965	406	1,371	3,591	792	802
	{ Wire	1,903	814	2,717	13,544	2,006	851
1881-82	{ Line	1,147	409	1,556	3,629	899	881
	{ Wire	2,165	816	2,981	13,904	2,117	944

^a Of these, 391 miles of wire are let to the Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway Company.^b Of these, 177 miles of wire are let to the Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway Company.^c Of these, 160 miles of wire are let to the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company.^d Of these, 528·95 miles of wire are rented to the Oudh and Rohilkhund Company, and 90 miles of wire to the Tirhoot State Railway.^e Of these, 219 miles of wire are rented to the Northern Bengal State Railway.^f Of these, 120 miles of wire are rented to the Indus Valley State Railway; 206 miles of wire to the Punjab Northern State Railway; 547 miles of wire to the Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway Company, and 5 miles to the Irrigation Department, Lower Ganges Canal.^g Of these, 182 miles of wire are rented to the B. B. & C. I. Railway Company, and 247 miles of wire are rented to the Nizam's State Railway.^h Of these, 59 miles of wire are for the Irrigation Department, Soane Canals, and 90 miles of wire rented to the Tirhoot State Railway.ⁱ Of these, 236 miles of wire are rented to the Northern Bengal State Railway.^j Of these, 120 miles of wire are rented to the Indus Valley State Railway, and 204 miles of wire to the Punjab Northern State Railway.^k Of these, 162 miles of wire are rented to the B. B. & C. I. (Guaranteed) Railway Company, 23 miles of wire to Patree State Railway and 246 miles to the Nizam's State Railway.

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No. 128—continued.

from 1851-52 to 1881-82, in the DIVISIONS SHEWN in AGGREGATE in ACCOUNT No. 127—continued.

TOTAL.	Punjab.	Sindh.	Beluchistan.	Peshawar- Cabul Division.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Malabar Coast.	TOTAL.	YEARS.
2,887½	1,744½	857½	...	...	2,602½	1,714½	...	1,714½	Line ... } 1864-65
3,509½	1,744½	863½	...	...	2,607½	1,931½	...	1,931½	Wire ... }
3,006	1,311	986	...	...	2,297	1,015	991	2,006	Line ... } 1865-66
3,714½	1,311	991½	...	...	2,302½	1,479	997½	2,476½	Wire ... }
2,958	1,311	986	...	...	2,297	1,015	991	2,006	Line ... } 1866-67
3,879½	1,311	1,096	...	...	2,407	1,557	997½	2,554½	Wire ... } (11 months)
2,691	1,336	993	...	...	2,329	1,015	1,010	2,025	Line ... } 1867-68
4,976½	1,336	1,103	...	...	2,439	1,557	1,016½	2,573½	Wire ... }
2,740½	1,397	993	...	...	2,390	950½	1,017½	1,967½	Line ... } 1868-69
5,397½	1,397	1,543	...	...	2,940	1,797½	1,017½	2,815	Wire ... }
2,724½	1,376	993	...	...	2,369	1,075	1,010	2,085	Line ... } 1869-70
5,381½	1,665	1,543	...	...	3,208	1,797	1,017	2,814	Wire ... }
2,703½	1,473	991	...	...	2,464	1,107½	1,036	2,143½	Line ... } 1870-71
5,290½	1,842	1,541	...	...	3,383	2,521½	1,041	3,562½	Wire ... }
2,915½	1,581	1,078	...	...	2,659	1,588	981½	2,569½	Line ... } 1871-72
7,189	2,433½	1,634	...	...	4,067	3,814½	989½	4,803½	Wire ... }
3,161	1,603½	1,138	...	...	2,741½	1,708½	983½	2,692	Line ... } 1872-73
8,140½	2,927	1,814	...	...	4,741	4,696	993½	5,689½	Wire ... }
3,715	1,874	960	...	...	2,834	1,844	908	2,752	Line ... } 1873-74
8,573	3,810½	1,788	...	...	5,598	5,088½	920	6,008	Wire ... }
3,277	1,531	870	...	...	2,401	1,755	884	2,639	Line ... } 1874-75
7,634	2,890½	1,429	...	...	4,319	4,880½	909	5,789	Wire ... }
3,124½	1,765	1,142	...	...	2,907	1,706½	879½	2,586	Line ... } 1875-76
7,523½	3,509½	2,443½	...	...	5,952½	4,754½	894½	5,648½	Wire ... }
3,500	1,448	1,467½	...	...	2,915½	1,760½	882½	2,642½	Line ... } 1876-77
8,545½	2,768½	3,434½	...	...	6,202½	5,824½	896½	6,720½	Wire ... }
3,792	1,409½	1,536½	188½	...	3,134½	1,839½	778½	2,617½	Line ... } 1877-78
10,828½	2,720	4,042½	188½	...	6,950½	6,166	792½	6,958½	Wire ... }
3,752	1,563	1,327	320	...	3,523*	1,838	785	2,624	Line ... } 1878-79
10,811	3,267	3,885	345	...	7,810*	6,435	886	7,321	Wire ... }
5,127	2,305	1,698	286	212	4,501	1,848	785	2,633	Line ... } 1879-80
16,201	5,296	4,677	308	270	10,551	6,520	884	7,404	Wire ... }
5,185	2,259	1,592	368	...	4,219	1,922	703	2,625	Line ... } 1880-81
16,401	6,041	4,715	417	...	11,173	7,628	718	8,346	Wire ... }
5,409	2,017	1,577	343	...	3,937	2,040	608	2,648	Line ... } 1881-82
16,965	6,282	4,687	392	...	11,361	7,859	619	8,478	Wire ... }

l Of these, 59 miles of wire are for the use of the Irrigation Department, Soane Canal Works, and 66 miles of wire for the use of the Tirhoot State Railway.

m Of these, 216 miles of wire are for the use of the Northern Bengal State Railway.

n Of these, 622 miles of wire are for the use of the Indus Valley State Railway (Northern Section), and 204 miles of wire for that of the Punjab Northern State Railway.

o Of these, 678 miles of wire are for the use of the Indus Valley State Railway (Southern Section).

p Of these, 290·75 miles of wire are for the use of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India (Guaranteed) Railway Company, 22·5 miles of wire for that of the Patree State Railway, and 246 miles of wire for that of the Nizam's State Railway.

q Of these, 326·5 miles of wire are for the use of the Rangoon and Irrawaddy State Railway.

r Of these, 162 miles of wire are for the use of the Tirhoot State Railway, 1·87 miles are for the use of the Eastern Bengal Railway Company, and 59 miles are for the Irrigation Department, Soane Canal Works.

s Of these, 216 miles of wire are for the use of the Northern Bengal State Railway.

t Of these, 206 miles of wire are for the use of the Punjab Northern State Railway.

u Of these, 1,009 miles of wire are for the use of the Indus Valley State Railway.

v Of these, 1,135·95 miles of wire are for the use of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India (Guaranteed) Railway Company, 243·6 miles of wire for the Nizam's, and 21 miles of wire for the Patree State Railway.

* Includes 313 miles for the Military Operations in Afghanistan.

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TELEGRAPH.

Account

NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES in each

DIVISIONS	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£.	£	£	£	£	£
SERVICE, PRIVATE, AND FREE.														
Arrakan ...	7,318	8,004	8,955	10,147	10,646	18,770	19,961	2,637	2,437	2,435	2,407	2,241	3,124	2,986
Assam ...	19,325	20,261	31,145	36,081	30,003	38,235	44,214	3,396	3,300	5,052	5,455	5,442	7,698	7,384
Bellary ...	23,199	35,802	41,279	29,901	29,847	Bangalore 29,341	28,004	3,484	5,782	7,217	4,746	4,443	4,224	3,781
Bengal ...	163,529	191,576	235,495	223,485	231,422	258,553	284,418	37,203	45,602	51,951	48,416	52,343	53,672	50,929
British Bur- ma.	59,418	64,569	77,251	85,117	91,563	97,938	103,541	13,676	14,639	17,861	20,133	19,495	18,374	17,157
Bombay ...	191,686	247,188	313,542	300,128	338,133	367,974	366,450	60,112	69,496	83,376	80,955	89,995	92,644	85,047
Dacca ...	10,919	11,174	12,067	13,207	26,274	19,724	24,507	2,431	2,524	2,402	2,270	4,050	2,554	3,132
Ganjam ...	39,116	59,221	77,595	63,573	68,997	68,563	73,464	6,874	10,215	13,908	10,168	10,512	9,627	9,537
Indore ...	36,660	32,631	51,447	53,280	54,439	64,905	44,209	5,107	4,307	6,951	7,113	7,285	7,961	5,785
Madras ...	85,780	117,671	150,865	121,577	133,050	157,682	183,146	23,997	26,540	39,849	32,215	36,718	39,727	43,865
Malabar ...	51,364	63,302	66,575	52,531	54,779	57,175	57,565	8,968	10,733	11,243	9,285	8,946	9,555	8,517
Nagpore ...	14,927	22,781	25,757	25,522	28,226	31,141	28,697	2,303	3,390	3,639	3,426	3,573	3,729	3,457
Ondh and Rohilkhund.	22,518	25,762	33,743	42,335	42,410	49,040	51,605	3,727	3,849	4,921	6,181	6,262	6,965	6,809
Punjab ...	74,642	88,687	99,669	139,969	187,099	191,775	149,326	14,735	19,165	24,006	39,605	58,907	55,544	30,285
Rajpootana.	16,201	17,791	16,870	19,183	19,353	19,143	19,416	2,587	2,692	2,555	2,810	2,846	2,763	2,910
Sindh ...	46,301	49,669	53,031	95,869	80,877	85,499	102,018	18,098	15,559	14,428	28,992	23,806	27,731	30,790
Afghanistan and Belu- chistan...	...	...	...	...	80,828	89,505	34,124	...	...	...	...	31,841	45,228	13,103
TOTAL ...	862,903	1,056,089	1,295,286	1,312,205	1,507,946	1,644,963	1,614,665	209,335	240,230	290,894	304,177	373,765	391,120	325,474
Ceylon ...	52,077	60,254	69,086	67,107	63,308	Transferred to Colo- nial Govt., Ceylon.		11,114	12,685	13,636	13,210	12,485	Transferred to Colo- nial Govt., Ceylon.	
GRAND TOTAL.	914,980	1,116,343	1,364,372	1,379,312	1,571,254	1,644,963	1,614,665	220,449	252,915*	304,530	317,387	386,250	391,120	325,474
SERVICE.														
Arrakan ...	335	528	569	735	917	2,086	1,975	84	191	171	179	221	403	316
Assam ...	4,686	4,517	6,999	10,385	8,433	13,988	15,639	1,163	1,000	1,578	1,902	2,308	4,271	3,550
Bellary ...	2,052	3,247	4,858	4,686	4,736	Bangalore 5,257	5,110	572	1,301	2,306	1,335	1,036	Bangalore 1,107	832
Bengal ...	15,542	16,506	18,122	23,196	29,255	32,087	33,752	5,230	6,231	6,244	9,186	12,229	12,980	9,792
British Bur- ma.	5,446	5,261	5,810	7,579	9,315	8,822	10,525	1,747	1,599	1,989	2,797	2,915	2,387	2,227
Bombay ...	12,434	13,307	18,021	24,945	30,585	37,274	30,883	4,889	4,832	6,988	8,970	11,499	14,734	10,233
Dacca ...	661	634	821	1,152	6,155	4,131	4,539	158	153	170	146	1,243	632	691
Ganjam ...	1,663	2,381	4,206	4,710	5,235	6,090	6,000	408	705	1,302	1,392	1,397	859	668
Indore ...	2,592	1,996	3,282	4,557	5,064	5,494	6,008	701	499	814	1,118	1,350	1,483	1,568
Carried over	45,411	48,377	62,688	81,945	99,695	115,229	114,431	14,952	16,511	21,562	27,625	34,198	38,856	29,927

* From this amount is to be deducted £477, on account of value of unpaid State and Press messages erroneously credited to Revenue in 1874.

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No. 129.

DIVISION in each Year from 1875-76 to 1881-82.

DIVISIONS.	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
PRIVATE.														
Arrakan ...	6,616	7,115	8,031	9,064	9,336	16,684	17,986	1,711	1,679	1,916	2,120	1,930	2,721	2,670
Assam ...	13,875	15,218	24,144	25,588	21,398	24,090	28,416	2,079	2,202	3,474	3,542	3,116	3,407	3,813
Bellary ...	20,780	32,196	36,056	24,846	24,654	23,626	22,655	2,825	4,363	4,771	3,303	3,247	2,980	2,820
Bengal ...	147,201	174,314	216,604	199,471	201,362	226,372	250,593	31,628	38,999	45,163	39,020	40,021	40,678	41,128
British Bur- ma.	53,972	59,308	71,441	77,501	82,248	89,116	93,016	11,929	13,040	15,872	17,311	16,580	15,987	14,930
Bombay ...	179,057	233,643	295,279	274,969	306,841	330,470	335,366	41,265	52,267	65,495	62,210	68,765	74,236	70,763
Dacca ...	9,516	9,923	10,882	11,702	19,781	15,593	19,968	1,811	1,891	1,950	2,046	2,751	1,922	2,441
Ganjam ...	37,131	56,548	72,653	57,927	62,802	62,466	67,455	6,013	9,162	11,291	8,591	9,008	8,766	8,866
Indore ...	34,068	30,635	48,165	48,723	49,375	59,411	38,201	4,406	3,808	6,137	5,995	5,935	6,478	4,217
Madras ...	79,886	109,804	140,897	112,783	125,294	148,670	172,387	21,695	22,896	34,111	29,322	34,722	37,505	41,556
Malabar ...	48,154	59,612	62,879	47,572	49,483	51,487	52,810	8,038	9,499	9,922	7,073	7,292	8,048	7,540
Nagpore ...	12,495	20,062	22,570	20,786	22,651	25,045	22,368	1,545	2,501	2,675	2,334	2,462	2,591	2,388
Oudh and Rohilkhund.	17,977	21,799	28,859	32,818	32,618	37,726	41,101	2,553	2,899	3,436	4,060	4,109	4,478	4,711
Punjab ...	52,265	62,957	70,012	79,690	96,762	100,474	93,007	7,736	9,489	10,414	12,538	15,091	14,090	12,282
Rajpootana	14,134	15,789	14,549	15,570	15,408	14,940	13,986	1,976	2,136	1,882	1,881	1,809	1,730	1,692
Sindh ...	41,832	43,732	44,288	58,344	58,135	63,018	82,197	16,383	12,941	10,827	13,553	16,444	17,990	23,278
Afghanistan and Belu- chistan ...	...	...	...	...	32,696	35,630	11,757	...	...	...	...	6,482	7,290	2,133
TOTAL ...	768,959	952,655	1,167,309	1,097,354	1,210,845	1,324,818	1,363,269	163,593	189,772	229,336	214,899	239,764	250,897	247,228
Ceylon ...	47,424	55,464	63,612	61,516	57,772	...	...	10,316	11,853	12,631	12,265	11,502	...	...
GRAND TOTAL.	816,383	1,008,119	1,230,921	1,158,870	1,268,617	1,324,818	1,363,269	173,909	201,625	241,967	227,164	251,266	250,897	247,228
FREE.														
Arrakan ...	367	361	355	348	393	...	...	842	567	348	108	90	...	...
Assam ...	764	526	2	108	172	157	159	154	98	1	11	18	20	21
Bellary ...	367	359	365	369	457	458	239	87	118	139	108	160	137	79
Bengal ...	786	556	769	818	805	94	73	345	372	544	210	93	14	9
British Bur- ma.	...	...	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...
Bombay ...	195	238	242	214	707	230	201	13,958	12,997	10,893	9,775	9,731	3,674	4,061
Dacca ...	742	617	364	353	338	...	...	462	480	282	78	56	...	...
Ganjam ...	322	292	736	936	959	7	9	453	348	416	185	107	2	3
Madras ...	409	400	389	278	356	440	381	606	794	718	207	90	193	164
Carried over	3,952	3,549	3,222	3,461	4,187	1,386	1,062	16,907	15,174	13,341	10,707	10,345	4,040	4,327

* Includes News Free, T. D. and other free messages.

Part III]

MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS.

Account No. 129]

TELEGRAPH.

Account

NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES in each

DIVISIONS.	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
SERVICE.														
Brought forward ...	45,411	48,377	62,688	81,945	99,695	115,229	114,431	14,952	16,511	21,562	27,025	34,198	38,856	29,927
Madras ...	5,485	7,467	9,579	8,516	7,400	8,572	10,378	1,696	2,850	5,019	2,686	1,966	2,029	2,145
Malabar ...	2,700	3,169	3,191	4,948	4,923	5,342	4,743	798	1,125	1,195	2,116	1,567	1,266	975
Nagpore ...	2,432	2,719	3,187	4,736	5,575	6,096	6,329	758	889	964	1,092	1,111	1,138	1,069
Oudh and Rohilkhund.	4,541	3,963	4,884	9,466	9,743	11,272	10,472	1,174	950	1,485	2,116	2,148	2,483	2,095
Punjab ...	22,377	25,730	29,657	60,250	90,287	91,248	56,266	6,999	9,676	13,592	27,064	43,811	41,449	17,997
Rajpootana	2,067	2,002	2,321	3,613	3,945	4,203	5,430	611	556	673	929	1,037	1,033	1,218
Sindh ...	4,469	5,937	8,743	37,524	22,742	22,262	19,821	1,715	2,618	3,601	15,439	12,362	9,617	7,512
Afghanistan and Beluchistan...	...	...	...	...	47,588	53,735	22,236	...	...	...	...	25,061	37,847	10,934
TOTAL ...	89,482	99,364	124,250	210,998	291,898	317,959	250,106	28,703	35,175	48,091	78,467	123,261	135,718	73,872
Ceylon ...	1,504	1,553	1,843	1,853	1,996	...	...	323	336	312	308	326	...	...
GRAND TOTAL.	90,986	100,917	126,093	212,851	293,894	317,959	250,106	29,026	35,511	48,403	78,775	123,587	135,718	73,872

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NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES in all DIVISIONS, in each month in each year from 1875-76 to 1881-82.

