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STATEMENT OF TREASURY BALANCES AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

	—	Dr.	Cr.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cash Accounts in Australia—			
Commonwealth Public Account	Cr. 1,295,401 19 8		
Sinking Fund Balances	Dr. 174,531 8 5		
Departmental Cash Balances	Dr. 1,148,731 7 3		
		37,770 16 0	..
Cash Accounts Overseas—			
London Cash Account	186,495 4 9		
New York Cash Account	14,874 2 7		
Sinking Fund Balances, London and New York	219,972 0 1		
		415,341 7 5	..
Consolidated Revenue Fund—			
Accumulated Deficit at 30th June, 1930	6,468,721 4 0		
Deficit for year ended 30th June, 1931, in respect of Commonwealth transactions	10,757,618 15 3		
	17,216,339 19 3		
Interest etc. paid on behalf of State of New South Wales (to be recovered)	3,834,148 13 4		
	21,050,488 12 7		
Less temporary advance from Loan Fund to meet accumulated deficit at 30th June, 1931	21,050,488 12 7		
			..
Loan Fund—			
Balance of Loan raisings	19,020,861 11 8		
Advances from Commonwealth Bank	2,061,323 6 9		
	21,082,184 18 5		
Less temporary advance to meet accumulated deficit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund at 30th June, 1931	21,050,488 12 7		
			31,696 5 10
Trust Fund			13,372,962 14 3
Trust Fund Investments—			
General Trust Funds	6,464,764 17 2		
National Debt Sinking Fund	2,386,793 0 3		
Officers' Assurance Fund	129 17 6		
Norfolk Island Fund	2,279 15 6		
Bankruptcy Estates Fund	256 5 0		
Superannuation Fund	3,385,199 18 6		
		12,238,368 13 11	..
London Transactions—Details not available		30,717 14 11	..
Outstanding advances		496,674 14 4	..
London funds held on behalf of the States			87,200 0 0
Advances to States in anticipation of loans to be raised		272,990 13 6	..
Advances to States by Commonwealth Bank in London for Redemption of Treasury Bills		3,599,884 3 0	..
Commonwealth Bank for Advances to States in London			3,599,884 3 0
Carried forward		17,091,743 3 1	17,091,743 3 1

STATEMENT OF TREASURY BALANCES AT 30th JUNE, 1931—continued.

	£ s. d.		Dr.		Cr.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Brought forward			17,061,743	3 1	17,061,743	3 1
Public Debt—						
War purposes	277,789	225 13 8				
Commonwealth Works and other purposes	110,938	319 7 1				
Debts of the States	707,316	371 14 0				
			1,156,083	916 14 9		
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock and Bonds, Australia					377,020	958 12 1
Commonwealth Government Registered Stock and Debentures, London					112,319	304 12 5
Commonwealth Government Bonds, New York					33,299	291 1 4
Commonwealth Treasury Bills—Australia					25,917	000 0 0
Commonwealth Treasury Bills—London					12,850	000 0 0
Commonwealth Government Debentures, London					20,125	000 0 0
Peace Savings Certificates					227,495	2 11
War Savings Certificates					59,446	6 0
War Savings Stamps					14,853	18 3
War Gratuity Bonds—overdue					16,940	19 10
Indebtedness to Government of the United Kingdom under Funding Arrangements Act 1921					79,724	220 9 10
Balance of Loans taken over from the State of South Australia in 1910—						
Northern Territory	362	024 0 0				
Port Augusta Railway	921	046 2 11				
					1,283	070 2 11
Property Transferred from the State of New South Wales					411	125 0 0
States' Debts taken over by the Commonwealth—						
Australia	153,488	709 13 1				
London	326,188	311 10 4				
New York	14,292	099 5 9				
					493,969	210 9 2
Amounts due by other Administrations, etc.—						
Government of New South Wales			3,634	148 13 4		
Government of Victoria			3,260	0 0		
Government of Tasmania			285,490	19 8		
Administration of Papua			71,506	3 2		
Administration of New Guinea			87,740	5 8		
British Phosphate Commissioners			1,416,893	12 0		
Australasian Commonwealth Shipping Board			692,892	2 2		
Brought forward			1,179,507	383 5 8	1,173,126	659 17 10

STATEMENT OF TREASURY BALANCES AT 30th JUNE, 1931—continued.

