MINUTES OF EVIDENCE.

APPENDIX No. 1

SCHEDULE 'B'-Continued.

Former Bell Rates.		Our	Our Dividend	Capital	man and and
R.	R.	Capital.	per cent.	per Phone.	
\$	\$	8		8	
		10,000	24	40	Holders of 1 share \$50 get 24% which pays the subscrip- tion of \$12. Only one share allowed per phone. We operate in small towns and on Farmers' Lines.
48 48 120	36 36 84	$15,000 \\ 100,000 \\ 2,500,000$	8 10	32 87 250	
					3,500 phones in operation. Building for \$17,000.
		56,000 75,000	10 6	83 72	We operate whole county in which 'Bell' have only
48	36	75,000	12	74	4 toll stations. Has proved one of the best paying investments in the city.
48 36	36 24	75,000 100,000	Good. 6	62 97	'Bell' rates for 10 party lines; ours for direct. We
48	36	50,000	8	63	don't know that the "Bell" is operating in our city
36-48	24-36	20,000		59	
60 36	36 18	200,000	8	182 98	Many "Bell" phones free and 75 per cent on party lines. Our entire switch capacity in use.
72-90	27-48	50,000 350,000 St.	8	90	
48	36	350,000 Bd			Free intercommunication between the 3 cities at rates named.
40	- 00	60,000	10	63	and the second
48	30	10,000	6	25	A state way a state of the stat
36	24	48,000	15	61	
48	36	62,500	10-16	48	
		84,000	6	120	Operating 8 exchanges in villages 500, 2,000 inhabi- tants; with Farmers Lines through country. 200 miles toll line.
36	18 {	17,600 Sk. 12,000 Bd.			
48	36	100,000 50,000	6	138 59	And the second sec
		10,000	Very good		
40 24	12	20,000 8,000	69	40 45	
. 48	36	150,000		147	and the second se
72	48	75,000	12	69	When a particular and share a share when the
36 48	18 36	75,000 50,000	8	67 73	The second se
		. 100,000	8	125	Will increase to 1,200 phones by Dec. 1st, 1902.
48	24	100,000		134	Switchboard and cables filled out. 500 new subscriber waiting.
50 60	36 36	25,000 25,000	- 10 8	50 22	'Bell'had 117 phones at our start. Now we have ter times as many by giving good service and living
	10	00.000			prices.
$ \begin{array}{c} 24\\ 60 \end{array} $	18 48			59 111	
60	48	200,000		125	
48	24	100,000	6	83	and the second
	• • • • • • • • •	. 5,000	6	40	assessed with actual cost of working which is \$3.6
1,896 125				166 170	
120					

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Mr. FRANCIS DAGGER.