MONTHS.	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.*	1881-82.*	1875-76	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.*	1881-82.*
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
SERVICE, PRIVATE AND FREE.														
April ...	82,703	78,961	115,105	113,341	135,990	148,127	135,389	19,624	17,384	24,887	25,148	31,343	34,694	30,432
May ...	73,846	75,126	108,003	105,045	133,275	131,833	129,922	17,415	17,132	24,498	23,118	30,528	30,171	28,292
June ...	62,891	65,897	87,466	97,589	108,236	115,826	116,010	15,820	15,229	21,852	20,671	25,670	27,947	24,728
July ...	62,525	69,651	108,949	96,078	102,481	119,131	116,856	15,923	15,927	24,969	21,961	23,711	30,422	24,045
August ...	62,663	70,700	122,487	95,053	102,068	135,946	125,255	15,434	16,921	28,132	21,643	23,482	36,908	25,700
September...	68,692	77,295	127,965	101,335	131,424	140,566	124,559	16,047	18,046	28,142	23,268	34,529	34,095	25,428
October ...	72,742	97,216	131,265	125,338	141,982	142,625	130,552	17,185	21,194	27,784	29,110	38,070	35,095	26,836
November...	78,992	123,224	109,718	130,002	125,434	141,158	139,771	18,967	25,916	23,936	29,972	31,413	33,400	28,425
December...	80,192	124,862	105,330	125,261	135,293	140,613	136,799	18,876	27,676	23,619	29,795	34,198	31,868	27,104
January ...	83,959	117,490	111,791	127,587	149,362	139,890	149,862	21,221	26,813	25,292	30,527	38,201	32,532	28,827
February ...	87,417	101,742	114,029	122,145	147,747	134,167	141,280	21,120	23,942	24,685	28,660	36,426	29,519	25,413
March ...	98,358	114,179	122,264	140,538	157,962	155,081	168,410	22,817	26,735	26,734	33,514	38,679	34,469	30,244
TOTAL ...	914,980	1,116,343	1,364,372	1,379,312	1,571,254	1,644,983	1,614,665	220,449	252,915	304,530	317,387	386,250	391,120	325,474

* Exclusive of the Ceylon Telegraphs which are transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon.

† From this amount is to be deducted £477, value of unpaid State and Press messages erroneously credited to Revenue in 1874.

NOTE.—From the year 1880-81, these figures are exclusive of those of the Ceylon Telegraphs, which were transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon in that year.

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DIVISION in each Year from 1875-76 to 1881-82—continued.

DIVISIONS.	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	1880-81.	1881-82.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brought forward ...	3,952	3,549	3,222	3,461	4,187	1,386	1,062	16,907	15,174	13,341	10,707	10,345	4,040	4,327
Malabar ...	510	521	505	311	373	346	12	132	109	126	96	87	241	2
Oudh and Rohilkhand.	...	...	...	51	49	42	32	...	...	...	5	5	4	3
Punjab ...	...	...	...	29	50	53	53	..	...	...	3	5	5	6
Sindh ...	...	...	...	1	...	219	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	...
Afghanistan and Belu-chistan ...	...	...	...	...	544	140	131	...	...	...	...	298	91	36
TOTAL ...	4,462	4,070	3,727	3,853	5,203	2,186	1,290	17,039	15,283	13,467	10,811	10,740	4,505	4,374
Ceylon ...	3,949	3,237	3,631	3,738	3,540	...	...	475	496	693	637	657	...	...
GRAND TOTAL.	7,611	7,307	7,358	7,591	8,743	2,186	1,290	*17,514	*15,799	14,160†	11,448a	11,397	4,505	4,374

* Includes News Free, T. D. and other free messages.

† Including value of free copies of Reuter's messages to Government and Press, and concessions to Portuguese and French Governments.

(a) Including the value of free copies of messages to Government and Press.

Account No. 130—continued.

NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES in all DIVISIONS in each month in each year from 1875-76 to 1881-82—contd.

MONTHS.	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76	1876-77	1877-78	1878-79	1879-80	*1880-81	*1881-82	1875-76	1876-77	1877-78	1878-79	1879-80	*1880-81.	*1881-82
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
SERVICE														
April ...	6,733	7,513	8,713	13,172	23,043	28,465	25,289	2,423	2,447	3,499	5,085	9,355	12,718	10,128
May ...	5,791	6,518	8,574	9,755	20,551	23,877	21,715	2,046	2,060	3,278	3,194	8,050	10,135	8,515
June ...	5,459	5,765	7,359	9,501	18,910	21,044	18,050	1,740	1,771	3,151	3,001	6,837	8,733	6,009
July ...	6,229	6,073	9,151	12,663	17,050	24,601	19,480	2,034	1,963	3,640	4,079	5,547	10,610	5,539
August ...	6,586	6,801	11,894	13,195	16,367	35,024	19,497	1,997	2,150	5,326	4,140	5,271	17,118	5,623
September...	7,117	7,960	12,918	15,585	30,688	30,142	18,841	2,133	2,432	5,464	5,214	13,173	12,739	5,241
October ...	7,811	9,060	12,690	25,477	32,502	31,708	23,395	2,329	3,154	4,829	9,030	13,768	13,694	6,547
November...	9,708	10,656	11,147	25,089	23,414	26,101	22,360	3,139	3,606	3,739	9,015	9,913	11,394	6,202
December ...	9,170	11,097	10,313	21,836	24,593	23,125	19,736	2,841	4,096	3,844	9,066	11,539	9,463	5,385
January ...	8,017	9,406	9,835	21,103	28,420	24,481	20,729	2,646	3,662	3,630	8,648	13,479	10,288	5,124
February ...	8,069	9,521	10,574	19,975	27,668	21,129	18,576	2,519	3,894	3,596	8,281	12,587	8,101	4,477
March ...	10,296	11,447	12,925	25,500	30,688	28,262	22,438	3,179	4,276	4,407	10,022	14,068	10,725	5,082
TOTAL ...	90,986	100,917	126,093	212,851	293,894	317,959	250,106	29,026	35,511	48,403	78,775	123,587	135,718	73,872

* Exclusive of the Ceylon Telegraphs, which are transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon.

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NUMBER and VALUE of MESSAGES in all DIVISIONS in each month in each year from 1875-76 to 1881-82—concluded.

MONTHS.	NUMBER OF MESSAGES.							VALUE OF MESSAGES.						
	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	*1880-81.	*1881-82.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80.	*1880-81.	*1881-82.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
PRIVATE.														
April ...	75,413	70,929	105,909	99,624	112,253	119,565	110,027	15,690	13,882	20,170	19,052	20,923	21,665	19,986
May ...	67,355	67,927	98,794	94,552	111,916	107,726	108,038	14,109	13,728	19,396	18,642	21,534	19,652	19,520
June ...	56,740	59,406	79,492	87,401	88,577	94,534	97,875	12,728	11,843	17,003	16,546	17,887	18,781	18,460
July ...	55,550	62,841	99,105	82,744	84,631	94,246	97,294	12,338	12,920	19,636	16,909	17,036	19,412	18,178
August ...	55,365	63,164	109,854	81,168	84,932	100,652	105,639	12,029	13,056	21,121	16,594	172,256	19,356	19,780
September...	60,885	69,591	114,378	85,082	99,983	110,086	105,601	12,592	14,476	21,901	17,238	20,289	20,917	19,931
October ...	64,218	87,431	117,897	99,119	108,652	110,648	107,052	13,342	16,867	22,187	19,180	23,213	20,975	19,978
November...	68,724	111,980	97,994	104,348	101,373	114,931	117,280	14,439	20,954	19,452	20,167	20,680	21,695	21,959
December ...	70,452	113,242	94,403	102,873	110,037	117,397	116,988	14,419	22,534	18,985	19,776	21,602	22,011	21,510
January ...	75,387	107,562	101,418	105,885	120,251	115,310	129,008	17,057	21,695	20,768	20,969	23,918	21,920	23,013
February ...	78,807	91,794	102,920	101,625	119,439	112,972	122,599	17,131	18,728	20,086	19,583	22,934	21,076	20,374
March ...	87,487	102,252	108,757	114,449	126,573	126,751	145,868	18,035	20,942	21,262	22,508	23,944	23,437	24,539
TOTAL ...	816,383	1,008,119	1,230,921	1,158,870	1,268,617	1,324,818	1,363,269	173,909	201,625	241,967	227,164	251,266	250,897	247,228
FREE.														
April ...	557	519	483	545	694	97	73	1,511	1,055	1,218	1,011	1,065	311	318
May ...	700	681	635	738	808	230	169	1,260	1,344	1,824	1,282	894	384	257
June ...	692	726	615	687	749	248	85	1,352	1,615	1,698	1,124	946	433	259
July ...	746	737	693	671	800	284	82	1,551	1,044	1,693	973	1,128	400	328
August ...	712	735	739	690	769	270	119	1,408	1,715	1,685	909	955	434	297
September...	690	644	669	668	753	338	117	1,322	1,138	777	816	1,067	439	256
October ...	713	725	678	742	828	269	105	1,514	1,173	768	900	1,089	426	311
November...	560	588	577	565	647	126	131	1,389	1,356	745	790	820	311	264
December ...	570	523	614	552	663	91	75	1,616	1,046	790	953	1,057	394	209
January ...	555	522	538	599	691	99	125	1,518	1,456	894	910	804	324	690
February ...	541	427	535	545	640	66	105	1,470	1,320	1,003	796	905	342	562
March ...	575	480	582	589	701	68	104	1,603	1,517	1,065	984	667	307	623
TOTAL ...	7,611	7,307	7,358	7,591	8,743	2,186	1,290	17,514	15,779†	14,160†	11,448†	11,397	4,505	4,374

* Exclusive of the Ceylon Telegraphs which are transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon.

† Including value of free copies of Reuter's messages to Government and Press, and concessions to Portuguese and French Governments.

(a) Including the value of free copies of messages to Government and Press.

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Account No. 131.

TOTAL NUMBER of SERVICE and PRIVATE MESSAGES in each DIVISION of the TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT in each month in each year from 1867-68 to 1878-79.

	Assam.	Bangalore.	Bengal.	Bombay.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.	Madras.	Malabar.	Nagpore.	Pegu.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1867-68																	
Apl. 1867	271	762	5,436	4,362	624	1,647	1,104	2,555	2,566	545	1,790	2,379	482	2,408	26,931	601	27,532
May „	201	845	4,263	4,261	503	1,375	1,137	2,402	2,540	485	1,675	2,544	508	2,329	25,068	647	25,715
June „	195	818	3,442	3,095	327	1,299	771	2,230	1,125	407	1,474	2,237	402	1,434	19,256	662	19,918
July „	176	794	3,712	2,607	391	1,240	780	2,102	1,102	479	1,553	2,494	477	1,496	19,403	669	20,072
Aug. „	250	714	3,975	3,422	350	1,382	650	2,268	1,099	374	1,425	2,386	427	1,834	20,556	690	21,246
Sept. „	293	857	4,268	4,166	455	1,462	739	2,116	1,297	561	1,377	2,696	599	2,000	22,886	661	23,547
Oct. „	427	960	4,051	5,405	463	1,595	972	2,365	1,682	630	1,739	3,663	720	2,528	27,200	840	28,040
Nov. „	332	652	5,366	5,311	402	1,469	1,049	2,295	1,980	624	1,747	2,270	575	1,987	26,059	817	26,876
Dec. „	359	674	4,410	4,888	511	1,629	1,118	2,396	2,162	628	1,582	1,670	551	2,117	24,695	689	25,384
Jan. 1868	266	675	5,111	4,854	703	2,021	1,144	2,847	2,218	804	2,024	1,348	532	2,595	27,142	747	27,889
Feb. „	343	840	6,428	5,734	738	2,033	1,247	3,303	2,695	753	1,725	1,794	625	3,167	31,425	768	32,193
March „	301	869	5,326	5,374	843	2,018	1,417	3,127	2,336	791	2,031	2,018	675	4,444	31,570	962	32,532
TOTAL...	3,414	9,460	55,788	53,479	6,310	19,170	12,128	30,006	22,802	7,081	20,142	27,499	6,573	28,339	302,191	8,753	310,944

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TOTAL NUMBER of SERVICE and PRIVATE MESSAGES in each DIVISION of

	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bangalore.	Bengal.	B. Burma.	Bombay.	Central India.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1868-69.										
April 1868 ...	298	318	813	4,729	1,759	5,723	121	178	1,695	1,479
May " ...	272	289	788	4,884	1,513	5,592	97	235	2,139	1,240
June " ...	122	232	858	4,139	1,261	4,206	117	272	1,790	773
July " ...	144	241	779	3,989	1,452	3,932	109	287	1,758	913
August " ...	130	208	693	3,140	1,302	3,752	100	230	1,508	996
September " ...	142	257	824	3,555	1,575	3,687	109	344	1,717	1,865
October " ...	190	381	739	4,356	1,692	5,090	210	340	1,954	1,744
November " ...	170	358	733	5,834	1,538	5,952	297	245	1,822	1,762
December " ...	289	375	713	6,980	1,788	6,251	346	488	1,880	1,546
January 1869 ...	376	547	808	7,151	2,126	9,214	244	377	2,265	2,201
February " ...	357	533	738	7,274	2,108	7,839	220	333	2,168	2,912
March " ...	461	520	1,293	7,451	2,068	8,404	212	379	2,184	2,170
TOTAL ...	2,951	4,259	9,779	63,482	20,182	69,642	2,182	3,708	22,860	19,601
1869-70.										
April 1869 ...	364	471	897	6,227	1,638	8,653	251	358	2,009	2,786
May " ...	284	299	935	6,121	1,980	6,908	194	237	1,539	1,791
June " ...	191	398	1,000	5,464	1,509	6,166	181	295	1,716	1,332
July " ...	249	371	896	6,098	1,906	5,445	207	276	1,701	1,144
August " ...	239	353	1,003	6,371	1,723	6,197	219	286	1,993	1,759
September " ...	256	308	989	6,382	1,980	6,995	283	352	1,937	1,728
October " ...	247	513	807	6,418	1,900	7,484	300	357	1,971	2,615
November " ...	228	496	669	7,362	2,013	8,074	413	357	1,869	2,180
December " ...	314	489	660	7,906	2,226	7,383	363	497	2,262	1,974
January 1870 ...	368	432	812	9,817	2,516	8,120	318	483	2,537	1,847
February " ...	479	399	786	8,054	2,515	9,239	415	447	2,497	1,767
March " ...	593	360	903	8,336	3,002	9,894	532	434	2,887	1,915
TOTAL ...	3,812	4,895	10,357	84,556	24,908	90,558	3,676	4,379	24,918	22,838
1870-71.										
April 1870 ...	546	364	1,391	8,454	2,309	11,437	...	409	2,653	2,326
May " ...	445	384	1,241	7,781	2,414	10,752	...	395	2,440	1,954
June " ...	278	355	1,071	7,115	2,380	8,930	...	324	2,170	1,745
July " ...	219	422	1,221	7,604	2,345	10,766	...	279	2,001	1,393
August " ...	227	404	1,464	7,902	2,283	10,879	...	344	1,985	2,196
September " ...	211	391	1,349	7,677	2,268	9,299	...	453	2,043	1,961
October " ...	172	384	1,313	7,831	2,135	9,547	...	407	1,866	1,559
November " ...	251	440	1,398	9,244	2,531	11,286	...	591	2,234	1,650
December " ...	350	467	1,402	10,162	2,603	10,174	...	636	2,133	1,674
January 1871 ...	516	693	1,503	10,336	2,327	11,153	...	678	2,709	1,459
February " ...	523	684	1,543	9,298	2,847	11,076	...	584	2,666	1,426
March " ...	720	706	1,391	10,380	3,340	12,891	...	584	2,834	1,736
TOTAL ...	4,458	5,694	16,287	103,784	30,382	128,190	...	5,684	27,734	21,079

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Madras.	Malabar.	Nagpore.	Punjab.	Rajpootana	Sindh.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	1868-69.
3,072	2,757	509	2,010	659	2,150	28,270	821	29,091	April 1868
3,142	2,731	592	1,867	600	3,098	29,079	759	29,838	May "
2,620	1,291	458	1,823	453	1,943	22,358	835	23,193	June "
2,561	1,009	503	1,799	406	1,744	21,606	788	22,394	July "
2,620	1,312	472	3,055	416	1,866	21,800	789	22,589	August "
2,499	1,592	543	3,007	523	1,766	24,095	816	24,911	September "
2,803	2,247	750	3,591	1,076	2,212	29,375	829	30,204	October "
2,982	2,928	1,189	3,286	1,006	2,614	32,716	879	33,595	November "
2,693	2,541	1,318	2,766	813	2,219	33,006	850	33,856	December "
3,164	2,672	2,172	2,192	914	2,939	39,362	1,115	40,477	January 1869
3,258	2,821	1,617	2,247	901	3,829	39,155	1,875	41,030	February "
3,352	3,426	1,417	3,356	975	3,633	41,301	1,992	43,293	March "
34,766	27,327	11,540	31,089	8,742	30,013	362,123	12,348	374,471	TOTAL "
3,411	3,896	1,491	3,411	1,182	3,600	40,645	2,032	42,677	1869-70. April 1869
3,045	3,375	778	2,928	891	3,315	34,620	1,992	36,612	May "
3,032	1,771	798	2,691	1,027	3,137	30,708	1,767	32,475	June "
2,884	1,547	848	3,244	887	2,783	30,486	1,992	32,478	July "
2,984	1,935	1,346	3,497	1,073	3,125	34,103	1,730	35,833	August "
2,619	2,222	2,453	4,081	1,092	2,930	36,607	1,746	38,353	September "
2,690	2,664	2,115	4,285	1,351	2,730	38,447	1,891	40,338	October "
2,481	2,831	2,076	2,725	1,294	3,205	38,273	2,086	40,359	November "
2,706	3,324	1,761	2,145	1,049	3,513	38,572	2,261	40,833	December "
3,687	4,003	2,216	2,294	911	4,193	44,554	2,449	47,003	January 1870
3,732	3,675	2,485	2,775	827	3,971	44,063	2,678	46,741	February "
4,143	4,152	2,216	3,012	1,110	4,710	48,205	2,711	50,916	March "
37,414	35,395	20,583	37,088	12,694	41,212	459,283	25,335	484,618	TOTAL
3,694	4,341	1,879	3,319	960	3,515	47,597	2,604	50,201	1870-71. April 1870
3,661	4,168	1,295	3,372	989	3,594	44,885	2,782	47,667	May "
3,250	2,219	1,568	3,232	771	2,731	38,139	2,345	40,484	June "
3,466	1,900	2,287	3,292	678	1,998	39,871	2,596	42,467	July "
3,653	2,095	2,355	3,578	917	2,070	42,352	2,637	44,989	August "
3,397	2,548	1,536	3,805	1,203	2,343	40,484	2,582	43,066	September "
3,213	3,130	2,151	4,014	1,306	2,918	41,946	2,528	44,474	October "
3,343	3,694	1,747	3,159	836	2,964	45,368	3,084	48,452	November "
3,354	3,501	1,682	3,491	872	5,077	47,583	3,090	50,673	December "
5,120	4,582	2,137	3,392	803	4,860	52,868	2,684	55,552	January 1871
4,996	4,660	2,001	3,126	830	3,434	49,694	2,577	52,271	February "
5,332	5,137	2,047	3,473	1,002	2,825	54,398	2,667	57,065	March "
46,479	41,975	22,690	41,253	11,167	38,329	545,185	32,176	577,361	TOTAL