	£ s. d.		Dr.		Cr.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Brought forward			1,179,507	383 5 8	1,173,126	659 17 10
Amounts due by other Administrations, etc.—continued.						
White Star Line Limited					1,320,000	0 0
Geelong Returned Soldiers' and Sailors' Woollen and Worsted Co-operative Manufacturing Company Limited					25,000	0 0
Loans to Returned Soldiers for Land Settlement in Federal Territories					1,040	9 11
Advances to Controller and Accountant-General, Post Office, and to Commonwealth Bank, London, for War Pensions					12,000	0 0
Loans to Young Men's Christian Association, Melbourne and Hobart, on account of Naval Hostels					8,800	0 0
Treasurer of the Commonwealth—Amounts due by other Administrations, &c.						7,747,563 17 9
					1,180,874	223 15 7
					1,180,874	223 15 7

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Commonwealth Treasury, 23rd July, 1931.

J. H. SCULLIN,  
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RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

CONSOLIDATED

EXPENDITURE.

	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22. Estimated.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PART I—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES—OTHER THAN</b>					
<b>War and Repatriation Services—</b>					
Interest, Sinking Fund and Exchange ..	20,218,176	21,071,002	20,579,056	20,177,716	16,894,000
War Pensions ..	7,607,281	7,755,774	7,597,291	7,987,038	6,960,000
Repatriation of Soldiers ..	875,534	978,335	1,044,000	1,055,795	907,848
Other War Services ..	306,222	292,640	579,469	285,669	188,152
<b>Total War and Repatriation Services ..</b>	<b>29,006,212</b>	<b>30,097,751</b>	<b>30,099,806</b>	<b>29,506,218</b>	<b>24,750,000</b>
Department of Defence ..	3,784,409	3,687,820	4,104,223	3,705,942	3,210,000
Special Defence Provision to cover develop- mental programme ..	995,011	947,578			
Naval Construction and Reserve for Defence ..	3,020,000				
Development of Civil Aviation ..	200,000				
<b>Total War, Repatriation and Defence ..</b>	<b>37,006,532</b>	<b>34,733,149</b>	<b>34,204,029</b>	<b>33,212,160</b>	<b>27,960,000</b>
<b>Special Appropriations (other than War and Repatriation)—</b>					
Interest and Sinking Fund ..	1,541,469	1,600,924	1,972,858	2,232,840	2,302,000
Invalid and Old-age Pensions ..	3,720,845	10,124,239	10,791,325	11,710,953	10,850,000
Maternity Allowance ..	678,920	661,630	642,590	630,653	400,000
Wine Export Bounty ..	482,843	76,454	832,910	95,879	85,000
Iron and Steel Products Bounty ..	245,628	305,633	260,387	144,012	12,000
Cotton Industries Bounty ..	106,300	98,568	118,967	157,933	140,000
Gold Bounty ..					100,000
Science and Industry Investigations ..	250,000				
Petroleum prospecting ..			18,800	10,000	1,000
Assistance to Primary production ..		50,000	60,000	31,000	
Purchase of Radium ..	100,000				
Geophysical Survey ..	20,000				
Other Special Appropriations ..	406,097	425,334	440,994	442,144	402,900
<b>Total Special Appropriations ..</b>	<b>13,619,621</b>	<b>13,542,572</b>	<b>14,379,531</b>	<b>15,455,418</b>	<b>14,892,900</b>
<b>Ordinary Votes of Departments—</b>					
The Parliament ..	81,941	73,840	78,039	75,764	64,400
The Prime Minister's Department ..	353,155	332,660	318,678	289,749	251,900
The Department of the Treasury ..	718,695	625,109	639,428	685,332	642,800
The Attorney-General's Department ..	154,270	179,794	184,791	180,140	155,600
The Department of Home Affairs ..	249,721	259,760	259,349	240,949	217,400
The Department of Trade and Customs ..	632,084	639,982	638,693	613,306	498,000
The Department of Works ..	238,639	239,785	273,797	219,019	183,000
The Department of Health ..	143,793	137,620	134,032	127,783	109,600
The Department of Markets ..	99,809	100,573	112,945	119,809	98,000
The Department of Transport ..	349,646	337,216	310,396	259,638	231,800
<b>Total Ordinary Votes of Departments ..</b>	<b>3,081,253</b>	<b>2,987,340</b>	<b>2,950,368</b>	<b>2,811,489</b>	<b>2,454,300</b>
<b>Miscellaneous Services ..</b>	<b>349,825</b>	<b>439,575</b>	<b>639,319</b>	<b>741,739</b>	<b>996,250</b>
<b>Additions, New Works, and Buildings ..</b>	<b>192,440</b>	<b>196,441</b>	<b>131,587</b>	<b>28,202</b>	<b>116,842</b>
<b>Total Expenditure—Part I ..</b>	<b>54,249,671</b>	<b>51,899,077</b>	<b>52,304,634</b>	<b>52,249,003</b>	<b>46,420,292</b>
<b>Contributions from General Revenue—</b>					
For Business Undertakings (Part II) ..	438,034	338,216	120,119	866,639	579,060
For Territories of the Commonwealth (Part III) ..	509,204	504,814	598,681	704,099	707,036
For Payments to or for the States (Part IV) ..	11,085,789	11,036,638	11,489,944	13,112,616	11,604,912
<b>Total Contributions ..</b>	<b>66,282,698</b>	<b>63,778,745</b>	<b>64,518,978</b>	<b>66,982,356</b>	<b>59,311,300</b>

OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.  
REVENUE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22. Estimated.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>Taxation—</b>					
Customs and Excise ..	41,446,730	41,058,571	41,774,391	28,235,073	28,600,000
Sales Tax ..				3,473,854	8,500,000
Land Tax ..	3,027,306	2,983,885	2,840,078	2,765,598	1,800,000
Income Tax ..	10,165,176	9,841,496	11,120,029	13,604,374	9,820,000
Estate Duties ..	1,752,118	2,050,149	2,122,478	2,068,865	1,400,000
War Time Profits Tax ..	Dr. 112,238	Dr. 24,309	14,678	794	
Entertainments Tax ..	358,865	358,697	316,121	186,661	180,000
Income Tax—Commonwealth Salaries ..				34,475	
<b>Total Taxation ..</b>	<b>56,637,858</b>	<b>56,303,489</b>	<b>58,187,775</b>	<b>50,420,106</b>	<b>50,300,000</b>
<b>Other Revenue—</b>					
Coilage ..	203,252	92,898	41,070	141,846	100,000
Defence ..	132,877	117,614	103,351	79,005	48,500
Attorney-General ..	58,714	82,833	104,984	108,060	101,000
Health ..	31,547	26,284	28,360	20,814	22,000
Marine ..	212,490	210,162	201,210	196,501	180,000
Repayment of States' Proportion of Pensions (omitting Post Office) ..	9,746	8,839	8,691	6,910	10,000
Contributions of Officers towards Pen- sions under State Acts (omitting Post Office) ..	413	448	713	326	500
Export Charges ..	51,953	63,959	74,034	80,785	76,000
Net Profit—Australian Note Issue ..	845,274	694,642	703,669	449,506	600,000
Interest on Loans to States for Soldier Land Settlement ..	1,802,175	1,832,732	1,682,891	1,387,151	1,176,000
Repayment of Advances to Fruit Pools ..		19,884	1,150		
Accumulated income arising from liqui- dation of ex-enemy properties ..				1,500,000	
Miscellaneous ..	845,162	1,960,936	1,910,077	1,783,727	1,622,000
<b>Total Other Revenue ..</b>	<b>4,194,603</b>	<b>5,116,281</b>	<b>4,860,200</b>	<b>5,754,631</b>	<b>3,835,000</b>
<b>Total Receipts—Part I ..</b>	<b>60,832,461</b>	<b>61,419,770</b>	<b>63,047,975</b>	<b>56,174,737</b>	<b>54,135,000</b>
Deficit on transactions of the year ..	5,450,237	2,358,976	1,471,003	10,757,619	5,176,300
<b>Total Receipts—Part I ..</b>	<b>66,282,698</b>	<b>63,778,745</b>	<b>64,518,978</b>	<b>66,932,356</b>	<b>59,311,300</b>
<b>DEFICIT ACCOUNT, 1930-31.</b>					
Dr.	£	£	Cr.	£	£
Deficit in respect of Common- wealth transactions ..		10,757,619	Deficit carried forward ..		14,991,768
Interest, &c., paid by the Commonwealth on behalf of State of New South Wales (to be recovered) ..	4,942,014				
Less amounts due to New South Wales taken in reduction ..	1,107,865				
	<b>3,834,149</b>				
	<b>14,591,768</b>				<b>14,591,768</b>
<b>STATEMENT OF ACCUMULATED DEFICIT TO 30TH JUNE, 1931.</b>					
Deficit at 30th June, 1930 ..					6,468,721
Deficit 1890-31 ..					
In respect of Commonwealth transactions ..				10,757,619	
Interest &c. paid on behalf of New South Wales (to be recovered) ..				3,834,149	
<b>Accumulated deficit at 30th June, 1931 ..</b>					<b>21,050,489*</b>

\* A temporary advance has been made from Loan Fund to meet the deficit at 30th June, 1931.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF CONSOLIDATED

