

## CONCLUDING NOTE

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This Jubilee appeal of the Board of Trade of the City of Ottawa has direct reference to the co-operation of His Majesty's Government in the Mother Country, with His Governments of the self-governing Dominions beyond the seas, in a common object. As an educational medium, this appeal is designed to familiarize the public mind with the proposal to institute an Empire girdle of State-owned Cables as an indispensable means of commercial and political unity.

The reader of the pamphlet will be struck with three points of high importance which are clearly brought out:—

- (1) It is demonstrated that a low uniform charge for transmitting correspondence, irrespective of distance sent, is far more applicable to a State Telegraph Service than to a State Postal Service.
- (2) As Penny Postage has already become the rule throughout the Empire, it may reasonably be anticipated that a similar low uniform charge for all distances by the girdle of Empire Cables will become the final goal of State-telegraphy.
- (3) Thus, by the tremendous force of energy and sympathy induced by and through the slender electric nerve-wire, the co-operating sister communities will gain the possession of a potent agency in the developement of the great Empire of friendship and peace.