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	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bangalore.	Bengal.	B. Burma.	Bombay.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1871-72.									
April 1871	486	605	1,296	9,440	2,581	10,977	427	2,318	1,744
May "	462	650	1,598	8,986	2,438	10,952	441	2,404	2,432
June "	275	569	1,729	9,410	2,256	11,079	342	2,557	2,057
July "	255	512	1,654	9,147	2,366	9,026	409	2,357	1,486
August "	290	524	1,905	9,039	2,458	9,757	442	2,393	1,439
September "	290	586	1,756	9,538	2,794	10,487	625	2,251	1,438
October "	336	1,056	1,751	9,583	2,963	12,069	740	2,817	2,040
November "	375	1,382	1,647	11,217	2,953	12,878	842	3,066	2,582
December "	417	1,609	1,630	10,981	2,975	12,995	1,054	2,853	2,350
January 1872	412	1,260	1,845	11,231	3,219	15,676	915	3,063	1,908
February "	513	1,534	1,691	11,323	3,098	15,228	943	2,781	2,636
March "	680	1,629	1,649	10,773	3,472	14,946	1,244	2,375	2,198
TOTAL	4,791	11,916	20,143	120,668	33,573	146,070	8,424	31,735	24,310
1872-73.									
April 1872	526	840	1,541	11,164	2,972	15,133	672	2,460	2,077
May "	587	800	1,640	10,376	2,657	14,231	556	2,880	2,420
June "	329	741	1,589	8,173	2,421	10,059	468	2,372	1,761
July "	269	707	1,742	8,372	2,550	11,088	540	2,516	1,580
August "	292	687	2,125	8,438	2,769	11,027	588	2,211	2,470
September "	362	692	1,756	9,010	2,658	11,768	921	2,176	2,042
October "	401	928	2,027	8,585	2,794	12,606	882	2,100	3,006
November "	402	1,157	2,101	11,487	2,873	13,565	984	2,318	2,743
December "	458	909	1,817	11,513	3,107	12,669	1,050	2,546	2,036
January 1873	679	829	1,901	11,175	3,327	14,901	1,028	3,032	2,984
February "	643	858	1,682	11,151	3,335	14,793	818	2,560	3,687
March "	806	870	1,754	12,208	3,822	17,672	738	2,896	3,674
TOTAL	5,754	10,018	21,675	121,652	35,285	159,512	9,245	30,067	30,480
1873-74.									
April 1873	637	819	1,674	11,038	3,510	15,395	621	2,619	2,253
May "	468	973	1,843	9,200	3,382	15,222	612	2,632	2,026
June "	384	943	1,809	7,927	2,733	9,608	569	1,923	1,494
July "	267	866	1,913	8,106	2,882	9,750	487	2,068	1,532
August "	317	770	1,653	8,374	3,225	8,944	549	2,137	2,057
September "	371	942	1,860	9,538	3,423	10,385	781	2,569	1,839
October "	315	959	1,738	10,576	3,465	11,625	898	2,272	2,113
November "	389	1,199	2,005	14,590	4,076	14,258	1,133	3,397	2,439
December "	538	1,195	1,726	14,773	5,033	13,655	1,215	3,976	1,899
January 1874	766	1,005	1,958	15,852	5,497	17,519	1,228	4,188	1,940
February "	978	1,105	1,854	14,978	5,771	16,413	950	3,814	1,716
March "	1,033	1,105	2,018	19,777	6,081	17,924	970	3,885	2,565
TOTAL	6,463	11,881	22,051	144,729	49,078	160,698	10,013	35,480	23,873

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Madras.	Malabar.	Nagpore.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	1871-72.
4,745	4,333	1,687	3,725	1,060	2,514	47,938	2,445	50,383	April 1871
5,176	5,060	1,385	3,965	955	3,213	50,117	2,683	52,800	May "
5,961	3,022	1,195	3,689	1,412	3,353	48,898	2,139	51,037	June "
5,456	2,262	791	3,623	823	2,537	42,704	2,366	45,070	July "
5,317	2,473	1,019	4,363	909	2,372	44,700	2,456	47,156	August "
4,748	3,493	821	4,520	950	2,926	47,223	2,376	49,599	September "
5,098	4,134	1,067	5,515	1,225	3,120	53,514	2,436	55,950	October "
5,579	4,212	1,260	4,367	1,296	3,185	56,841	2,935	59,776	November "
4,599	4,099	1,435	3,825	925	3,034	54,781	2,734	57,515	December "
5,303	4,385	2,236	4,052	1,034	4,054	60,593	2,618	63,211	January 1872
4,795	3,902	2,361	3,471	1,108	3,489	58,873	2,296	61,169	February "
5,609	4,007	1,723	3,828	971	2,960	58,564	2,708	61,272	March "
62,386	45,382	16,980	48,943	12,668	36,757	624,746	30,192	654,938	TOTAL
									1872-73.
5,498	4,518	1,351	4,254	969	2,794	56,769	2,483	59,252	April 1872
6,062	4,530	1,006	4,421	1,040	2,386	55,622	2,494	58,116	May "
5,377	2,226	813	3,938	743	1,784	42,794	2,197	44,991	June "
5,816	1,812	1,260	4,719	875	2,100	45,946	2,324	48,270	July "
5,228	1,881	1,223	5,631	983	2,378	47,931	2,341	50,272	August "
5,126	2,832	1,367	5,879	856	2,778	50,223	3,078	53,301	September "
5,429	3,222	1,307	6,665	943	2,680	53,575	2,857	56,432	October "
5,213	3,637	1,389	5,089	883	2,848	56,689	2,891	59,580	November "
5,426	4,315	1,659	4,412	817	2,655	55,389	2,955	58,344	December "
6,152	4,730	2,303	4,011	772	2,923	60,747	3,038	63,785	January 1873
5,501	3,973	2,162	4,514	990	2,621	59,288	2,905	62,193	February "
6,336	4,502	2,046	4,976	1,081	3,030	66,411	3,441	69,852	March "
67,194	42,178	17,886	58,509	10,952	30,977	651,384	33,004	684,388	TOTAL
									1873-74.
5,585	3,884	1,495	5,166	941	2,648	58,285	3,193	61,478	April 1873
4,897	4,146	1,300	4,750	897	2,721	55,069	3,066	58,135	May "
5,098	2,292	808	4,003	869	2,337	42,797	2,798	45,595	June "
5,352	2,114	815	4,268	702	2,294	43,416	2,793	46,209	July "
5,612	2,308	623	4,390	808	2,471	44,238	2,751	46,989	August "
5,517	3,169	789	5,318	733	3,141	50,375	3,210	53,585	September "
5,084	3,278	1,074	5,522	1,085	3,139	54,143	3,140	57,283	October "
5,801	4,224	1,278	5,811	1,082	3,338	65,020	3,940	68,960	November "
6,871	4,771	1,365	4,822	1,176	3,807	66,762	4,588	71,350	December "
7,668	4,564	2,309	3,928	1,190	3,848	73,460	3,971	77,431	January 1874
6,810	4,515	2,214	4,454	1,046	3,538	70,156	3,552	73,708	February "
7,122	4,747	2,109	5,765	1,322	4,383	80,806	3,939	84,745	March "
71,417	44,012	16,119	59,197	11,851	37,665	704,527	40,941	745,468	TOTAL

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TOTAL NUMBER of SERVICE and PRIVATE MESSAGES in each DIVISION of the TELEGRAPH

		Arrakan.	Assam.	Bellary.	Bengal.	B. Burma.	Bombay.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1874-75.										
April	1874	783	985	2,235	16,792	5,330	17,306	855	3,310	3,584
May	"	577	1,065	2,534	15,128	4,403	14,941	785	3,547	2,027
June	"	349	1,113	1,359	13,762	3,961	11,128	759	2,917	2,060
July	"	337	1,164	1,164	13,236	3,665	10,476	705	2,803	2,117
August	"	303	1,575	1,148	14,836	3,470	11,121	1,006	2,721	2,283
September	"	365	1,450	1,206	12,619	3,747	11,254	811	3,044	2,681
October	"	277	1,908	1,889	13,356	3,597	12,867	882	2,898	2,529
November	"	348	1,464	1,772	16,224	3,958	15,301	963	3,311	2,906
December	"	534	1,503	2,012	16,397	4,757	17,484	1,228	3,712	2,797
January	1875	685	1,365	1,814	15,380	4,884	17,558	1,066	3,160	2,079
February	"	854	1,160	1,727	15,080	5,394	18,420	997	3,139	2,026
March	"	1,225	1,447	1,890	17,324	6,747	21,662	1,064	3,787	3,837
TOTAL		6,637	16,199	20,750	180,134	53,913	179,518	11,121	38,349	30,826
1875-76.										
April	1875	896	1,419	2,042	12,816	5,389	20,499	747	3,274	3,264
May	"	839	1,332	2,673	12,285	4,979	17,088	764	2,946	2,981
June	"	516	1,431	1,997	10,867	4,371	13,001	626	2,746	1,851
July	"	425	1,648	1,642	11,709	4,506	12,024	747	2,553	1,821
August	"	324	1,307	1,507	11,204	4,025	11,942	740	2,516	3,020
September	"	343	1,588	1,493	12,155	4,269	13,414	825	2,817	4,179
October	"	305	1,575	1,797	11,479	4,266	14,554	789	3,011	4,840
November	"	377	1,746	2,106	14,581	4,942	16,362	902	3,284	3,464
December	"	479	1,840	2,159	16,830	4,973	13,922	1,082	3,644	2,325
January	1876	589	1,496	1,693	17,110	5,384	14,286	1,007	3,947	2,433
February	"	846	1,494	1,681	15,340	6,202	19,039	1,015	3,823	3,094
March	"	1,012	1,685	2,042	16,367	6,112	25,360	933	4,213	3,388
TOTAL		6,951	18,561	22,832	162,743	59,418	191,491	10,177	38,794	36,660
1876-77.										
April	1876	646	1,440	2,119	13,904	5,140	19,188	759	3,494	2,287
May	"	746	1,457	2,414	12,660	5,190	16,773	826	3,344	1,855
June	"	502	1,496	1,593	12,026	4,492	13,278	719	3,156	2,860
July	"	396	1,562	1,474	12,481	4,068	14,832	655	3,223	3,736
August	"	454	1,545	1,620	12,565	4,508	14,757	687	3,272	2,349
September	"	399	1,639	1,851	13,147	4,381	16,357	786	3,874	2,735
October	"	371	1,624	4,867	14,493	4,615	21,645	971	5,667	2,919
November	"	575	1,844	6,020	19,369	5,204	29,851	1,226	7,125	3,247
December	"	528	1,670	4,108	21,901	5,990	24,984	1,153	8,351	2,154
January	1877	741	1,717	3,547	20,141	7,027	25,761	1,120	6,737	2,845
February	"	952	1,708	2,851	18,205	6,575	22,889	863	5,590	2,915
March	"	1,333	2,033	2,979	19,928	7,379	26,685	792	5,102	2,729
TOTAL		7,643	19,735	35,443	190,820	64,569	246,950	10,557	58,929	32,631

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Madras.	Malabar.	Nágpore.	Ondh and Rohilkhand.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	1874-75.
6,204	4,225	1,665	1,134	4,754	1,115	3,245	73,522	3,437	76,959	April 1874
6,412	3,756	996	1,195	4,350	1,111	3,237	66,064	3,245	69,309	May "
5,955	2,716	757	1,248	3,876	1,010	2,931	55,901	3,149	59,050	June "
6,007	2,597	818	1,012	3,749	1,111	2,934	53,895	3,043	56,938	July "
5,907	2,988	764	1,129	3,750	1,024	2,905	56,830	2,853	59,683	August "
5,450	3,076	790	1,279	4,250	1,130	3,070	56,222	3,279	59,501	September "
6,078	3,920	1,020	1,338	5,217	1,043	2,862	61,681	3,648	65,329	October "
6,211	3,908	1,225	1,232	4,739	1,109	3,194	67,865	3,683	71,548	November "
6,338	3,954	1,607	1,260	4,608	1,105	3,403	72,699	3,618	76,317	December "
7,168	4,284	1,972	985	4,238	1,335	3,488	71,461	3,691	75,152	January 1875
6,868	4,546	1,247	1,021	4,311	1,176	3,252	71,918	3,865	75,783	February "
7,449	5,096	1,899	1,348	7,466	1,552	3,964	87,757	4,065	91,822	March "
76,047	45,066	15,460	14,181	55,308	13,821	38,485	795,815	41,576	837,391	TOTAL
										1875-76.
6,871	5,376	1,459	2,156	6,652	1,358	3,680	77,898	4,248	82,146	April 1875
6,503	4,594	951	1,646	5,216	1,213	3,269	69,279	3,867	73,146	May "
6,730	3,036	732	1,540	4,878	975	3,117	58,414	3,785	62,199	June "
6,807	2,691	752	1,507	5,385	899	2,939	58,055	3,724	61,779	July "
6,255	3,098	826	1,596	5,982	994	3,019	58,355	3,596	61,951	August "
6,138	3,481	911	1,899	6,738	1,213	2,862	64,325	3,677	68,002	September "
6,390	3,685	1,102	2,019	7,723	1,154	3,345	68,034	3,995	72,029	October "
6,794	4,330	1,266	1,928	6,393	1,463	4,208	74,146	4,286	78,432	November "
6,985	4,615	1,376	1,911	6,778	1,357	4,674	74,950	4,672	79,622	December "
8,281	4,724	1,419	1,811	7,164	1,897	6,071	79,312	4,092	83,404	January 1876
8,590	5,252	1,811	2,147	5,409	2,235	4,462	82,460	4,416	86,876	February "
9,027	5,972	2,322	2,358	6,324	1,443	4,655	93,213	4,570	97,783	March "
85,371	50,854	14,927	22,518	74,642	16,201	46,301	858,441	48,928	907,369	TOTAL
										1876-77.
5,927	4,908	1,575	2,025	6,257	1,377	3,602	74,598	3,844	78,442	April 1876
5,823	4,902	1,066	2,071	6,008	1,311	3,575	70,021	4,424	74,445	May "
5,399	3,448	852	1,847	5,317	1,381	3,011	61,371	3,800	65,171	June "
6,579	2,955	805	1,853	5,696	1,551	3,189	65,055	3,859	68,914	July "
6,796	3,165	864	1,976	6,276	1,276	3,620	65,750	4,215	69,965	August "
8,478	3,826	1,055	1,830	7,122	1,278	3,955	72,713	3,938	76,651	September "
10,147	4,894	2,342	2,431	8,952	1,440	4,550	91,928	4,563	96,491	October "
13,590	6,310	3,844	2,705	8,675	1,961	5,713	117,259	5,377	122,636	November "
17,355	7,571	2,288	2,469	11,930	1,731	4,682	118,865	5,474	124,339	December "
13,467	7,308	3,037	2,093	9,242	1,897	4,479	111,159	5,809	116,968	January 1877
11,244	6,351	2,470	2,097	5,726	1,192	4,207	95,835	5,480	101,315	February "
12,466	7,123	2,583	2,365	7,486	1,396	5,086	107,465	6,234	113,699	March "
117,271	62,781	22,781	25,762	88,687	17,791	49,669	1,052,019	57,017	1,109,036	TOTAL

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	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bellary.	Bengal.	Bombay.	B. Burma.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1877-78.									
April 1877	830	2,068	4,107	20,133	29,993	6,952	820	4,718	2,733
May "	727	2,130	4,083	17,832	26,144	6,575	826	5,016	2,386
June "	379	2,014	3,193	15,014	20,170	5,510	822	4,878	1,973
July "	408	2,257	4,421	18,386	24,292	6,183	1,073	7,079	1,843
August "	303	2,372	5,260	19,013	29,763	5,185	1,015	7,755	3,658
September "	431	2,523	4,308	23,024	25,844	5,321	1,022	6,801	6,683
October "	392	3,015	3,489	20,361	28,516	6,237	983	5,863	12,418
November "	535	2,866	2,627	19,741	24,935	5,885	1,000	6,020	5,562
December "	673	3,091	2,509	18,799	25,080	5,516	1,059	6,077	3,831
January 1878	1,058	2,944	2,185	19,932	25,810	7,435	1,179	7,172	3,410
February "	1,325	2,877	2,168	21,833	26,123	7,896	944	7,609	3,156
March "	1,544	2,986	2,564	20,658	26,630	8,856	960	7,871	3,794
TOTAL	8,600	31,143	40,914	234,726	313,300	77,251	11,703	76,859	51,447
1878-79.									
April 1878	958	2,752	2,688	17,273	26,462	7,659	824	5,967	4,656
May "	727	2,742	3,357	16,327	24,573	6,655	845	4,733	4,259
June "	618	2,642	2,478	19,123	20,090	6,477	754	4,541	4,661
July "	487	3,223	1,970	16,551	19,404	6,299	1,051	4,419	4,465
August "	492	2,938	1,824	15,764	19,858	6,037	1,164	4,369	4,014
September "	607	3,349	1,927	16,726	21,717	5,917	1,256	4,587	3,274
October "	503	3,159	2,397	16,915	27,180	6,587	1,085	4,533	5,567
November "	578	3,296	2,694	19,498	28,029	7,547	1,343	5,458	4,506
December "	779	3,236	3,062	22,476	27,511	6,454	1,359	5,941	3,199
January 1879	1,119	2,934	2,441	21,254	29,589	7,438	1,223	5,434	4,210
February "	1,229	2,518	2,182	19,599	25,281	7,973	1,006	6,119	5,125
March "	1,702	3,184	2,512	21,161	30,220	10,037	944	6,536	5,344
TOTAL	9,799	35,973	29,532	222,667	299,914	85,080	12,854	62,637	53,280

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TOTAL NUMBER of SERVICE and PRIVATE MESSAGES in each DIVISION of the TELEGRAPH

MONTH.	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bellary.	Bengal.	Bombay.	B. Burma.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
1879-80.									
April 1879	1,246	1,935	2,681	18,816	31,881	8,516	1,909	5,806	4,206
May "	952	1,819	4,291	17,340	32,685	8,461	2,241	5,137	3,273
June "	715	1,876	2,514	14,783	21,944	7,023	2,729	4,436	2,809
July "	607	2,080	1,719	15,595	19,727	6,640	2,168	4,801	2,758
August "	602	2,000	1,456	15,576	20,184	6,503	2,191	5,472	3,357
Carried over	4,122	9,710	12,661	82,110	126,421	37,143	10,238	25,652	16,403

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of the TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT, in each month in each year from 1867-68 to 1878-79—concluded.