EXPENDITURE.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32. Estimate.
<b>PART II.—BUSINESS POSTMASTER.</b>					
Postmaster-General's Department	£ 12,392,976	£ 12,650,725	£ 13,025,358	£ 12,994,870	£ 11,825,200
Additions—New Works and Buildings	874	9,347			550,000
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>12,393,850</b>	<b>12,660,072</b>	<b>13,025,358</b>	<b>12,994,870</b>	<b>12,375,200</b>
Surplus		158,528	565,249		174,500
	<b>12,393,850</b>	<b>12,848,400</b>	<b>13,590,607</b>	<b>12,994,870</b>	<b>12,550,000</b>

COMMONWEALTH

Trans-Australian Railway	418,361	437,369	434,678	392,054	381,500
Central Australia Railway	283,062	364,500	431,310	380,546	353,200
North Australia Railway	177,295	219,238	223,573	228,141	212,240
Federal Territory Railway	10,925	12,121	10,220	7,970	9,000
New Railway Construction	99,450	46,156			
Miscellaneous expenditure	12,675	9,278	9,624	48,095	74,920
Additions—New Works, Buildings, &c.					57,000
	996,768	1,087,560	1,109,405	1,056,806	1,087,860
Surplus—Part II.					

PART III.—TERRITORIES OF

Federal Capital Territory—Ordinary Services	100,164	28,804	102,990	279,764	270,878
Interest and Sinking Fund	186,715	223,044	262,823	371,053	329,000
Northern Territory	286,879	251,948	365,813	650,827	599,878
Papua	132,758	146,380	138,925	143,152	161,680
New Guinea	58,947	57,411	49,853	52,669	48,043
Norfolk Island	13,400	13,346	12,911	8,054	3,700
Additions—New Works, Buildings, &c.	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000	3,500
	36,312	68,942	113,949	46,243	105,235
	532,386	640,427	685,451	911,245	922,036

PART IV.—PAYMENTS TO

Grant to States towards relief of unemployment				750,000	
Special Payment to South Australia			360,000	1,170,000	1,000,000
Special Payment to Western Australia	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000
Special Payment to Tasmania	378,000	220,000	250,000	250,000	250,000
Grants to States for Federal Aid Roads	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,400,000
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on State Debts	822,877	931,726	994,432	1,057,703	1,070,000
Contributions towards Interest on State Debts	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912
	11,035,789	11,036,638	11,489,344	13,112,615	11,604,912
Balance of Interest on State Debts—recoverable from States	2,861,995	4,089,643	25,566,721	24,230,562	23,000,000
	13,947,784	15,126,281	37,056,065	37,343,177	34,604,912

STATEMENT OF SURPLUSES

Deficit brought from previous year	5,450,237	2,628,743	4,987,718	6,458,721	17,216,340
Deficit on transactions of the year		2,358,876	1,471,003	30,757,610	5,178,800
	5,450,237	4,987,718	6,458,721	17,216,340	22,395,140

\* Provided from Loan Fund. † Portion of year only. ‡ Omitting interest, etc. £288,149 paid by Commonwealth on behalf of New South Wales and not recovered at 30th June, 1931.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA—continued.

REVENUE FUND—continued.

RECEIPTS.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32. Estimate.
<b>PART II.—BUSINESS POSTMASTER.</b>					
<b>UNDERTAKINGS. GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>					
Post Office	£ 12,304,142	£ 12,813,396	£ 13,551,037	£ 12,839,104	£ 12,510,000
Repayment of States' Proportion of Pensions Contributions of Officers towards Pensions under State Acts	44,756	34,593	39,126	36,575	39,600
	524	411	394	321	400
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>12,349,422</b>	<b>12,848,400</b>	<b>13,590,607</b>	<b>12,876,000</b>	<b>12,550,000</b>
Deficit	44,428			119,070	
	<b>12,393,850</b>	<b>12,848,400</b>	<b>13,590,607</b>	<b>12,994,870</b>	<b>12,550,000</b>

RAILWAYS:

Trans-Australian Railway	333,000	344,948	274,816	190,028	195,000
Central Australia Railway	191,115	185,811	104,724	86,360	100,000
North Australia Railway	68,844	60,259	31,221	28,986	35,000
Federal Territory Railway	10,203	9,998	7,206	3,863	4,000
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>603,162</b>	<b>591,016</b>	<b>418,037</b>	<b>309,237</b>	<b>334,000</b>
Deficit	393,606	496,544	691,368	747,569	753,860
	996,768	1,087,560	1,109,405	1,056,806	1,087,860
Deficit—Part II., covered by Contributions from General Revenue	438,034	338,216	126,119	866,639	579,060

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Federal Capital Territory	23,182	35,613	57,766	180,123	180,000
Northern Territory			29,004	27,023	35,000
Deficit—Part III., covered by Contributions from General Revenue	509,204	504,814	698,681	704,099	707,038
	532,386	640,427	685,451	911,245	922,036

OR FOR THE STATES.

