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TELEGRAPH.

TRANSFER TO ANOTHER COMPANY.

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TASMANIA AND VICTORIA SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH.

*Telegraph Construction and Maintenance Company, Limited,
Offices, 38, Old Broad-st., London, E. C.,
13th June, 1873.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to inform you that this Company has transferred the Tasmania and Victoria Telegraph Cable to "The Eastern Extension Australasia & China Telegraph Company, Limited," who take over, as from 1st May, 1873, all this Company's rights and obligations contained in the Articles of Agreement between your Government and this Company, dated 24th June, 1868.

I have respectfully to request that the payments hitherto made by your Government under the said Agreement to the Bank of Australasia to this Company's credit may be made as from 1st May, 1873, to the credit of "The Eastern Extension Australasia & China Telegraph Company, Limited," who will render to you the Annual Statements of the working of the Line heretofore furnished by this Company.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

SHERARD OSBORNE, *Managing Director.*

To the Hon. the Treasurer Tasmanian Government.