Madras.	Malabar.	Nagpore.	Ondh and Rohilkhand.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.		
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		
1877-78.											
11,736	5,773	2,190	3,407	7,634	1,235	5,046	109,375	5,247	114,622	April	1877
12,942	6,081	1,574	2,394	7,522	1,219	4,434	101,885	5,483	107,368	May	"
12,318	3,894	1,122	1,750	5,689	896	2,692	82,314	4,537	86,851	June	"
16,343	5,326	1,722	2,292	6,961	861	3,694	103,136	5,120	108,256	July	"
14,779	5,483	2,850	2,971	9,498	1,263	4,871	116,039	5,709	121,748	August	"
12,880	6,327	2,527	4,864	12,305	2,285	4,311	121,456	5,840	127,296	September	"
11,705	5,779	2,703	3,869	12,297	2,168	4,670	124,465	6,122	130,587	October	"
11,463	4,571	2,082	2,162	8,910	1,441	3,974	103,474	5,667	109,141	November	"
10,589	5,126	2,045	2,110	7,216	1,221	4,739	99,681	5,035	104,716	December	"
11,484	5,466	2,219	2,293	6,775	1,310	4,831	105,503	5,750	111,253	January 1878	
11,211	5,543	2,365	2,341	6,728	1,461	4,760	108,340	5,154	113,494	February	"
13,026	6,701	2,358	3,290	8,134	1,510	5,009	115,891	5,791	121,682	March	"
150,476	66,076	25,757	33,743	99,669	16,870	53,031	1,291,559	65,455	1,357,014	TOTAL	
1878-79.											
10,541	5,752	2,209	3,605	9,510	1,616	4,968	107,440	5,356	112,796	April	1878
10,391	5,451	1,724	3,113	7,478	1,389	4,877	98,641	5,666	104,307	May	"
9,940	3,420	1,543	2,828	6,860	1,623	4,034	91,632	5,270	96,902	June	"
10,879	2,927	1,534	3,207	7,583	1,490	4,589	90,078	5,329	95,407	July	"
9,965	2,999	1,573	3,377	8,498	1,406	4,960	89,238	5,125	94,363	August	"
8,968	3,280	1,737	3,665	12,151	1,487	5,166	95,814	4,853	100,667	September	"
8,721	4,127	2,264	4,738	21,193	1,761	8,461	119,191	5,405	124,596	October	"
8,821	4,645	2,332	4,265	18,316	1,715	11,012	124,055	5,382	129,437	November	"
9,866	4,767	2,402	3,499	12,360	1,558	11,038	119,507	5,202	124,709	December	"
10,414	4,983	2,697	3,383	11,606	1,548	11,680	121,873	5,115	126,988	January 1879	
10,431	4,794	2,475	3,233	11,063	1,900	11,595	116,523	5,077	121,600	February	"
12,362	5,455	3,032	3,371	13,322	1,690	13,488	134,360	5,589	139,949	March	"
121,299	52,520	25,522	42,284	139,940	19,183	95,868	1,308,352	63,369	1,371,721	TOTAL	

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DEPARTMENT, including Afghanistan and Beluchistan, in each month of the years 1879-80 and 1880-81.

Madras.	Malabar.	Nagpore.	Oudh and Rohilkhand.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	Afghanistan and Beluchistan.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	MONTH.
1879-80.											
11,044	5,620	3,002	3,943	15,170	1,637	7,154	5,597	130,163	5,133	135,296	April 1879.
11,078	5,683	2,774	3,978	14,080	1,680	6,521	4,942	126,935	5,532	132,467	May "
10,700	3,608	1,538	2,858	14,659	1,507	4,796	5,451	102,946	4,541	107,487	June "
10,542	2,990	1,533	2,613	12,131	1,440	4,597	4,985	96,926	4,755	101,681	July "
10,424	2,817	1,716	2,856	10,782	1,476	4,433	4,502	96,347	4,952	101,299	August "
53,788	20,718	10,563	16,248	63,822	7,740	27,501	25,477	553,317	24,913	578,230	Carried over

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TOTAL NUMBER of SERVICE and PRIVATE MESSAGES in each DIVISION of the TELEGRAPH

MONTHS.	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bellary.	Bengal.	Bombay.	B. Burma.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
Brought forward ...	4,122	9,710	12,661	82,110	126,421	37,143	10,238	25,652	16,403
September 1879 ...	588	2,118	2,015	18,000	24,589	6,293	2,225	5,591	5,272
October „ ...	529	2,870	2,492	18,135	30,117	6,718	2,774	6,202	3,811
November „ ...	563	3,047	2,051	19,043	26,208	6,745	2,369	4,384	3,430
December „ ...	716	3,022	2,616	21,786	29,020	7,676	2,253	5,491	4,477
January 1880 ...	852	2,913	2,699	24,801	33,192	8,131	2,264	6,083	7,623
February „ ...	1,041	2,942	2,314	23,724	33,920	8,855	2,035	6,880	5,493
March „ ...	1,842	3,209	2,536	23,018	33,959	10,002	1,778	7,155	7,930
TOTAL ...	10,253	29,831	29,390	230,617	337,426	91,563	25,936	68,038	54,439
1880-81.									
April 1880 ...	1,726	3,105	2,798	22,105	35,310	8,498	1,594	5,570	7,861
May „ ...	1,419	3,143	3,262	19,218	31,165	7,490	1,767	5,405	4,666
June „ ...	1,343	2,839	2,036	18,275	26,657	6,793	1,538	5,144	3,912
July „ ...	1,184	2,695	1,861	18,730	25,158	6,387	1,722	5,465	3,523
August „ ...	1,252	2,856	1,971	18,690	27,324	6,658	1,492	4,992	6,039
September „ ...	1,365	2,872	2,173	19,740	28,538	7,617	1,735	5,698	7,957
October „ ...	1,452	3,069	2,136	18,951	30,238	7,546	1,790	5,265	7,073
November „ ...	1,482	3,292	2,324	23,111	31,595	7,575	1,683	5,448	5,083
December „ ...	1,487	3,638	2,449	25,713	31,696	8,637	1,667	6,393	3,943
January 1881 ...	1,810	3,329	2,529	25,731	33,107	9,005	1,706	6,258	3,579
February „ ...	1,956	3,390	2,482	22,918	30,348	11,247	1,459	6,240	5,688
March „ ...	2,294	3,850	2,862	25,277	36,608	10,485	1,571	6,678	5,581
TOTAL ...	18,770	38,078	28,883	258,459	367,744	97,938	19,724	68,556	64,905

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NUMBER of MESSAGES (distinguishing SERVICE and PRIVATE) in each DIVISION of the

MONTHS.	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bellary.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
1881-82.									
April 1881 ...	185	1,232	463	2,486	3,754	825	388	496	SER 390
May „ ...	165	1,106	482	2,219	2,891	713	383	482	469
June „ ...	142	999	494	1,952	1,977	719	396	495	401
July „ ...	157	1,071	480	2,191	2,061	697	526	485	454
August „ ...	150	1,272	445	2,421	2,081	754	410	500	459
September „ ...	159	1,148	453	2,244	2,051	655	422	515	488
October „ ...	147	1,424	358	2,379	2,918	792	509	491	725
November „ ...	162	1,656	396	3,437	2,894	871	369	493	620
December „ ...	170	1,475	298	3,448	2,182	1,003	326	434	504
Carried over ...	1,437	11,383	3,869	22,777	22,809	7,029	3,729	4,391	4,510

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DEPARTMENT in each month of the years 1879-80 and 1880-81—continued.

Madras.	Malabar.	Nágpore.	Oudh and Rohilkhand.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	Afghanistan and Beluchistan.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	MONTHS.
53,788	20,718	10,563	16,248	66,822	7,740	27,501	25,477	553,317	24,913	578,230	Brought forward
10,952	3,627	2,223	3,922	24,235	1,749	5,653	6,984	126,036	4,635	130,671	September 1879
12,129	4,917	2,209	4,003	21,398	1,637	8,426	7,406	135,779	5,375	141,154	October „
10,270	4,176	2,113	3,398	14,733	1,592	7,698	7,340	119,747	5,040	124,787	November „
10,929	4,766	2,395	3,492	14,033	1,783	7,295	7,316	129,566	5,064	134,630	December „
11,494	5,074	2,735	3,709	15,306	1,565	7,997	7,349	143,787	4,884	148,671	January 1880.
11,043	5,268	2,968	3,597	13,876	1,725	8,417	8,110	142,208	4,899	147,107	February „
12,089	5,863	2,529	4,002	16,646	1,562	7,890	10,302	152,803	4,958	157,261	March „
132,694	54,406	28,226	42,361	187,049	19,353	80,877	80,284	1,502,743	59,768	1,562,511	TOTAL
1880-81.											
10,646	5,728	2,755	4,320	17,843	1,769	7,686	8,716	148,030	Ceylon Telegraphs transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon.	148,030	April 1880
10,371	5,827	2,168	3,720	15,531	1,741	6,367	8,343	131,603		131,603	May „
10,846	3,675	1,764	3,137	13,878	1,541	5,297	6,903	115,578		115,578	June „
13,592	3,131	1,535	3,212	15,033	1,272	6,900	7,447	118,847		118,847	July „
13,124	3,470	2,995	3,910	20,485	1,501	8,778	10,139	135,676		135,676	August „
13,396	4,139	3,233	4,241	20,431	1,889	7,486	7,718	140,228		140,228	September „
13,683	4,603	2,822	4,380	21,712	1,454	7,308	8,874	142,356		142,356	October „
13,864	4,465	3,083	4,152	16,979	1,556	7,615	7,725	141,032		141,032	November „
15,007	4,822	3,005	4,646	12,190	1,576	6,928	6,725	140,522		140,522	December „
14,352	5,337	2,827	4,357	11,582	1,521	6,930	5,831	139,791		139,791	January 1881
12,639	5,234	2,318	3,813	11,028	1,525	6,729	5,087	134,101		134,101	February „
15,722	6,398	2,636	5,110	15,030	1,798	7,256	5,857	155,013		155,013	March „
157,242	56,829	31,141	48,998	191,722	19,143	85,280	89,365	1,642,777		1,642,777	TOTAL

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TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT in each month of the Official year 1881-82.

Madras.	Malabar.	Nágpore.	Oudh and Rohilkhand.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	Afghanistan and Beluchistan.	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	MONTHS.
1881-82.											
VICE.											
771	470	534	839	6,515	430	2,147	3,364	25,289	Ceylon Telegraphs transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon.	25,289	April 1881
663	590	458	792	5,025	430	2,933	1,914	21,715		21,715	May „
571	448	414	832	4,396	423	1,511	1,880	18,050		18,050	June „
589	449	419	824	4,424	449	1,334	2,870	19,480		19,480	July „
576	449	472	868	5,016	429	1,289	1,906	19,497		19,497	August „
568	448	505	833	4,990	441	1,112	1,839	18,841		18,841	September „
868	406	642	1,253	5,592	525	1,708	2,658	23,395		23,395	October „
909	272	540	982	5,274	702	1,659	1,124	22,360		22,360	November „
1,049	281	529	869	3,897	481	1,461	1,329	19,736		19,736	December „
6,564	3,813	4,513	8,092	45,129	4,280	15,154	18,884	188,363		188,363	Carried over

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NUMBER of SERVICE and PRIVATE MESSAGES in each DIVISION of the

MONTHS.	Arrakan.	Assam.	Bellary.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Dacca.	Ganjam.	Indore.
									SER
1881-82.	1,437	11,383	3,669	22,777	22,809	7,029	3,729	4,391	4,510
January 1882 ...	161	1,398	379	3,929	3,050	1,190	251	511	465
February „ ...	164	1,318	387	3,427	2,338	1,111	274	533	440
March „ ...	213	1,540	475	3,619	2,686	1,195	285	565	593
TOTAL ...	1,975	15,639	5,110	33,752	30,883	10,525	4,539	6,000	6,008
									PRI
April 1881 ...	1,361	1,944	2,047	18,153	30,609	7,308	1,419	5,238	3,007
May „ ...	1,272	1,899	2,823	18,114	30,170	7,105	1,392	4,901	2,902
June „ ...	1,161	1,906	2,209	17,724	23,776	6,683	1,344	4,651	2,982
July „ ...	1,078	1,940	1,772	18,878	18,448	6,402	1,494	4,808	3,515
August „ ...	1,082	2,097	1,680	20,942	22,796	6,625	1,723	5,043	3,288
September „ ...	1,194	2,165	2,050	19,053	25,846	6,870	1,889	4,820	3,322
October „ ...	1,188	2,348	1,499	18,586	24,803	6,726	1,934	5,332	2,407
November „ ...	1,520	2,622	1,808	22,110	29,699	7,974	1,909	6,103	2,782
December „ ...	1,556	2,695	1,553	23,120	30,951	7,999	1,843	5,969	2,520
January 1882 ...	1,946	2,834	1,599	25,752	32,869	8,916	1,750	6,563	2,620
February „ ...	2,132	2,772	1,574	22,895	28,208	9,376	1,490	6,868	4,201
March „ ...	2,496	3,194	041	25,266	37,191	11,032	1,781	7,159	4,655
TOTAL ...	17,986	28,416	22,655	250,593	335,366	93,016	19,968	67,455	38,201
									TOTAL SERVICE
April 1881 ...	1,546	3,176	2,510	20,639	34,363	8,133	1,807	5,734	3,397
May „ ...	1,437	3,005	3,305	20,333	33,061	7,818	1,775	5,383	3,371
June „ ...	1,303	2,905	2,703	19,676	25,753	7,402	1,740	5,146	3,383
July „ ...	1,235	3,011	2,252	21,069	20,509	7,099	2,020	5,293	3,969
August „ ...	1,232	3,369	2,125	23,363	24,877	7,379	2,133	5,543	3,747
September „ ...	1,353	3,313	2,503	21,297	27,897	7,525	2,341	5,335	3,810
October „ ...	1,335	3,772	1,857	20,965	27,721	7,518	2,443	5,823	3,132
November „ ...	1,682	4,278	2,204	25,547	32,593	8,845	2,278	6,596	3,402
December „ ...	1,726	4,170	1,851	26,568	33,133	9,002	2,169	6,403	3,024
January 1882 ...	2,107	4,232	1,978	29,681	35,919	10,106	2,001	7,074	3,085
February „ ...	2,296	4,090	1,961	26,322	30,546	10,487	1,764	7,401	4,641
March „ ...	2,709	4,734	2,516	28,685	39,877	12,227	2,066	7,724	5,248
TOTAL ...	19,961	44,055	27,765	284,345	366,249	103,541	24,507	73,455	44,209

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Madras.	Malabar.	Nagpore.	Ouda and Pohil- khund.	Punjab.	Rajpoostana.	Sindh.	Afghanis- tan and Beluchistan	TOTAL.	Ceylon.	GRAND TOTAL.	MONTHS.
VICE—contd.											1881-82
6,564	3,813	4,513	8,092	45,129	4,280	15,154	18,884	188,363		188,363	Brought forward
1,310	343	558	808	3,364	386	1,494	1,162	20,729		20,729	January 1882.
1,178	276	562	667	3,086	342	1,453	1,020	18,576		18,576	February "
1,326	341	696	905	4,687	422	1,720	1,170	22,438		22,438	March "
10,378	4,743	6,329	10,472	56,266	5,430	19,821	22,236	250,106		250,106	TOTAL
VATE.											
12,995	5,372	2,000	3,062	7,595	1,226	4,983	1,708	110,027		110,027	April 1881
12,397	4,750	1,898	2,867	7,013	1,265	6,230	1,040	108,038		108,038	May "
13,322	2,899	1,325	2,656	6,884	1,098	6,117	1,138	97,875		97,875	June "
13,673	2,804	1,155	2,449	6,775	1,005	9,497	1,601	97,294		97,294	July "
13,840	2,991	1,798	2,999	7,825	978	8,810	1,122	105,639		105,639	August "
13,147	3,599	1,418	3,297	8,374	944	6,466	1,150	105,601		105,601	September "
13,940	4,264	1,631	3,585	9,395	1,159	7,129	1,126	107,052		107,052	October "
15,489	3,931	1,723	3,989	7,916	1,566	5,527	612	117,280		117,280	November "
14,557	4,387	2,019	3,864	7,451	1,140	4,772	592	116,988		116,988	December "
16,539	5,206	2,540	4,171	7,629	1,102	6,380	592	129,008		129,008	January 1882
14,910	5,715	2,178	3,981	6,712	1,166	7,923	498	122,599		122,599	February "
17,581	6,892	2,683	4,181	9,438	1,337	8,363	578	145,868		145,868	March "
172,387	52,810	22,368	41,101	93,007	13,986	82,197	11,757	1,363,269		1,363,269	TOTAL
AND PRIVATE.											
13,766	5,842	2,534	3,901	14,110	1,656	7,130	5,072	135,316		135,316	April 1881
13,060	5,340	2,356	3,659	12,038	1,695	9,163	2,954	129,753		129,753	May "
13,893	3,347	1,739	3,488	11,280	1,521	7,628	3,018	115,925		115,925	June "
14,262	3,253	1,574	3,273	11,199	1,454	10,831	4,471	116,774		116,774	July "
14,416	3,440	2,270	3,867	12,841	1,407	10,099	3,028	125,136		125,136	August "
13,712	4,047	1,923	4,130	13,364	1,355	7,578	2,989	124,442		124,442	September "
14,808	4,670	2,273	4,838	14,987	1,684	8,837	3,784	130,447		130,447	October "
16,398	4,203	2,263	4,971	13,190	2,268	7,186	1,736	139,640		139,640	November "
15,606	4,668	2,548	4,733	11,348	1,621	6,233	1,921	136,724		136,724	December "
17,849	5,519	3,098	4,979	10,993	1,488	7,874	1,754	149,737		149,737	January 1882
16,088	5,991	2,740	4,648	9,798	1,508	9,376	1,518	141,175		141,175	February "
18,907	7,233	3,379	5,086	14,125	1,759	10,083	1,748	168,306		168,306	March "
182,765	57,553	28,697	51,573	149,273	19,416	102,018	33,993	1,613,375		1,613,375	TOTAL

Ceylon Telegraphs transferred to the Colonial Government, Ceylon.

MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.

Account No. 132.