Contributions from General Revenue	11,035,789	11,036,638	11,489,344	13,112,615	11,604,912
Interest on State Debts—payable by States	2,861,995	4,089,643	25,566,721	24,230,562	23,000,000
	13,947,784	15,126,281	37,056,065	37,343,177	34,604,912

AND DEFICIENCIES.

Surplus brought from previous year	2,821,494				
Net accumulated deficit at close of year	2,628,743	4,987,718	6,458,721	17,216,340	22,392,640
	5,450,237	4,987,718	6,458,721	17,216,340	22,392,640

† Portion of year only.

## EXPENDITURE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32 Estimate.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
<b>CONSOLIDATED</b>			
<b>DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES (OTHER THAN BUSINESS)</b>			
War, Repatriation, and Defence Services .. .. .	5 6 7½	5 2 7	4 5 6½
Ordinary Votes of Departments .. .. .	0 9 2½	0 8 8½	0 7 6½
Invalid and Old-age Pensions .. .. .	1 13 7½	1 16 2	1 13 2½
Other Expenditure on Ordinary Services .. .. .	0 13 2½	0 13 10½	0 15 5
Additions, New Works, and Buildings .. .. .	0 0 5	0 0 1	0 0 4½
<b>Total Expenditure per head of Population—Part I.</b> .. .. .	<b>8 3 1</b>	<b>8 1 4½</b>	<b>7 2 0½</b>
<b>Contributions from General Revenue—</b>			
For Business Undertakings .. .. .	0 0 4½	0 2 8	0 1 9½
For Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .	0 1 10½	0 2 2	0 2 2
For Payments to or for the States .. .. .	1 15 9½	2 0 6	1 16 0½
	<b>10 1 2</b>	<b>10 6 8½</b>	<b>9 1 0½</b>
	<b>10 1 2</b>	<b>10 6 8½</b>	<b>9 1 0½</b>
<b>BUSINESS</b>			
Post Office .. .. .	2 0 7½	2 0 1½	1 17 10½
Commonwealth Railways .. .. .	0 3 5½	0 3 3½	0 3 4
	<b>2 4 0½</b>	<b>2 3 4½</b>	<b>2 1 2½</b>
<b>TERRITORIES OF THE</b>			
Territories .. .. .	0 2 1½	0 2 9½	0 2 10
<b>PAYMENTS TO</b>			
Contribution towards Interest on State Debts .. .. .	1 3 7½	1 3 5	1 3 2½
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on State Debts .. .. .	0 3 1½	0 3 3½	0 3 3½
Special Payments to South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania .. .. .	0 2 10	0 5 3½	0 4 9
Grants to States for Federal Aid Roads .. .. .	0 6 2½	0 6 2½	0 4 3½
Grant to States towards relief of unemployment .. .. .	.. .. .	0 2 3½	.. .. .
	<b>1 15 9½</b>	<b>2 0 6</b>	<b>1 15 6½</b>
Deficit brought from previous year .. .. .	0 15 6½	0 19 11½	2 12 8½
Deficit on transactions of the year .. .. .	0 4 7	1 13 2½	0 15 10
	<b>1 0 1½</b>	<b>2 13 2</b>	<b>3 8 6½</b>