RECEIPTS, CHARGES, NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and NUMBER of MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN, in each year from 1862-63 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	RECEIPTS.			CHARGES.	Amount of Orders issued.	Amount of Orders paid.	NUMBER OF		
	Commis- sion.	Lapsed Orders.	TOTAL.				Orders issued.	Orders paid.	Offices open.
	£	£	£	£	£	£			
1862-63	800	...	800	323 } 69*	74,397	69,146	12,187	11,110	55
1863-64	1,729	...	1,729	884 } 146*	158,356	156,751	27,819	28,849	55
1864-65	2,321	308	2,629	957 } 140*	212,109	211,528	37,187	36,738	56
1865-66	2,254	...	2,254	1,070 } 149*	203,390	202,312	39,218	38,482	58
1866-67 (11 months)	2,275	515	2,790	1,516 } 224*	206,085	203,909	38,978	38,122	149
1867-68	7,606	420	8,026	6,347 } 901*	681,629	663,047	120,107	116,835	271
1868-69	10,622	983	11,605	6,959 } 1,022*	954,843	945,404	165,959	162,135	289
1869-70	13,028	796	13,824	6,871 } 864*	1,166,334	1,159,149	210,781	208,352	305
1870-71	14,621	861	15,482	8,249 } 744*	1,305,592	1,299,762	242,702	241,168	331
1871-72	14,132	781	14,913	8,295 } 816*	1,251,411	1,255,748	251,213	250,741	355
1872-73	14,655	878	15,533	8,772 } 922*	1,292,163	1,293,754	269,435	268,268	366
1873-74	12,329	1,030	13,359	6,677	1,072,024	1,076,572	245,879	245,685	307
1874-75	11,739	1,271	13,010	7,318	1,016,746	1,020,274	242,001	242,378	295
1875-76	10,670	673	11,343	5,777	912,662	910,804	231,907	231,249	301
1876-77	11,224	624	11,848	6,061	968,466	970,918	235,769	235,280	306
1877-78	11,554	551	12,105	6,298	984,728	975,271	259,680	258,170	309
1878-79	10,587	769	11,356	5,073 } 852*	892,472	898,350	245,468	245,903	321
1879-80 (first three quarters)	7,543	565	8,108	4,914 } 865*	633,971	662,055	175,451	181,592	324
1879-80 (last quarter)	Inland	...	8,490	This information has ceased to be supplied by the Postal Department since the transfer of the Money Order business to it.	724,821	635,440	232,639	208,698	5,090
	Foreign	...	417		20,903†	1,820	3,589	355	
	TOTAL	...	8,907		745,724	637,260	236,228	209,053	
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR 1879-80	...	...	16,450	...	1,379,695	1,299,315	411,679	390,645	5,414
1880-81 ...	Inland	...	53,597	This information has ceased to be supplied by the Postal Department since the transfer of the Money Order business to it.	4,570,858	4,248,346	1,604,174	1,539,746	5,201
	Foreign	...	2,148		108,921†	9,010	18,996	2,178	
	Ceylon	...	18		1,642	9,642	285	1,850	
	TOTAL	...	55,763		4,681,421	4,566,998	1,623,455	1,543,774	

* Additional charges as per Government Resolution in the *Gazette of India*, dated 6th December 1873.

† Calculated at schedule rate, the value is shown at £17,499, and £90,138, in 1879-80 and 1880-81, respectively.

Note.—The business of the Money Order Department was conducted by the Treasury Department of the Government up to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80. From the 4th quarter of the same year it was transferred to the Postal Department, which not being in a position to render the accounts in the form in which they were supplied by the Treasury Department, furnishes them under a new classification.

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Account No. 123—continued.

RECEIPTS, CHARGES, NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and NUMBER of MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN, in each year from 1862-63 to 1881-82—continued.

YEARS.	RECEIPTS.			CHARGES	Amount of Orders issued.	Amount of Orders paid.	NUMBER OF		
	Commis- sion.	Lapsed Orders.	TOTAL.				Orders issued.	Orders paid.	Offices open.
	£	£	£	£	£	£			
1881-82 ...	67,907	1,244	69,151	This information has ceased to be supplied by the Postal Department since the transfer of the Money Order business to it.	5,733,203	5,713,069	2,157,796	2,063,025	5,421
Inland ...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	
Foreign ...	2,461	12	2,473		126,167*	9,997	23,336	2,471	
Ceylon ...	28	...	28		3,248	38,647	759	7,409	
Mauritius ...	...	...	...		21	29	7	13	
China and Japan ...	1	...	1		38	31	6	4	
Straits Settlements ...	...	...	...		59	760	14	116	
TOTAL ...	70,397	1,256	71,653		5,862,736	5,762,533	2,181,918	2,073,038	5,421

* Calculated at schedule rate, the value is shown at £103,251.

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NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80, and in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82.

YEARS.	Bengal Presidency, including Gwallior and Port Blair.	Madras Presidency.	Mysore.	Mercara.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Berar.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
No. OF MONEY ORDERS ISSUED—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1866-67 (11 months)	37,122	880	...	...	880	976	...	976	38
1867-68 ...	93,708	9,794	3,464	520	13,778	10,175	2,446	12,621	120
1868-69 ...	127,850	15,539	4,595	674	20,808	14,073	3,228	17,301	165
1869-70 ...	154,249	22,765	7,204	555	30,524	21,189	4,819	26,008	210
1870-71 ...	173,736	27,196	9,859	899	37,954	24,832	6,180	31,012	242
1871-72 ...	176,564	27,621	9,687	994	38,302	25,938	10,409	36,347	251
1872-73 ...	179,016	30,086	10,104	1,196	41,386	29,350	19,683	49,033	269
1873-74 ...	164,427	27,518	8,414	795	36,727	26,920	17,805	44,725	245
1874-75 ...	169,740	26,214	7,724	972	34,910	26,541	10,810	37,351	242
1875-76 ...	159,779	26,621	6,987	1,031	34,639	25,798	11,691	37,489	231
1876-77 ...	160,112	32,631	7,234	1,165	41,030	24,415	10,212	34,627	235
1877-78 ...	179,706	36,192	7,684	1,203	45,079	25,740	9,155	34,895	250
1878-79 ...	170,620	38,063	7,337	1,084	46,484	21,153	7,211	28,364	245
1879-80 (first three quarters)	120,716	28,175	6,812	831	35,818	14,092	4,831	18,923	175

	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay	British Burma	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	N.-W. Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Raj-pootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
1879-80, (last quarter) { Inland ...	5,529	13,999	38,756	21,444	6,115	5,124	13,295	7,058	31,214	31,510	9,146	44,571	4,878		232
{ Foreign ...	173	140	439	356	268	46	176	40	452	477	102	675	43		3
TOTAL ...	5,702	14,139	39,195	22,000	6,383	5,172	13,471	7,098	31,666	31,987	9,248	45,246	4,921		236
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR 1879-80 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		411

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MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS.

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MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.

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NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80, and in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82—continued.

YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	B-mbay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	N.-W. Provinces.	Ondh.	Punjab.	Raj- pootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1-81 { Inland ...	42,796	100,654	308,169	151,379	42,338	47,461	84,563	54,529	218,597	207,565	51,894	257,160	37,069	Sindh, together with S. Afghanistan, included under Punjab.	1,604,174
Foreign ...	883	788	2,303	2,969	1,522	319	917	196	2,528	2,466	350	3,190	565		18,996
Ceylon ...	1	1	15	12	7	...	...	...	241	1	1	4	2		285
TOTAL ...	43,680	101,443	310,487	154,360	43,867	47,780	85,480	54,725	221,366	210,032	52,245	260,354	37,636		1,623,455
1-82 { Inland ...	61,453	141,934	441,032	219,671	58,826	69,400	115,275	76,455	303,381	279,512	67,601	212,570	52,939	57,747	2,157,796
Foreign ...	1,062	1,080	2,995	3,713	1,708	509	1,275	301	3,076	2,880	503	3,244	454	536	23,336
Ceylon ...	6	2	42	24	21	1	8	3	611	4	1	34	...	2	759
Mauritius ...	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7
China and Japan ...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	6
Straits Settlements ...	...	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	14
TOTAL ...	62,523	143,016	444,080	223,409	60,564	69,910	116,558	76,759	307,071	282,397	68,105	215,848	53,393	58,285	2,181,918

YEARS.	Bengal Presidency, including Gwalior and Port Blair.	Madras Presidency.	Mysore.	Mercara.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Benar.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
OF MONEY ORDERS	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1866-67 (11 months)	36,588	749	...	...	749	785	...	785	38,122
1867-68 ...	89,033	12,195	2,918	49	15,162	12,191	449	12,640	116,835
1868-69 ...	122,806	18,729	3,983	94	22,806	15,632	891	16,523	162,135
1869-70 ...	155,359	26,250	5,871	122	32,243	19,318	1,432	20,750	208,352
1870-71 ...	176,524	32,263	8,001	154	40,418	22,696	1,530	24,226	241,168
1871-72 ...	183,081	32,885	7,976	151	41,012	23,986	2,662	26,648	250,741
1872-73 ...	186,646	38,940	8,904	122	47,966	30,404	3,252	33,656	268,268
1873-74 ...	173,893	36,033	7,307	92	43,432	26,040	2,320	28,360	245,685
1874-75 ...	176,545	34,484	6,358	166	41,008	22,934	1,891	24,825	242,378
1875-76 ...	165,939	34,521	6,083	119	40,723	22,575	2,012	24,587	231,249
1876-77 ...	164,587	38,378	6,673	234	45,285	23,527	1,881	25,408	235,280
1877-78 ...	182,325	42,285	6,730	144	49,159	24,277	2,409	26,686	258,170
1878-79 ...	168,532	45,199	7,159	109	52,467	22,897	2,007	24,904	245,903
1880 (first three quarters)	119,789	36,156	6,621	67	42,844	17,616	1,343	18,959	181,592

	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	N.-W. Provinces.	Ondh.	Punjab.	Raj- pootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
1880-81 (last quarter)	1,309	12,153	38,767	22,266	1,228	1,221	4,141	7,032	30,740	42,555	18,180	26,530	2,445	Included under Punjab.	208,567
Foreign ...	3	3	84	94	22	18	13	2	110	66	15	54	2		486
TOTAL ...	1,312	12,156	38,851	22,360	1,250	1,239	4,154	7,034	30,850	42,621	18,195	26,584	2,447		209,053
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR 1879-80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	390,645

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YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	N.-W. Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880-81	Inland ...	11,694	99,761	298,408	168,181	8,319	11,109	29,678	56,136	223,480	300,768	134,795	174,539	22,878	1,539,746
	Foreign ...	44	26	443	396	75	68	55	8	439	253	46	307	18	2,178
	Ceylon ...	...	...	63	55	3	2	2	1	1,698	6	1	17	...	1,850
	TOTAL ...	11,738	99,787	298,916	168,632	8,397	11,179	29,735	56,145	225,617	301,027	134,842	174,863	22,896	1,543,774
1881-82	Inland ...	19,320	140,193	418,216	231,001	11,799	15,883	41,196	74,073	306,126	393,568	177,235	184,320	32,501	2,063,025
	Foreign ...	12	41	490	443	83	86	61	10	466	340	77	273	23	2,471
	Ceylon ...	...	3	144	156	20	...	1	4	7,033	24	2	14	...	7,409
	Mauritius ...	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	1	2	3	2	...	...	13
	China and Japan ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	4
	Straits Settlements ...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	86	...	...	26	...	116
	TOTAL ...	19,332	140,238	418,854	231,606	11,902	15,969	41,258	74,088	313,713	393,935	177,317	184,634	32,524	2,073,038

YEARS.	Bengal Presidency, including Gwalior and Port Blair.	Madras Presidency.	Mysore.	Mercara.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Berar.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
AMOUNT OF MONEY ORDERS ISSUED—									
1866-67 (11 months)	196,473	4,573	...	...	4,573	5,039	...	5,039	206,085
1867-68	527,918	52,807	16,273	1,973	71,053	64,079	18,579	82,658	681,629
1868-69	729,506	81,035	22,878	2,199	106,112	99,455	19,770	119,225	954,843
1869-70	829,234	121,960	35,009	1,821	158,790	150,196	28,114	178,310	1,166,334
1870-71	912,117	137,080	51,659	3,230	191,969	167,628	33,878	201,506	1,305,592
1871-72	851,760	36,567	44,360	3,124	184,051	153,156	62,444	215,600	1,251,411
1872-73	803,577	133,116	40,269	3,755	177,140	162,077	149,369	311,446	1,292,163
1873-74	669,457	109,582	34,725	1,825	146,132	132,948	123,487	256,435	1,072,024
1874-75	703,884	93,214	30,443	1,966	125,623	134,801	52,438	187,239	1,016,746
1875-76	619,366	93,178	24,764	2,132	120,074	119,085	54,137	173,222	912,662
1876-77	638,221	144,140	25,740	2,453	172,333	113,067	44,845	157,912	968,466
1877-78	664,738	133,296	27,181	2,012	162,489	120,519	36,982	157,501	984,728
1878-79	618,317	127,478	23,547	2,082	153,107	91,895	29,153	121,048	892,472
1879-80 (first three quarters)	448,222	86,550	20,289	1,468	108,307	58,032	19,410	77,442	633,971

YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	North-Western Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
1879-80 (last quarter.)	Inland ...	19,091	36,823	98,003	72,017	28,638	16,821	55,144	29,276	80,455	73,188	21,374	178,026	15,965	724,821
	Foreign ...	1,218	943	2,054	2,698	1,547	272	1,110	279	2,094	3,147	675	4,578	288	20,903
	TOTAL ...	20,309	37,766	100,057	74,715	30,185	17,093	56,254	29,555	82,549	76,335	22,049	182,604	16,253	745,724
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR 1879-80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,379,695

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YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	North-Western Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880-81															
Inland	127,809	242,095	724,444	455,547	195,210	145,073	298,291	218,869	554,251	462,553	122,480	907,495	119,741		4,570,858
Foreign	6,802	4,994	10,772	15,279	9,289	1,875	5,520	1,208	12,110	14,924	1,748	19,602	4,798		108,921
Ceylon	2	3	48	46	22	...	...	...	1,491	2	4	13	11		1,642
TOTAL	134,613	247,092	735,264	470,872	204,521	146,948	300,811	220,077	567,852	477,479	124,232	927,110	124,550		4,681,421
1881-82															
Inland	172,369	333,146	993,511	655,051	251,912	213,912	364,584	301,219	736,702	607,748	150,575	572,849	161,774	217,851	5,733,203
Foreign	7,163	6,880	13,244	19,005	10,409	2,548	7,788	1,762	13,949	16,054	2,468	18,907	3,037	2,953	126,167
Ceylon	21	20	162	73	82	2	17	6	2,740	9	1	112	...	3	3,248
Mauritius	...	...	14	2	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	21
China and Japan	20	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	38
Straits Settlements	...	...	30	...	14	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	59
TOTAL	179,573	340,046	1,006,961	674,131	262,432	216,462	372,389	302,987	753,411	623,814	153,044	591,868	164,811	220,807	5,862,736

YEARS.	Bengal Presidency, including Gwalior and Port Blair.	Madras Presidency.	Mysore.	Mercara.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Behar.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
AMOUNT OF MONEY ORDERS PAID—									
1866-67 (11 months)	195,891	4,079	...	...	4,079	3,939	...	3,939	203,909
1867-68	500,168	64,318	13,614	480	78,412	81,759	2,708	84,467	663,047
1868-69	714,345	91,537	18,654	564	110,755	115,014	5,290	120,304	945,404
1869-70	863,852	124,419	25,324	764	150,507	135,544	9,246	144,790	1,159,149
1870-71	949,732	152,887	35,230	1,033	189,150	151,533	9,347	160,880	1,299,762
1871-72	927,044	140,118	31,464	904	172,486	136,385	19,833	156,218	1,255,748
1872-73	878,372	163,599	32,673	701	196,973	194,406	24,003	218,409	1,293,754
1873-74	743,870	139,539	27,142	430	167,111	154,366	11,225	165,591	1,076,572
1874-75	749,544	123,299	21,956	1,102	146,357	116,906	7,467	124,373	1,020,274
1875-76	664,718	115,132	19,078	338	134,548	103,992	7,546	111,538	910,804
1876-77	693,007	139,382	22,085	2,111	163,578	105,885	8,448	114,333	970,918
1877-78	700,266	141,135	20,860	833	162,828	99,948	12,229	112,177	975,271
1878-79	634,888	147,546	21,595	407	169,548	87,336	6,578	93,914	898,350
1879-80 (first three quarters)	462,682	113,218	18,387	194	131,799	63,611	3,965	67,574	662,055

YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	North-Western Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1879-80 (last quarter.)															
Inland	5,981	32,505	110,473	68,437	4,913	4,567	13,098	22,150	82,062	123,547	45,589	108,082	14,036		635,440
Foreign	14	17	348	342	79	48	63	16	415	228	53	193	4		1,820
TOTAL	5,995	32,522	110,821	68,779	4,992	4,615	13,161	22,166	82,477	123,775	45,642	108,275	14,040		637,260
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR 1879-80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		1,299,315

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NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80, and in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82—continued.

YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	North- Western Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Raj- pootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880-81															
Inland	45,360	248,143	839,194	535,582	44,830	41,127	88,001	164,282	589,892	823,325	320,256	693,705	114,649	Sindh, together with S. Afghanistan, in- cluded under Punjab.	4,548,346
Foreign	440	88	1,596	1,698	222	144	182	13	2,037	1,060	260	1,227	43		9,010
Ceylon	...	...	102	227	2	14	4	4	9,164	10	1	114	...		9,642
TOTAL	45,800	248,231	840,892	537,507	45,054	41,285	88,187	164,299	601,093	824,395	320,517	695,046	114,692		4,566,998
1881-82															
Inland	77,801	341,576	1,110,766	740,811	62,303	61,855	127,814	210,797	756,292	1,014,470	389,164	608,238	139,313	71,869	5,713,069
Foreign	77	142	2,034	1,694	287	295	306	38	2,146	1,222	419	1,008	154	175	9,997
Ceylon	...	6	273	765	47	...	5	12	37,382	34	1	62	...	60	38,647
Mauritius	...	...	4	15	...	...	...	1	1	6	2	...	...	...	29
China and Japan	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	4	...	...	31
Straits Settle- ments	...	...	11	10	...	...	...	...	537	...	...	202	...	...	760
TOTAL	77,878	341,724	1,113,088	743,307	62,637	62,150	128,125	210,848	796,358	1,015,732	389,601	609,514	139,467	72,104	5,762,533

YEARS.	Bengal Presidency, including Gwalior and Port Blair.	Madras Presidency.	Mysore.	Mercara.	TOTAL.	Bombay.	Deccan.	TOTAL.	GRAND TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1866-67 (11 months)	2,169	50	...	...	50	56	...	56	2,275
1867-68	5,901	593	185	23	810	703	201	904	7,606
1868-69	8,136	908	256	27	1,191	1,076	219	1,295	10,622
1869-70	9,312	1,364	395	22	1,781	1,621	314	1,935	13,028
1870-71	10,276	1,540	573	39	2,152	1,813	380	2,193	14,621
1871-72	9,691	1,534	502	38	2,074	1,685	682	2,367	14,132
1872-73	9,294	1,525	471	45	2,041	1,795	1,585	3,380	14,655
1873-74	7,817	1,276	408	24	1,708	1,488	1,316	2,804	12,329
1874-75	8,166	1,109	356	27	1,492	1,499	582	2,081	11,739
1875-76	7,289	1,111	294	29	1,434	1,341	606	1,947	10,670
1876-77	7,469	1,637	304	33	1,974	1,274	507	1,781	11,224
1877-78	7,853	1,569	322	29	1,920	1,357	424	1,781	11,554
1878-79	7,357	1,526	284	29	1,839	1,054	337	1,391	10,587
1879-80 (first three quarters)	5,316	1,056	248	21	1,325	676	226	902	7,543

YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	North- Western Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Raj- pootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1879-80 (last quarter.)															
Inland	219	444	1,180	830	322	196	615	325	993	911	268	2,001	186	Included under Punjab.	8,490
Foreign	23	18	43	57	31	5	22	5	45	61	13	87	6		416
TOTAL	242	462	1,223	887	353	201	637	330	1,038	972	281	2,088	192		8,906
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR 1879-80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,449

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NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80, and in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82—concluded.

YEARS.	Assam.	Behar.	Bengal.	Bombay.	British Burma.	Central India.	Central Provinces.	Eastern Bengal.	Madras.	North-Western Provinces.	Oudh.	Punjab.	Rajpootana.	Sindh.	TOTAL.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880-81															
Inland	1,518	2,982	8,844	4,497	2,184	1,692	3,973	2,430	6,898	5,843	1,504	10,445	1,387		53,597
Foreign	125	96	226	311	179	37	107	23	253	292	36	377	86		2,148
Ceylon	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...		18
TOTAL	1,643	3,078	9,071	4,809	2,363	1,729	3,480	2,453	7,167	6,135	1,540	10,822	1,473	Sindh, together with S. Afghanistan, included under Punjab.	55,763
1881-82															
Inland	2,051	4,103	12,192	6,654	2,843	2,430	4,206	3,327	9,390	7,668	1,882	6,841	1,882	2,438	67,907
Foreign	133	130	274	375	188	51	149	33	289	313	51	362	56	57	2,461
Ceylon	...	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	22	...	...	1	...	...	28
Mauritius	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
China and Japan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Straits Settlements	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
TOTAL	2,184	4,233	12,468	7,030	3,032	2,481	4,356	3,360	9,702	7,981	1,933	7,204	1,938	2,495	70,397

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NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED in each CIRCLE in the BENGAL PRESIDENCY, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80.

YEARS.	Lower Provinces.	Assam.	North-Western Provinces.	Punjab.	Oudh.	Central Provinces.	British Burma.	Port Blair.	TOTAL.	Minor Circles.*	GRAND TOTAL.
No. OF ORDERS ISSUED—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1866-67 (11 months)	36,871	...	...	111	...	140	...	...	37,122	...	37,122
1867-68	44,228	...	17,270	15,698	5,166	7,502	3,844	...	93,708	...	93,708
1868-69	53,045	...	25,108	22,311	8,248	11,212	7,926	...	127,850	...	127,850
1869-70	61,756	...	32,691	25,681	11,343	13,650	8,198	930	154,249	...	154,249
1870-71	65,328	...	39,250	28,611	12,956	16,315	8,715	635	171,810	1,926	173,736
1871-72	57,117	...	41,483	30,588	13,994	18,212	9,140	758	171,292	5,272	176,564
1872-73	50,219	...	44,076	33,910	13,390	17,880	10,798	1,477	171,750	7,266	179,016
1873-74	39,259	...	42,595	33,597	11,643	16,104	11,199	1,202	155,599	8,828	164,427
1874-75	37,282	8,006	43,830	32,520	11,409	15,765	10,926	833	160,571	9,169	169,740
1875-76	28,737	6,234	42,633	32,634	11,062	16,531	12,494	1,215	151,540	8,239	159,779
1876-77	32,934	6,321	41,547	31,259	10,199	16,238	12,648	1,255	153,401	7,711	160,112
1877-78	33,527	7,343	47,539	36,897	11,935	16,635	14,858	1,459	170,193	9,513	179,706
1878-79	30,588	6,314	47,044	33,378	13,501	15,373	14,938	1,915	163,051	7,569	170,620
1879-80 (first three quarters)	22,140	4,610	34,189	24,051	10,052	11,432	11,575	1,218	116,267	4,443	120,710
No. OF ORDERS PAID—											
1866-67 (11 months)	36,543	...	...	24	...	21	...	...	36,588	...	36,588
1867-68	54,354	...	16,164	11,735	3,440	2,365	974	...	89,032	1	89,033
1868-69	64,105	...	28,081	18,318	6,714	3,476	2,112	...	122,806	...	122,806
1869-70	77,387	...	38,577	21,154	11,692	4,383	2,145	21	155,359	...	155,359

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Account No. 134.—continued.

NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED
in each CIRCLE in the BENGAL PRESIDENCY, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80—continued.

YEARS.	Lower Provinces.	Assam.	North- Western Provinces.	Punjab.	Oudh.	Central Provinces.	British Burma.	Port Blair.	TOTAL.	Minor Circles *	GRAND TOTAL.
No. OF ORDERS PAID —continued.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1870-71 ...	84,187	...	46,778	22,187	15,820	5,002	2,222	33	176,229	295	176,524
1871-72 ...	78,553	...	51,627	23,991	20,412	5,036	2,471	41	182,131	950	183,081
1872-73 ...	68,908	...	56,012	25,327	27,158	5,411	2,729	66	185,611	1,035	186,646
1873-74 ...	55,011	...	52,649	24,122	31,917	4,978	2,828	109	172,614	1,279	173,893
1874-75 ...	55,028	1,989	53,598	24,045	32,601	5,167	2,641	66	175,135	1,410	176,545
1875-76 ...	48,701	1,779	52,915	24,404	29,207	4,822	2,841	39	164,708	1,231	165,939
1876-77 ...	54,248	1,973	49,887	23,550	26,026	4,703	3,036	37	163,460	1,127	164,587
1877-78 ...	51,832	2,452	59,190	28,318	30,384	5,064	3,533	45	180,818	1,507	182,325
1878-79 ...	49,280	1,893	58,083	24,620	23,970	5,391	3,741	69	167,047	1,485	168,532
1879-80 (first three quar- ters) ...	37,631	1,510	40,178	18,213	13,823	3,843	3,502	49	118,749	1,040	119,789
AMOUNT OF ORDERS ISSUED—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1866-67 (11 months) ...	195,202	...	...	420	...	851	...	...	196,473	...	196,473
1867-68 ...	266,667	...	84,100	76,883	28,359	45,911	25,998	...	527,918	...	527,918
1868-69 ...	340,954	...	113,307	104,178	47,031	67,523	56,513	...	729,506	...	729,506
1869-70 ...	381,017	...	138,302	113,160	61,067	74,972	52,436	8,280	829,234	...	829,234
1870-71 ...	384,650	...	171,984	132,356	65,177	92,235	52,644	3,312	902,358	9,759	912,117
1871-72 ...	303,589	...	166,829	136,203	65,102	98,421	53,166	4,367	827,677	24,083	851,760
1872-73 ...	249,803	...	166,948	141,468	56,953	88,540	60,771	8,129	772,612	30,965	803,577
1873-74 ...	189,320	...	142,716	127,169	41,599	65,756	62,752	4,979	634,291	35,166	669,457
1874-75 ...	204,538	42,163	143,625	113,143	38,120	65,766	58,367	3,454	669,176	34,708	703,884
1875-76 ...	140,315	25,875	129,996	113,578	34,456	75,092	63,560	5,267	588,139	31,227	619,366
1876-77 ...	179,220	25,676	121,124	105,264	29,849	78,129	64,688	5,171	609,121	29,100	638,221
1877-78 ...	173,892	28,177	130,206	115,241	33,358	68,589	75,665	5,603	630,731	34,007	664,738
1878-79 ...	154,206	23,208	124,113	103,805	33,200	69,639	77,094	6,064	591,329	26,988	618,317
1879-80 (first three quar- ters) ...	112,742	16,922	90,884	67,941	26,054	56,234	57,551	4,103	432,431	15,791	448,222
AMOUNT OF ORDERS PAID—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1866-67 (11 months) ...	195,683	...	...	87	...	121	...	...	195,891	...	195,891
1867-68 ...	316,532	...	81,994	65,901	15,496	13,394	6,849	...	500,166	2	500,168
1868-69 ...	390,357	...	150,048	106,188	30,489	19,658	17,605	...	714,345	...	714,345
1869-70 ...	451,148	...	191,243	123,673	58,391	22,535	16,762	100	863,852	...	863,852
1870-71 ...	470,012	...	237,015	126,304	74,340	25,707	14,071	221	947,670	2,062	949,732
1871-72 ...	411,934	...	247,449	131,161	87,829	24,711	16,383	240	919,707	7,337	927,044
1872-73 ...	338,808	...	253,281	129,421	102,546	27,403	18,196	150	871,805	6,567	878,372
1873-74 ...	253,390	...	217,028	111,818	111,462	26,591	17,967	347	735,603	8,267	743,870
1874-75 ...	262,891	12,897	209,238	107,210	108,689	22,817	16,610	439	740,791	8,753	749,544

* Viz., Gwalior, Indore, Sehore, Ajmere, Nusseerabad, and Nowgong (Bundelkhund).

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Account No. 134—concluded.

NUMBER and AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID, and AMOUNT of COMMISSION RECEIVED in each CIRCLE in the BENGAL PRESIDENCY, in each year from 1866-67 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80—concluded.

YEARS.	Lower Provinces.	Assam.	North-Western Provinces.	Punjab.	Oudh.	Central Provinces.	British Burma.	Port Blair.	TOTAL.	Minor Circles.	GRAND TOTAL.
AMOUNT OF ORDERS PAID—contd.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1875-76 ...	217,449	10,432	193,653	103,790	95,571	19,897	16,240	225	657,257	7,461	664,718
1876-77 ...	278,010	12,743	179,147	96,546	83,069	20,088	17,458	246	687,307	5,700	693,007
1877-78 ...	230,401	18,040	205,181	105,591	91,293	21,528	19,138	219	691,391	8,875	700,266
1878-79 ...	210,959	12,648	194,154	94,578	69,900	22,393	22,385	320	627,337	7,551	634,888
1879-80 (first three quarters) ...	166,485	10,324	132,705	69,384	42,355	14,870	20,585	197	456,905	5,777	462,682
AMOUNT OF COMMISSION RECEIVED—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1866-67 (11 months)	2,155	...	...	5	...	9	...	...	2,169	...	2,169
1867-68 ...	2,960	...	963	877	314	504	283	...	5,901	...	5,901
1868-69 ...	3,750	...	1,313	1,204	521	742	606	...	8,136	...	8,136
1869-70 ...	4,187	...	1,624	1,324	685	834	571	87	9,312	...	9,312
1870-71 ...	4,260	...	2,003	1,531	741	1,021	574	37	10,167	109	10,276
1871-72 ...	3,402	...	1,963	1,582	750	1,087	585	49	9,418	273	9,691
1872-73 ...	2,826	...	1,979	1,659	665	991	669	91	8,880	354	9,234
1873-74 ...	2,157	...	1,735	1,510	503	757	689	57	7,408	409	7,817
1874-75 ...	2,275	473	1,751	1,362	465	755	644	40	7,765	401	8,166
1875-76 ...	1,594	301	1,614	1,368	428	849	712	59	6,925	364	7,289
1876-77 ...	1,992	302	1,521	1,279	376	877	721	59	7,127	342	7,469
1877-78 ...	1,948	333	1,647	1,413	421	784	842	65	7,453	400	7,853
1878-79 ...	1,732	278	1,589	1,284	433	787	858	73	7,034	323	7,357
1879-80 (first three quarters) ...	1,267	202	1,169	838	335	632	643	50	5,126	190	5,316

Note.—Account No. 134 closes with the third quarter of the year 1879-80. Under the new classification of the Accounts rendered by the Postal Department, its continuance is obviously unnecessary.

Account No. 135.

NUMBER of MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN, and the AVERAGE AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1871-72 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80, and in each Postal Circle from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82.

	NUMBER OF MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN.									AVERAGE AMOUNT OF MONEY ORDERS ISSUED.									Average Percentage of Commission on Money Orders during the first three quarters of 1879-80.
	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80 (first three quarters).	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80 (first three quarters).	
BENGAL PRESIDENCY—										£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Lower Provinces of Bengal ...	100	101	59	51	51	51	50	50	50	5.31	4.98	4.82	5.48	4.88	5.44	5.10	5.04	5.09	1½
Assam ...	...	...	...	10	10	11	11	11	15	...	...	...	5.26	4.15	4.06	3.84	3.68	3.67	1½
N.-W. Provinces ...	38	39	37	37	37	37	38	38	38	4.01	3.79	3.35	3.27	3.04	2.91	2.74	2.64	2.66	1½
Carried over ...	138	140	96	98	98	99	98	99	103										

* Viz., Gwalior, Indore, Sehore, Ajmere, Nusseerabad, and Nowgong (Bundelkhand).

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Account No. 135—continued.

NUMBER of MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN, and the AVERAGE AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED, in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year, from 1871-72 to the 3rd quarter of 1879-80, and in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82.

	NUMBER OF MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN.									AVERAGE AMOUNT OF MONEY ORDERS ISSUED.									Average Percentage of Commission on Money Orders during the first three quarters of 1879-80.
	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80, (first three quarters).	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.	1879-80, (first three quarters).	
BENGAL PRESIDENCY— contd.										£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brought forward ...	138	140	96	89	98	99	98	99	103										
Punjab ...	36	36	34	34	34	35	35	36	36	4.45	4.17	3.78	3.48	3.48	3.37	3.12	3.11	3.23	1
Oudh ...	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	4.65	4.25	3.57	3.34	3.11	2.93	2.80	2.46	2.59	1½
Central Provinces ...	19	19	20	19	19	19	19	19	18	5.40	4.95	4.08	4.17	4.54	4.81	4.12	4.53	4.92	1½
British Burma ...	13	13	13	13	14	14	14	15	15	5.81	5.63	5.60	5.34	5.08	5.11	5.09	5.16	4.97	1½
Port Blair ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5.76	5.50	4.14	4.14	4.33	4.12	3.84	3.17	3.37	1½
Gwalior ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4.57	3.84	3.08	2.81	2.86	3.49	3.41	3.33	3.1	1
Indore ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3.89	4	4.19	4.03	3.87	4.08	4.16	4.27	4.63	1½
Sehore ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5.15	4.86	4.31	4.90	4.31	3.74	3.66	3.68	3.76	1½
Ajmere ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5.04	5.39	4.96	4.07	5.02	4.45	3.74	4.14	3.84	1½
Nusserabad ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5.40	4.30	4.10	3.73	4.08	3.53	3.22	3.49	2.93	1½
Nowgong (Bundel- khund) ...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	4.03	3.43	3.56	3.29	3.18	2.67	2.99	1½
Bushire ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2.55	5.68	5.03	4.7	1½
Mhow ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3.13	3	2.95	3.08	1½
TOTAL ...	224	226	182	183	184	188	187	190	193										
BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—																			
Bombay ...	38	43	39	28	27	28	28	28	29	5.90	5.52	4.94	5.08	4.61	4.62	4.68	4.35	4.11	1½
Berar ...	11	11	11	8	8	8	8	8	8	5.99	7.58	6.94	4.85	4.63	4.39	4.04	4.04	4.01	1½
TOTAL ...	49	54	47	36	35	36	36	36	37										
MADRAS PRESIDENCY—																			
Madras ...	72	75	69	67	72	72	76	85	85	4.94	4.42	3.98	3.55	3.50	4.42	3.68	3.35	3.07	1½
Mysore ...	9	10	8	8	9	9	9	9	8	4.58	3.98	4.13	3.94	3.54	3.56	3.54	3.21	2.98	1½
Mercara ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3.14	3.1	2.30	2.02	2.06	2.10	1.67	1.92	1.76	1½
TOTAL ...	82	86	78	76	82	82	86	95	94										
GRAND TOTAL ...	355	366	307	295	301	306	309	321	324										

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NUMBER of MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN, and the AVERAGE AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED
in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th quarter of 1879-80 to 1881-82.