## RECEIPTS PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32 Estimate.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
<b>REVENUE FUND.</b>			
<b>UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>			
<b>Indirect Taxation—</b>			
Customs and Excise .. .. .	6 10 3	4 7 4½	4 7 6½
Sales tax .. .. .	.. .. .	0 10 8½	1 6 0½
<b>Total Indirect Taxation .. .. .</b>	<b>6 10 3</b>	<b>4 18 1</b>	<b>5 13 6½</b>
<b>Direct Taxation—</b>			
Land Tax .. .. .	0 8 10½	0 8 6½	0 5 6
Income Tax .. .. .	1 14 8	2 2 0	1 10 0½
Estate Duties .. .. .	0 6 7½	0 6 4½	0 4 3½
War-time Profits Tax .. .. .	0 0 0½	.. .. .	.. .. .
Entertainment Tax .. .. .	0 0 11½	0 0 7	0 0 6½
Income Tax—Commonwealth Salaries .. .. .	.. .. .	0 0 1½	.. .. .
<b>Total Direct Taxation .. .. .</b>	<b>2 11 2</b>	<b>2 17 7½</b>	<b>2 0 4½</b>
<b>Total Taxation .. .. .</b>	<b>9 1 5</b>	<b>7 15 8½</b>	<b>7 13 11½</b>
Net Profit on Australian Note Issue .. .. .	0 2 2½	0 1 4½	0 1 10
Interest on Loans to States for Soldier Land Settlement .. .. .	0 5 3	0 4 3½	0 3 7½
Other Revenue .. .. .	0 7 8½	0 12 1½	0 6 3½
<b>Total Revenue per head of Population .. .. .</b>	<b>9 16 7</b>	<b>8 13 5½</b>	<b>8 5 8½</b>
Deficit on transactions of the year .. .. .	0 4 7	1 13 2½	0 15 10
	<b>10 1 2</b>	<b>10 6 8½</b>	<b>9 1 0½</b>
<b>UNDERTAKINGS.</b>			
Post Office .. .. .	2 2 4½	1 19 9½	1 18 5
Commonwealth Railways .. .. .	0 1 3½	0 0 11½	0 1 0½
<b>Total Revenue per head of Population .. .. .</b>	<b>2 3 8</b>	<b>2 0 8½</b>	<b>1 19 5½</b>
Deficit .. .. .	0 0 4½	0 2 8	0 1 9½
	<b>2 4 0½</b>	<b>2 3 4½</b>	<b>2 1 2½</b>
<b>COMMONWEALTH.</b>			
Territories .. .. .	0 0 3½	0 0 7½	0 0 8
Deficit .. .. .	0 1 10½	0 2 2	0 2 2
	<b>0 2 1½</b>	<b>0 2 9½</b>	<b>0 2 10</b>
<b>OR FOR THE STATES.</b>			
Contributions from General Revenue .. .. .	1 15 9½	2 0 6	1 15 6½
	<b>1 15 9½</b>	<b>2 0 6</b>	<b>1 15 6½</b>
Net accumulated deficit at close of year .. .. .	1 0 1½	2 13 2	3 8 6½
	<b>1 0 1½</b>	<b>2 13 2</b>	<b>3 8 6½</b>



## PARTICULARS OF AMOUNTS PAID TO OR FOR THE STATES.

1928-29.

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Total
Contribution towards interest on States' Debts	£ 2,917,411	£ 2,127,159	£ 1,096,235	£ 703,818	£ 473,432	£ 266,869	£ 7,584,912
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on States' Debts	340,889	203,642	144,207	121,812	91,471	30,786	931,729
Special Grants	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Grants for Federal Aid Roads	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Total 1928-29	3,919,800	2,690,801	1,616,442	1,058,628	1,248,902	641,655	11,036,638

1929-30.

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Total
Contribution towards interest on States' Debts	£ 2,917,411	£ 2,127,159	£ 1,096,235	£ 703,818	£ 473,432	£ 266,869	£ 7,584,912
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on States' Debts	375,418	218,970	151,778	127,569	97,868	36,025	946,432
Special Grants	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Grants for Federal Aid Roads	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Total 1929-30	3,844,829	2,701,129	1,624,013	1,116,185	1,250,294	544,994	11,469,344

1930-31.

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Total
Contribution towards interest on States' Debts	£ 2,917,411	£ 2,127,159	£ 1,096,235	£ 703,818	£ 473,432	£ 266,869	£ 7,584,912
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on States' Debts	402,441	227,622	163,882	138,978	106,160	29,074	1,067,703
Special Grants	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Grants for Federal Aid Roads	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Grant towards relief of unemployment	184,000	331,750	73,000	45,000	65,000	44,250	759,000
Total 1930-31	4,667,852	3,046,561	1,698,567	1,338,794	1,338,698	667,183	13,121,615

1931-32 (Estimate).

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	Total
Contribution towards interest on States' Debts	£ 2,917,411	£ 2,127,159	£ 1,096,235	£ 703,818	£ 473,432	£ 266,869	£ 7,584,912
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on States' Debts	411,000	227,000	153,000	145,000	108,000	29,000	1,073,000
Special Grants	552,000	360,000	376,000	228,000	384,000	100,000	2,000,000
Grants for Federal Aid Roads	386,400	262,000	263,200	159,600	268,800	70,000	1,400,000
Total 1931-32	3,714,811	2,696,159	1,612,435	1,160,232	1,150,232	616,869	11,604,912

## CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

## STATEMENT OF SURPLUSES AND DEFICIENCIES.

Note.—Until the end of 1908-7 the whole balance of the Consolidated Revenue Fund was paid to the States. In 1907-8 the whole of the balance was paid to the States after the provision of £193,621 had been made for expenditure in subsequent years under Trust Fund, Invalid and Old-age Pensions Account. From 1908-9, and until the abolition of the bookkeeping provisions of the Constitution in 1910-11 the States received only three-fourths of the net Customs and Excise Revenue, and the balance of the Consolidated Revenue Fund was transferred to Trust Fund, Invalid and Old-age Pensions, and Naval Defence (Construction of Fleet) Accounts to provide for expenditure in subsequent years. From 1910-11 until the end of 1926-27 the States received twenty-five shillings per head of population per annum, and the balance of the Consolidated Revenue Fund was transferred to Trust Fund, Invalid and Old-age Pensions, and War Pensions Accounts. The States Grants Act 1927 abolished the *per capita* payments as from 30th June, 1927, and provided lump sum grants for the year 1927-28, subject to the terms of any agreement made between the Commonwealth and all the States.