POSTAL CIRCLES.	NUMBER OF MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN.			AVERAGE AMOUNT OF MONEY ORDERS ISSUED.						AVERAGE PERCENTAGE OF COMMISSION.					
	Number of Head Offices.	Number of Sub-Offices.	Total Number of Offices.	Inland.	Foreign.	Ceylon.	Mauritius.	China and Japan.	Straits Settlements.	Inland.	Foreign.	Ceylon.	Mauritius.	China and Japan.	Straits Settlements.
				£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1879-80 (LAST QUARTER).															
Assam ...	11	93	104	3.45	7.04	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Behar ...	23	321	344	2.63	6.74	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Bengal ...	63	852	915	2.53	4.68	...	...	...	...	1½	2½	...	...	...	...
Bombay ...	64	671	735	3.36	4.85	...	...	...	...	1½	2½	...	...	...	...
British Burma ...	14	14	28	4.68	5.77	...	...	...	...	1½	2	...	...	...	...
Central India ...	9	45	54	3.28	5.67	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces ...	38	223	261	4.15	6.30	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal ...	11	163	174	4.15	6.98	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Madras ...	54	662	716	2.58	4.63	...	...	...	...	1½	2½	...	...	...	...
N.-W. Provinces ...	38	821	859	2.32	6.60	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Oudh ...	12	182	194	2.33	6.61	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Punjab and Sindh ...	48	573	621	3.99	6.78	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Rajpootana ...	18	67	85	3.27	6.70	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	403	4,687	5,090												
1880-81.															
Assam ...	11	99	110	2.98	7.70	2.10	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Behar ...	23	330	353	2.40	6.34	3.00	...	...	...	1½	1½	3½	...	...	...
Bengal ...	67	890	957	2.35	4.68	3.21	...	...	...	1½	2½	1½	...	...	...
Bombay ...	63	697	760	3.01	5.14	3.86	...	...	...	1½	2½	1½	...	...	...
British Burma ...	14	13	27	4.61	6.10	3.08	...	...	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
Central India ...	9	49	58	3.05	5.88	...	...	...	...	1½	2	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces ...	38	232	270	3.49	6.02	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal ...	11	155	166	4.01	6.16	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Madras ...	52	688	740	2.53	4.79	6.18	...	...	...	1½	2½	1½	...	...	...
N.-W. Provinces ...	38	817	855	2.23	6.05	2.10	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Oudh ...	12	203	215	2.36	4.99	4.00	...	...	...	1½	2½	2½	...	...	...
Punjab, Sindh and South Afghanistan ...	48	555	603	3.53	6.14	3.25	...	...	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
Rajpootana ...	13	74	87	3.23	8.49	5.35	...	...	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	399	4,802	5,201												
1881-82.															
Assam ...	12	120	132	2.80	6.74	3.53	...	10.00	...	1½	1½	1	...	1	...
Behar ...	11	363	374	2.34	6.37	10.00	...	...	...	1½	1½	1	...	...	...
Bengal ...	41	965	1,006	2.25	4.42	3.85	2.72	...	5.08	1½	2½	1½	1½	...	1
Bombay ...	34	776	810	2.98	5.12	3.03	2.30	...	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
Carried over ...	98	2,224	2,322												

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NUMBER of MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN, and the AVERAGE AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED in each POSTAL CIRCLE from the 4th QUARTER of 1879-80 to 1881-82.

POSTAL CIRCLES.	NUMBER OF MONEY ORDER OFFICES OPEN.			AVERAGE AMOUNT OF MONEY ORDERS ISSUED.						AVERAGE PERCENTAGE OF COMMISSION.					
	Number of Head Offices.	Number of Sub-Offices.	Total Number of Offices.	Inland.	Foreign.	Ceylon.	Mauritius.	China and Japan.	Straits Settlements.	Inland.	Foreign.	Ceylon.	Mauritius.	China and Japan.	Straits Settlements.
1881-82—contd.				£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Brought forward	98	2,224	2,322												
British Burma	16	22	38	4.28	6.09	3.92	...	5.13	2.30	1½	1½	1½	...	1½	1½
Central India	9	57	66	3.08	5.00	2.40	...	...	...	1½	2	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces	25	251	276	3.16	6.10	2.05	...	...	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
Eastern Bengal	10	172	182	3.94	5.85	2.00	...	...	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
Madras	34	717	751	2.42	4.53	4.48	5.00	...	7.60	1½	2	1½	2	...	1½
N.W. Provinces	38	845	883	2.17	5.57	2.22	...	2.40	...	1½	1½	1½	...	...	...
Oudh	12	207	219	2.22	4.90	1.00	...	...	...	1½	2½	...	...	...	...
Punjab	36	487	523	2.69	5.82	3.29	...	...	...	1½	1½	1	...	...	...
Rajpootana	8	91	99	3.05	6.69	...	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
Sindh	8	54	62	3.77	5.50	1.40	...	...	...	1½	1½	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	294	5,127	5,421												

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AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID by each PRINCIPAL MONEY ORDER OFFICE, and COLLECTIVELY by other MONEY ORDER OFFICES, in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year from 1865-66, distinguishing (for those given COLLECTIVELY) the OFFICES whose PAYMENTS exceeded their ISSUES, and those whose ISSUES exceeded their PAYMENTS.

		ISSUED BY					PAID BY						
		Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.			TOTAL.	Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.			TOTAL.		
			Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.			Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.			
		£	No.	£	No.*	£	£	No.*	£	No.	£	£	
1865-66.													
Bengal	...	16,701	12	14,945	45	171,744	203,390	104,163	12	51,599	45	46,550	202,312
1866-67 (11 months).													
Bengal	...	21,566	17	27,189	42	146,447	195,202	96,392	17	63,625	42	35,666	195,683
Punjab	...	25	...	...	14	395	420	28	1	38	14	21	87
Central Provinces	...	230	...	...	10	621	851	86	1	29	2	6	121
Madras	...	133	3	175	16	4,265	4,573	3,468	3	212	16	399	4,079
Bombay	...	222	5	847	13	3,970	5,039	1,945	5	1,545	13	449	3,939
TOTAL		22,176	25	28,211	95	155,698	206,085	101,919	27	65,449	87	39,541	203,909

* The difference between the numbers in these two columns is the number of the Offices which issued, but did not pay any Money Orders.

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No. 136—continued.

COLLECTIVELY by other MONEY ORDER OFFICES, in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each PAYMENTS exceeded their ISSUES, and those whose ISSUES exceeded their PAYMENTS—continued.

		ISSUED BY						PAID BY					
		Principal Money Order Office.		OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.			TOTAL.	Principal Money Order Office.		OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.			TOTAL.
				Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.	Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.					Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.	Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.		
		£	No.	£	No.*	£	£	£	No.*	£	No.	£	£
1870-71.													
Bengal ...	...	54,370	21	45,054	66	285,226	384,650	234,712	21	147,530	62	87,770	470,012
N.-W. Provinces† ...	...	9,865	21	79,620	17	82,499	171,984	24,995	21	178,632	17	33,388	237,015
Oudh ...	...	9,961	4	19,156	7	36,060	65,177	31,772	4	29,720	7	12,848	74,340
Punjab ...	...	9,439	13	38,146	20	84,771	132,356	15,354	13	78,258	20	32,692	126,304
Central Provinces ...	...	7,675	1	5,493	17	79,067	92,235	8,667	1	6,207	17	10,833	25,707
British Burma ...	...	25,490	...	...	12	27,154	52,644	7,694	...	...	12	6,377	14,071
Madras† ...	...	27,346	22	21,478	44	88,256	137,080	62,445	22	47,965	43	42,477	152,887
Bombay ...	...	31,479	7	23,019	25	113,130	167,628	85,406	7	45,123	25	21,004	151,533
Berar ...	...	13,471	...	...	8	20,407	33,878	5,228	...	...	8	4,119	9,347
Mysore ...	...	6,198	2	2,347	6	43,114	51,659	23,993	2	2,646	6	8,591	35,230
Political Treasuries. { Gwalior ...	...	...	...	...	1	5,374	5,374	...	...	...	1	1,816	1,816
Indore ...	...	...	...	...	1	337	337	...	...	...	1	86	86
Mercara ...	...	...	...	...	1	3,230	3,230	...	...	...	1	1,033	1,033
Port Blair ...	...	...	...	...	1	3,312	3,312	...	...	...	1	221	221
Sehore ...	...	...	...	...	1	4,048	4,048	...	...	...	1	160	160
TOTAL ...	...	195,294	91	234,313	227	875,985	1,305,592	500,266	91	536,081	222	263,415	1,299,762
1871-72.													
Bengal ...	...	48,408	24†	38,781	74	216,400	303,589	211,933	24	122,106	74	77,895	411,934
N.-W. Provinces ...	...	9,267	20	79,520	17	78,042	166,829	27,406	20	183,582	17	36,461	247,449
Oudh ...	...	9,998	4	21,579	7	33,525	65,102	34,660	4	37,422	7	15,747	87,829
Punjab ...	...	9,341	13	41,781	22	85,081	136,203	15,800	13	77,304	22	38,057	131,161
Central Provinces ...	...	8,205	1	6,707	17	83,509	98,421	7,497	1	7,295	17	9,919	24,711
British Burma ...	...	24,506	...	...	12	28,660	53,166	9,044	...	...	12	7,339	16,383
Madras ...	...	35,104	24	22,189	47	79,274	136,567	53,034	24	50,897	47	36,187	140,118
Bombay ...	...	31,248	8	17,856	29	104,052	153,156	78,516	8	32,801	29	25,068	136,385
Berar ...	...	21,733	...	...	10	40,711	62,444	14,120	...	...	10	5,713	19,833
Mysore ...	...	6,045	...	...	8	38,315	44,360	19,737	...	...	8	11,727	31,464
Political Treasuries. { Gwalior ...	...	...	...	...	1	11,670	11,670	...	...	...	1	1,811	1,811
Indore ...	...	...	...	...	1	4,942	4,942	...	...	...	1	916	916
Mercara ...	...	...	...	...	1	3,124	3,124	...	...	...	1	904	904
Port Blair ...	...	...	...	...	1	4,367	4,367	...	...	...	1	240	240
Sehore ...	...	...	...	...	1	3,990	3,990	...	...	...	1	206	206
Ajmere ...	...	...	1	2,129	...	...	2,129	...	1	4,329	...	...	4,329
Nusseerabad ...	...	...	...	...	1	1,352	1,352	...	...	...	1	75	75
TOTAL ...	...	203,855	95	230,542	249	817,014	1,251,411	471,747	95	515,736	249	268,265	1,255,748

* The difference between the numbers in these two columns is the number of offices which issued, but did not pay any Money Orders.

† Two Offices only had no transactions during the year.

‡ Betteah has no transaction.

AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID by each PRINCIPAL MONEY ORDER OFFICE, and from 1865-66, distinguishing (for those given COLLECTIVELY) the OFFICES whose PAYMENTS

		ISSUED BY						PAID BY					
		Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.	Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.
		£	No.	£	No.	£	£	£	No.	£	No.	£	£
1872-73.													
Bengal ...	...	47,083	29	48,238	71	154,482	249,803	175,557	29	104,380	71	58,871	338,808
N.-W. Provinces ...	...	9,764	20	76,347	18	80,837	166,948	32,448	20	184,505	18	38,328	255,281
Oudh ...	...	7,701	5	24,312	6	24,940	56,953	34,097	5	56,024	6	12,425	102,546
Punjab ...	...	10,672	13	39,585	22	91,211	141,468	16,592	13	72,182	22	40,647	129,421
Central Provinces ...	...	8,470	1	5,209	17	74,861	88,540	9,977	1	8,041	17	9,385	27,403
British Burma ...	...	22,771	...	...	12	38,000	60,771	9,342	...	...	12	8,854	18,196
Madras ...	...	31,612	32	36,811	42	64,693	133,116	62,537	32	70,785	42	30,277	163,539
Bombay ...	...	30,398	11	18,957	31	112,722	162,077	127,441	11	36,299	31	30,666	194,406
Berar ...	...	41,565	...	...	10	107,804	149,369	15,464	...	...	10	8,539	24,003
Mysore ...	...	7,034	1	785	8	32,450	40,269	21,961	1	1,191	8	9,521	32,673
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior ...	...	...	...	1	8,975	8,975	...	...	...	1	2,586	2,586
	Indore ...	...	...	...	1	9,222	9,222	...	...	...	1	1,083	1,083
	Mercara ...	...	...	...	1	3,755	3,755	...	...	...	1	761	701
	Port Blair ...	...	...	...	1	8,129	8,129	...	...	...	1	150	150
	Sehore ...	...	...	...	1	4,907	4,907	...	...	...	1	345	345
	Ajmere ...	...	...	...	1	4,513	4,513	...	...	...	1	1,938	1,938
	Nusseerabad ...	...	...	...	1	3,348	3,348	...	...	...	1	615	615
TOTAL		217,070	112	250,244	244	824,849	1,292,163	505,416	112	533,407	244	254,931	1,293,754
1873-74.													
Bengal ...	...	47,640	20	35,951	38	105,729	189,320	135,598	20	79,284	38	38,508	253,390
N.-W. Provinces ...	...	9,572	18	63,676	18	69,468	142,716	28,946	18	149,962	18	38,120	217,028
Oudh ...	...	6,470	7	22,541	4	12,588	41,599	31,399	7	74,585	4	5,478	111,462
Punjab ...	...	9,136	12	32,427	21	85,606	127,169	13,298	12	57,991	21	40,529	111,818
Central Provinces ...	...	8,516	...	...	19	57,240	65,756	8,998	...	...	19	14,593	23,591
British Burma ...	...	23,274	...	...	12	39,478	62,752	10,243	...	...	12	7,754	17,967
Madras ...	...	26,891	28	33,116	40	49,575	109,582	52,522	28	59,422	40	27,595	139,539
Bombay ...	...	29,778	10	18,086	23*	85,084	132,948	101,268	10	27,586	23	25,512	154,366
Berar ...	...	40,811	...	...	10	82,676	123,487	6,537	...	...	10	4,688	11,225
Mysore ...	...	6,837	...	...	7	27,888	34,725	17,017	...	...	7	10,125	27,142
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior ...	...	...	...	1	6,617	6,617	...	...	...	1	2,339	2,339
	Indore ...	...	...	...	1	13,129	13,129	...	...	...	1	2,076	2,076
	Mercara ...	...	...	...	1	1,825	1,825	...	...	...	1	430	430
	Port Blair ...	...	...	...	1	4,979	4,979	...	...	...	1	347	347
	Sehore ...	...	...	...	1	3,713	3,713	...	...	...	1	863	863
	Ajmere ...	...	...	...	1	4,367	4,367	...	...	...	1	1,889	1,889
	Nusseerabad ...	...	...	...	1	3,639	3,639	...	...	...	1	535	535
	Nowgong (Bundelkhund) ...	...	...	...	1	3,701	3,701	...	...	...	1	565	565
TOTAL		208,925	95	205,797	200	657,302	1,072,024	405,796	95	448,830	200	221,946	1,076,572

* Two Offices only had no transactions during the year.

MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.

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No. 136—continued.

COLLECTIVELY by other MONEY ORDER OFFICES in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year exceeded their ISSUES, and those whose ISSUES exceeded their PAYMENTS—continued.

		ISSUED BY						PAID BY					
		Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.	Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.
			Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.				Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.		
		£	No.	£	No.	£	£	£	No.	£	No.	£	£
1874-75.													
Bengal	...	38,251	15	27,957	35	138,330	204,538	160,707	15	68,736	35	33,448	262,891
Assam	...	3,371	...	...	9	38,792	42,163	1,048	...	...	9	11,849	12,897
N.-W. Provinces	...	9,415	18	61,455	18	72,755	143,625	30,680	18	140,667	18	37,891	209,238
Oudh	...	7,116	8	22,245	3	8,759	38,120	26,845	8	78,233	3	3,611	108,689
Punjab	...	8,706	13	37,484	20	66,953	113,143	12,116	13	64,930	20	30,164	107,210
Central Provinces	...	7,924	...	...	18	57,842	65,766	6,692	...	...	18	16,125	22,817
British Burma	...	24,964	...	...	12	33,403	58,367	9,773	...	...	12	6,837	16,610
Madras	...	14,337	26	26,753	40	52,124	93,214	43,533	26	52,941	40	26,825	123,299
Bombay	...	32,054	6	20,271	21	82,476	134,801	68,749	6	27,758	21	20,399	116,906
Berar	...	3,680	...	...	7	48,758	52,438	401	...	...	7	7,066	7,467
Mysore	...	6,735	...	...	7	23,708	30,443	14,634	...	...	7	7,322	21,956
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior	...	...	...	1	5,679	5,679	...	...	...	1	2,167	2,167
	Indore	...	...	...	1	13,859	13,859	...	...	...	1	2,052	2,052
	Mercara	...	...	...	1	1,966	1,966	...	...	...	1	1,102	1,102
	Port Blair	...	...	...	1	3,454	3,454	...	...	...	1	439	439
	Sehore	...	...	...	1	5,471	5,471	...	...	...	1	459	459
	Ajmere	...	...	...	1	3,409	3,409	...	...	...	1	3,104	3,104
	Nusseerabad	...	...	...	1	3,349	3,349	...	...	...	1	440	440
Nowgong (Bundelkhund)	...	...	...	1	2,941	2,941	...	...	...	1	531	531	
TOTAL		156,553	86	196,165	198	664,028	1,016,746	375,178	86	433,265	198	211,831	1,020,274
1875-76.													
Bengal	...	34,076	18	24,051	32	82,188	140,315	137,107	18	56,690	32	23,652	217,449
Assam	...	2,419	...	...	9	23,456	25,875	887	...	...	9	9,545	10,432
N.-W. Provinces	...	8,962	18	61,520	18	59,514	129,996	29,272	18	134,099	18	30,282	193,653
Oudh	...	7,263	8	17,760	3	9,433	34,456	21,862	8	70,708	3	3,001	95,571
Punjab	...	7,699	14	39,944	19	65,935	113,578	13,481	14	62,917	19	27,392	103,790
Central Provinces	...	7,262	...	...	18	67,830	75,092	7,007	...	...	18	12,890	19,897
British Burma	...	25,988	...	...	13	37,572	63,560	9,337	...	...	13	6,903	16,240
Madras	...	...	...	...	...	...	93,178	...	...	...	...	...	115,132
Bombay	...	...	...	...	...	...	119,085	...	...	...	...	...	103,992
Berar	...	3,866	...	...	7	50,271	54,137	383	...	...	7	7,163	7,546
Mysore	...	6,639	1	500	7	17,625	24,764	13,213	1	676	7	5,189	19,078
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior	...	...	...	1	5,844	5,844	...	...	...	1	2,082	2,082
	Indore	...	...	...	1	10,710	10,710	...	...	...	1	944	944
	Mercara	...	...	...	1	2,132	2,132	...	...	...	1	338	338
	Port Blair	...	...	...	1	5,267	5,267	...	...	...	1	225	225
	Sehore	...	...	...	1	3,992	3,992	...	...	...	1	355	355
	Ajmere	...	...	...	1	4,508	4,508	...	...	...	1	2,898	2,898
	Nusseerabad	...	...	...	1	3,332	3,332	...	...	...	1	618	618
Nowgong (Bundelkhund)	...	...	...	1	2,841	2,841	...	...	...	1	564	564	
TOTAL		104,174	59	143,775	134	452,450	912,662	232,549	59	325,090	134	134,041	910,804

* The necessary figures have not been shown in the Annual Reports of Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

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MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.