A "Financial Agreement" since made between the Commonwealth and the States, and validated by the Commonwealth Parliament under an amendment of the Constitution, provides, *inter alia*, for (a) an annual payment by the Commonwealth from 1st July, 1927, of £7,584,912 towards interest on State Debts, (b) annual sinking fund contributions by the Commonwealth from 1st July, 1927, at the rate of 2s. 6d. for each £100 of Net State Debts existing on 30th June, 1927, and 6s. for each £100 of New Debts created after that date, (c) the Commonwealth to take over State Debts existing on 1st July, 1929, and the States to provide all interest thereon in excess of the annual sum of £7,584,912 provided by the Commonwealth.

Year.	Surplus.	Deficiency.	Accumulated Surplus at the close of each year.
1907-8	£ 193,621	£ ..	£ 193,621
1908-9	462,528	..	656,149
1909-10	..	656,149	..
1910-11	1,837,175	..	1,837,175
1911-12	424,498	..	2,261,673
1912-13	381,632	..	2,643,305
1913-14	..	1,418,965	1,224,347
1914-15	..	1,224,347	..
1915-16	3,000,000	..	3,000,000
1916-17	..	922,573	2,077,427
1917-18	1,843,393	..	3,920,820
1918-19	..	402,762	3,528,058
1919-20	2,201,748	..	5,724,806
1920-21	893,521	..	6,618,327
1921-22	..	209,903	6,408,424
1922-23	1,020,160	..	7,428,574
1923-24	..	4,837,421*	2,591,153*
1924-25	518,376	..	3,109,529†
1925-26	..	2,823,632	285,897‡
1926-27	2,535,597	..	2,821,494§
1927-28	..	5,450,237§	2,628,743
1928-29	..	2,368,975	Deficit 4,987,718
1929-30	..	1,471,003	Deficit 6,458,721
1930-31	..	10,767,619††	Deficit 17,216,340††
1931-32 (Estimate)	..	5,176,300	Deficit 22,392,640

\* The ordinary transactions of the year 1923-24 resulted in a surplus of £2,578,434 which, with the surplus brought forward, made an accumulated surplus of £10,000,000. Of this amount £4,916,795 was applied to debt redemption, and £2,500,000 to provide for Naval Construction and a Reserve for Defence. The accumulated surplus thus remaining at 30th June, 1924, was £2,581,163.

† Of this amount £2,000,000 was set aside for expenditure in subsequent years, viz., £1,500,000 for naval construction, £500,000 for main roads development, £100,000 for science and industry investigations, and £100,000 for prospecting for oil and precious metals.

‡ Of this amount £100,000 was set aside for expenditure in subsequent years for prospecting for oil and precious metals.

§ The following payments were made out of this surplus at 30th June, 1927, and brought to account as a deficit: £200,000; Purchase of Indian, £100,000; Geological Survey of Australia, £20,000. The deficit for 1927-28, omitting these £1,471,003.

†† Omitting interest, etc., £4,837,421 paid on behalf of New South Wales and not recovered at 30th June, 1931.