Account

AMOUNT of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED and PAID by each PRINCIPAL MONEY ORDER OFFICE, and from 1865-66, distinguishing (for those given COLLECTIVELY) the OFFICES whose PAYMENTS

		ISSUED BY						PAID BY					
		Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.	Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.
			Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.				Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.		
		£	No.	£	No.	£	£	£	No.	£	No.	£	£
1876-77.													
Bengal	...	40,982	21	33,031	29	105,207	179,220	158,142	21	89,854	29	30,014	278,010
Assam	...	2,750	3	5,857	7	17,069	25,676	619	3	8,099	7	4,025	12,743
N.-W. Provinces	...	8,468	17	57,877	19	54,779	121,124	29,659	17	120,756	19	28,732	179,147
Oudh	...	6,491	7	14,364	4	8,994	29,849	19,097	7	59,851	4	4,121	83,069
Punjab	...	6,414	12	28,740	22	70,110	105,264	13,381	12	50,379	22	32,786	96,546
Central Provinces	...	5,549	...	...	18	72,580	78,129	6,321	...	...	18	13,767	20,088
British Burma	...	24,504	...	...	13	40,184	64,688	11,388	...	...	13	6,070	17,458
Madras*	...	...	...	...	...	...	144,140	...	...	...	...	...	139,382
Bombay*	...	...	...	...	...	...	113,067	...	...	...	...	...	105,885
Berar	...	4,400	...	...	7	40,445	44,845	503	...	...	7	7,945	8,448
Mysore	...	7,029	1	1,359	7	17,352	25,740	14,880	1	2,269	7	4,936	22,085
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior	...	...	...	1	7,684	7,684	...	...	...	1	1,416	1,416
	Indore	...	...	...	1	9,206	9,206	...	...	...	1	1,035	1,035
	Mercara	...	...	...	1	2,453	2,453	...	...	...	1	2,111	2,111
	Port Blair	...	...	...	1	5,171	5,171	...	...	...	1	246	246
	Sehore	...	...	...	1	3,062	3,062	...	...	...	1	304	301
	Ajmere	...	...	...	1	3,696	3,696	...	...	...	1	1,849	1,840
	Nusseerabad	...	...	...	1	2,942	2,942	...	...	...	1	442	442
	Nowgong (Bundelkhund)	...	...	...	1	2,002	2,002	...	...	...	1	557	557
	Bushire	...	...	...	1	23	23	...	...	...	1	...	...
	Mhow	...	...	...	1	485	485	...	...	...	1	100	100
TOTAL		106,587	61	141,228	136	463,444	968,466	253,990	61	331,208	136	140,453	970,918
1877-78.													
Bengal	...	62,596	16	22,390	33	88,906	173,892	133,702	16	71,673	33	25,026	230,401
Assam	...	3,041	3	3,287	7	21,849	28,177	1,006	3	9,838	7	7,196	18,040
N.-W. Provinces	...	8,971	19	69,094	17	52,141	130,206	32,355	19	143,581	17	29,247	205,181
Oudh	...	6,903	7	15,428	4	11,027	33,358	20,916	7	64,958	4	5,419	91,293
Punjab	...	9,102	14	34,116	20	72,023	115,241	13,916	14	63,378	20	28,297	105,591
Central Provinces	...	6,388	2	6,580	16	55,621	68,589	5,478	2	7,454	16	8,596	21,528
British Burma	...	31,155	...	...	13	44,510	75,665	12,514	...	...	13	6,624	19,138
Madras*	...	...	...	...	...	...	133,296	...	...	...	...	...	141,135
Bombay*	...	...	...	...	...	...	120,519	...	...	...	...	...	99,948
Berar	...	5,497	...	...	7	31,485	36,982	463	...	...	7	11,766	12,229
Mysore	...	6,576	...	...	8	20,605	27,181	14,427	...	...	8	6,433	20,860
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior	...	...	...	1	7,781	7,781	...	...	...	1	2,214	2,214
	Indore	...	...	...	1	9,200	9,200	...	...	...	1	699	699
	Mercara	...	...	...	1	2,012	2,012	...	...	...	1	833	833
	Port Blair	...	...	...	1	5,603	5,603	...	...	...	1	219	219
	Sehore	...	...	...	1	3,890	3,890	...	...	...	1	374	374
	Ajmere	...	...	...	1	3,858	3,858	...	...	...	1	3,683	3,683
	Nusseerabad	...	...	...	1	2,226	2,226	...	...	...	1	362	362
	Nowgong (Bundelkhund)	...	...	...	1	2,887	2,887	...	...	...	1	898	898
	Bushire	...	...	...	1	335	335	...	...	...	1	10	10
	Mhow	...	...	...	1	3,830	3,830	...	...	...	1	635	635
TOTAL		140,229	61	150,895	135	439,789	984,728	234,777	61	360,882	135	138,529	975,271

* The necessary figures have not been shown in the Annual Reports of Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.

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No. 136—concluded.

COLLECTIVELY by other MONEY ORDER OFFICES in each PRESIDENCY and PROVINCE, in each year exceeded their ISSUES, and those whose ISSUES exceeded their PAYMENTS—concluded.

		ISSUED BY						PAID BY					
		Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.	Principal Money Order Office.	OTHER OFFICES COLLECTIVELY.				TOTAL.
			Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.				Those whose Payments exceeded their Issues.		Those whose Issues exceeded their Payments.		
		£	No.	£	No.	£	£	£	No.	£	No.	£	£
1878-79.													
Bengal ...		31,197	15	18,262	34	104,747	154,206	136,222	15	45,057	34	29,680	210,959
Assam ...		2,472	3	3,430	7	17,306	23,208	1,097	3	4,620	7	6,931	12,648
N.-W. Provinces ...		8,032	21	64,280	16	51,801	124,113	31,432	21	136,849	16	25,873	194,154
Oudh ...		6,346	7	16,722	4	10,132	33,200	21,222	7	44,516	4	4,162	69,900
Punjab ...		7,947	13	29,997	22	65,861	103,805	13,703	13	51,980	22	28,895	94,578
Central Provinces ...		5,156	2	6,321	16	58,162	69,639	6,488	2	8,450	16	7,455	22,393
British Burma ...		28,115	...	...	14	48,979	77,094	14,639	...	...	14	7,746	22,385
Madras* ...		...	...	...	...	...	127,478	...	...	...	...	...	147,546
Bombay* ...		...	...	...	...	...	91,895	...	...	...	...	...	87,336
Berar ...		3,233	...	...	7	25,920	29,153	744	...	...	7	5,834	6,578
Mysore ...		5,221	1	1,500	7	16,826	23,547	13,981	1	1,705	7	5,909	21,595
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior ...	...	...	...	1	6,236	6,236	...	...	...	1	1,755	1,755
	Indore ...	...	...	...	1	6,605	6,605	...	...	...	1	693	693
	Mercara ...	...	...	...	1	2,082	2,082	...	...	...	1	407	407
	Port Blair ...	...	...	...	1	6,064	6,064	...	...	...	1	320	320
	Schore ...	...	...	...	1	2,645	2,645	...	...	...	1	332	332
	Ajmere ...	...	...	...	1	4,209	4,209	...	...	...	1	2,796	2,796
	Nusseerabad ...	...	...	...	1	2,020	2,020	...	...	...	1	319	319
	Nowgong (Bundelkhund) ...	...	...	...	1	2,473	2,473	...	...	...	1	927	927
	Bushire ...	...	...	...	1	286	286	...	...	...	1	12	12
Mhow ...	...	...	...	1	2,514	2,514	...	...	...	1	717	717	
TOTAL ...		97,719	62	140,512	137	434,868	892,472	239,528	62	293,177	137	130,763	898,350
1879-80 (first three quarters.)													
Bengal ...		23,025	20	16,134	29	73,583	112,742	105,944	20	43,734	29	16,807	166,485
Assam ...		2,240	3	1,840	11	12,842	16,922	625	3	3,614	11	6,085	10,324
N.-W. Provinces ...		6,556	20	46,620	17	37,708	90,884	20,164	20	93,335	17	19,206	132,705
Oudh ...		4,990	8	14,794	3	6,270	26,054	14,627	8	25,764	3	1,964	42,355
Punjab ...		5,316	15	22,974	20	39,651	67,941	10,655	15	41,820	20	16,909	69,384
Central Provinces ...		4,247	1	3,673	16	48,314	56,234	4,739	1	4,161	16	5,970	14,870
British Burma ...		18,704	...	...	14	38,847	57,551	13,767	...	...	14	6,818	20,585
Madras* ...		...	...	...	...	...	86,550	...	...	...	...	...	113,213
Bombay* ...		...	...	...	...	...	58,032	...	...	...	...	...	63,611
Berar* ...		...	...	...	...	...	19,410	...	...	...	...	...	3,963
Mysore ...		3,890	2	1,712	5	14,687	20,289	11,465	2	1,844	5	5,178	18,387
Political Treasuries.	Gwalior ...	...	...	...	1	3,801	3,801	...	...	...	1	1,640	1,640
	Indore ...	...	...	...	1	4,123	4,123	...	...	...	1	474	474
	Mercara ...	...	...	...	1	1,468	1,468	...	...	...	1	195	195
	Port Blair ...	...	...	...	1	4,103	4,103	...	...	...	1	197	197
	Schore ...	...	...	...	1	1,064	1,064	...	...	...	1	121	121
	Ajmere ...	...	...	...	1	2,626	2,626	...	...	...	1	2,179	2,179
	Nusseerabad ...	...	...	...	1	957	957	...	...	...	1	467	467
	Nowgong (Bundelkhund) ...	...	...	...	1	1,454	1,454	...	...	...	1	55	558
	Bushire ...	...	...	...	1	197	197	...	...	...	1	1	1
Mhow ...	...	...	...	1	1,569	1,569	...	...	...	1	336	336	
TOTAL ...		68,968	69	107,747	125	293,264	633,971	181,986	69	214,272	125	85,005	662,055

* The necessary figures have not been shown in the Annual Reports of Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

NOTE.—The Statistics contained in this table are not now considered necessary; it therefore closes with the third quarter of the year 1879-80.

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REGISTERED DEBT.

REGISTERED

Account

REGISTERED DEBT in ENGLAND and in INDIA at the close of each year from 1811-12

AT THE END OF	IN INDIA.							IN ENG	
	DEBT BEARING INTEREST.					Debt not bearing interest.	Annual amount of interest payable.	DEBT BEAR	
	LOANS AT				TOTAL.			HOME BOND DEBT.	
	8 per cent.	6 per cent.	5 per cent.	4 per cent.				Amount of Debt.	Rate of Interest.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ (a)	£
1811-12' ...	477,822	20,935,412	...	...	21,413,234	314,265	1,294,351	6,565,900	5 percent.
1812-13 ...	490,696	21,810,189	...	...	22,300,885*	227,200	1,347,867	5,382,925	5 "
1813-14 ...	493,440	21,998,798	...	...	22,492,238	63,802	1,359,403	4,486,475	5 "
1814-15 ...	...	23,228,857	...	...	23,228,857	96,322	1,393,731	4,392,392	5 "
1815-16 ...	...	22,848,871	...	...	22,848,871	75,877	1,370,932	3,963,975	5 "
1816-17 ...	...	23,996,440	...	...	23,996,440	70,407	1,439,786	3,958,175	5 "
1817-18 ...	...	24,302,880	...	...	24,302,880	65,529	1,458,173	3,958,162	4 "
1818-19 ...	...	25,831,426	...	...	25,831,426	65,561	1,549,885	3,958,162	4 "
1819-20 ...	...	27,454,905	...	...	27,454,905	60,255	1,647,294	3,923,412	4 "
1820-21 ...	...	27,192,338	...	...	27,192,338	55,425	1,631,540	3,923,412	4 "
1821-22 ...	...	26,544,620	...	...	26,544,620	55,169	1,592,677	3,923,412	4 "
1822-23 ...	...	24,345,876	...	...	24,345,876	55,169	1,460,752	3,922,312	3½ "
1823-24 ...	...	10,536,876	9,643,840	...	20,180,716	54,795	1,114,404	3,922,237	3½ "
1824-25 ...	...	10,243,649	9,710,069	1,406,016	21,359,734	54,635	1,156,363	3,922,237	3 "
1825-26 ...	...	9,943,833	15,784,710	282,795	26,011,338	131,059	1,397,177	3,780,475	4 "
1826-27 ...	...	9,884,349	17,693,175	251,456	27,828,980	110,032	1,487,778	3,780,475	4 "
1827-28 ...	...	9,815,846	21,707,667	132,512	31,656,025	108,922	1,679,634	3,780,475	4 "
1828-29 ...	...	9,239,471	22,566,982	233,554	32,040,007	105,407	1,692,059	3,780,475	3 "
1829-30 ...	...	9,199,365	22,842,716	230,738	32,272,819	101,572	1,703,327	3,780,475	3 "
1830-31 ...	...	9,225,648	23,617,844	188,647	33,032,139	97,529	1,741,977	3,735,062	2½ "
1831-32 ...	...	9,211,636	21,598,048	1,448,979	32,258,663	95,005	1,690,560	3,527,437	2½ "
1832-33 ...	...	9,216,302	19,539,776	3,563,611	32,319,689	94,200	1,672,511	3,523,237	2½ "
1833-34 ...	...	9,222,449	16,866,304	6,001,260	32,090,013	93,379	1,636,713	3,523,237	2½ "
1834-35 ...	...	8,441,483	15,672,933	9,181,271	33,295,687	86,957	1,657,386	3,523,237	2½ "
1835-36 ...	...	1,763,450	16,460,090	10,401,517	28,625,057	86,637	1,344,872	3,523,237	2½ "
1836-37 ...	...	1,183,538	16,542,402	11,254,429	28,980,369	117,293	1,348,309	3,522,925	4 "
1837-38 ...	...	1,142,475	14,960,449	12,072,285	28,175,209	129,379	1,299,462	3,522,825	4 "
1838-39 ...	...	1,021,550	15,000,178	12,026,471	28,048,199	119,512	1,292,361	1,734,300	3 "
1839-40 ...	...	1,027,944	14,972,538	12,211,426	28,211,908	105,656	1,298,760	1,734,300	3 "
1840-41 ...	...	1,040,379	15,799,528	12,532,648	29,372,555	103,949	1,353,705	1,734,300	3 & 3½ "
1841-42 ...	...	1,045,740	17,942,569	12,733,184	31,721,493	99,329	1,469,200	1,734,300	3½ "
1842-43 ...	...	1,052,791	20,212,419	12,769,908	34,035,118	93,095	1,584,584	1,734,300	3½ "

* This was the amount of debt standing on the 31st January 1813. Of this sum, £193,423 (Sa. Rs. 18,13,337) were in (a) These are the amounts of Home Bond Debt

(b) On the 1st

(c) This Loan is a territorial debt. The figures are

This includes only what is considered a Territorial debt of India in England, and excludes the following as regards the debt in India, Marlborough, all local and temporary Loans, Deposits

REGISTERED DEBT.

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DEBT.

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to 1881-82, also the annual amount of INTEREST payable thereon.

LAND.				TOTAL REGISTERED DEBT.				AT THE END OF
ING INTEREST.		Debt not bearing Interest (Home Debt).	Annual amount of Interest payable.	AMOUNT OF DEBT (IN ENGLAND AND INDIA).			TOTAL ANNUAL AMOUNT OF INTEREST PAYABLE.	
Public Loan of 1812 @ 45-5-7½ per cent.	TOTAL.			Bearing Interest.	Not bearing Interest.	TOTAL.		
£ (c)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
...	6,565,900	15,417	328,295	27,879,134	329,682	28,308,816	1,622,646	1811-12
(b) 2,416,885	7,799,810	15,417	396,758	30,100,695	242,617	30,343,312	1,744,625	1812-13
2,272,623	6,759,098	15,417	344,318	29,251,336	79,219	29,330,555	1,703,721	1813-14
2,150,459	6,542,851	15,417	333,164	29,771,708	111,739	29,883,447	1,726,895	1814-15
2,012,342	5,976,317	15,417	304,451	28,825,188	91,294	28,916,482	1,675,383	1815-16
1,874,816	5,832,991	15,417	296,899	29,829,431	85,824	29,915,255	1,736,685	1816-17
1,731,718	5,689,880	15,417	249,761	29,992,760	80,946	30,073,706	1,707,934	1817-18
1,583,100	5,541,262	15,417	241,914	31,372,688	80,978	31,453,666	1,791,799	1818-19
1,933,327	5,856,739	15,417	259,016	33,311,644	75,672	33,387,316	1,906,310	1819-20
1,824,059	5,747,471	15,417	253,247	32,939,809	70,842	33,010,651	1,884,787	1820-21
1,802,916	5,726,328	15,417	252,131	32,270,948	70,586	32,341,534	1,844,808	1821-22
...	3,922,312	15,417	137,281	28,268,188	70,586	28,338,774	1,598,033	1822-23
...	3,922,237	15,417	137,278	24,102,953	70,212	24,173,165	1,251,682	1823-24
...	3,922,237	15,417	117,667	25,281,971	70,052	25,352,023	1,274,030	1824-25
...	3,780,475	15,417	151,219	29,791,813	146,476	29,938,289	1,548,396	1825-26
...	3,780,475	15,417	151,219	31,609,455	125,449	31,734,904	1,638,997	1826-27
...	3,780,475	15,417	151,219	35,436,500	124,339	35,560,839	1,830,853	1827-28
...	3,780,475	15,417	113,414	35,820,482	120,824	35,941,306	1,805,473	1828-29
...	3,780,475	15,417	113,414	36,053,294	116,989	36,170,283	1,816,741	1829-30
...	3,735,062	15,417	93,377	36,767,201	112,946	36,880,147	1,835,354	1830-31
...	3,527,437	15,417	88,186	35,786,100	110,422	35,896,522	1,778,746	1831-32
...	3,523,237	15,417	88,081	35,842,926	109,617	35,952,543	1,760,592	1832-33
...	3,523,237	15,417	88,081	35,613,250	108,796	35,722,046	1,724,794	1833-34
...	3,523,237	15,417	88,081	36,818,924	102,374	36,921,298	1,745,467	1834-35
...	3,523,237	15,417	88,081	32,148,294	102,054	32,250,348	1,432,953	1835-36
...	3,522,925	15,417	140,917	32,503,294	132,710	32,636,004	1,489,226	1836-37
...	3,522,825	15,417	140,913	31,698,034	144,796	31,842,830	1,440,375	1837-38
...	1,734,300	32,092	52,029	29,782,499	151,604	29,934,103	1,344,390	1838-39
...	1,734,300	23,092	52,029	29,946,208	128,748	30,074,956	1,350,789	1839-40
...	1,734,300	22,692	59,856	31,106,855	126,641	31,233,496	1,413,561	1840-41
...	1,734,300	22,292	60,701	33,455,793	121,621	33,577,414	1,529,901	1841-42
...	1,734,300	22,192	60,701	35,769,418	115,287	35,884,705	1,645,285	1842-43

the hands of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, which should, therefore, be deducted from the total debt. on the 1st March 1812 and 1813, respectively.

March 1813.

entered after deducting the amounts redeemed.

viz. Service and other Funds, Treasury Notes, Treasury Bills, Loan on account of the Mysore Princes, Loan transferred from Fort and Promissory Notes issued to the Prize Agents of Java.