## DETAILS OF REVENUE.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32. Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—REVENUE OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>INDIRECT TAXATION.</b>					
<b>CUSTOMS.</b>					
1. Alcs, spirits and beverages ..	2,820,547	2,653,071	2,593,593	1,045,601	750,000
2. Tobacco and manufactures thereof ..	2,374,659	2,412,859	3,069,426	2,875,840	3,100,000
3. Sugar ..	16,797	11,654	11,029	676	500
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries ..	1,403,054	1,262,065	1,291,643	1,000,437	700,000
5. Textiles, fells and furs, &c. ..	5,832,848	5,362,634	5,154,257	2,069,609	1,950,000
6. Metals and Machinery ..	5,284,993	4,945,249	4,753,415	1,594,769	1,250,000
7. Oils, Paints and Varnishes ..	2,534,879	3,632,522	4,137,016	3,645,960	3,700,000
8. Earthenware, &c. ..	704,207	710,052	713,599	360,889	260,000
9. Drugs and Chemicals, ..	520,423	545,958	539,276	383,334	250,000
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane ..	1,694,825	1,683,145	1,802,580	379,328	280,000
11. Jewellery and Fancy Goods ..	845,100	870,130	1,028,151	557,262	360,000
12. Hides, leather and rubber ..	1,124,091	743,948	526,056	256,498	220,000
13. Paper and Stationery ..	760,448	762,357	878,500	732,888	570,000
14. Vehicles ..	2,534,738	3,193,211	2,315,739	377,888	240,000
15. Musical Instruments ..	304,329	267,824	188,329	13,855	9,500
16. Miscellaneous ..	1,040,050	996,765	1,116,340	704,835	560,000
Primage duty ..	..	..	..	1,812,624	4,300,000
Ships' stores ..	..	..	..	67,620	50,000
Passengers' baggage ..	..	..	..	6,033	10,000
Other miscellaneous receipts ..	62,364	78,231	77,792	63,484	40,000
<b>Total Customs ..</b>	<b>29,848,379</b>	<b>29,502,765</b>	<b>30,157,040</b>	<b>18,224,227</b>	<b>18,600,000</b>
<b>EXCISE.</b>					
Beer ..	6,155,661	6,190,725	6,105,443	5,200,361	5,150,000
Spirits ..	1,881,040	1,758,957	1,856,951	1,242,700	1,250,000
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes ..	3,544,602	3,697,061	3,573,198	3,283,545	3,270,000
Petrol ..	..	..	70,065	315,582	310,000
Starch ..	4,737	134	..	..	..
Licences ..	12,311	10,939	11,574	11,460	9,000
Playing Cards ..	..	..	120	10,432	10,000
Concentrated Grape Must ..	..	..	..	766	1,000
<b>Total Excise ..</b>	<b>11,698,351</b>	<b>11,655,816</b>	<b>11,617,351</b>	<b>10,070,846</b>	<b>10,000,000</b>
<b>Total Customs and Excise ..</b>	<b>41,446,730</b>	<b>41,058,571</b>	<b>41,774,391</b>	<b>28,295,073</b>	<b>28,600,000</b>
<b>SALES TAX</b>					
<b>Total Indirect Taxation ..</b>	<b>41,440,730</b>	<b>41,058,571</b>	<b>41,774,391</b>	<b>31,767,927</b>	<b>37,100,000</b>
<b>DIRECT TAXATION—</b>					
LAND TAX ..	3,027,206	2,983,835	2,840,078	2,768,536	1,800,000
INCOME TAX ..	10,165,175	9,841,496	11,130,029	13,504,374	9,820,000
INCOME TAX—COMMONWEALTH SALARIES ..	..	..	..	34,475	..
ESTATE DUTIES ..	1,752,118	2,080,149	2,122,478	2,068,855	1,400,000
WAR-TIME PROFITS TAX ..	Dr. 112,236	Dr. 24,309	14,678	Dr. 794	..
ENTERTAINMENTS TAX ..	368,865	358,697	316,121	186,601	160,000
<b>Total Direct Taxation ..</b>	<b>15,191,128</b>	<b>15,244,918</b>	<b>16,413,384</b>	<b>18,652,179</b>	<b>13,200,000</b>
<b>Total Taxation ..</b>	<b>56,637,858</b>	<b>56,303,489</b>	<b>58,187,775</b>	<b>50,420,106</b>	<b>50,300,000</b>
<b>OTHER REVENUE.</b>					
<b>COINAGE—</b>					
Silver ..	185,652	78,310	36,957	141,846	100,000
Bronze ..	17,600	14,588	4,118	..	..
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>203,252</b>	<b>92,898</b>	<b>41,070</b>	<b>141,846</b>	<b>100,000</b>
<b>DEFENCE—</b>					
Military and Munitions ..	37,185	63,162	55,821	53,041	25,500
Navy ..	69,418	42,559	19,628	7,330	6,000
Air Force ..	1,629	4,736	5,420	3,239	2,000
Civil Aviation Branch ..	5,302	7,127	21,482	15,335	15,000
Balance of Defence Trust Accounts ..	19,443	..	..	..	..
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>132,877</b>	<b>117,614</b>	<b>103,351</b>	<b>79,006</b>	<b>48,500</b>
<b>Carried forward ..</b>	<b>336,129</b>	<b>210,512</b>	<b>144,421</b>	<b>220,851</b>	<b>148,500</b>
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>56,637,858</b>	<b>56,303,489</b>	<b>58,187,775</b>	<b>50,420,106</b>	<b>50,300,000</b>

## DETAILS OF REVENUE—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32. Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—REVENUE OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>					
Brought forward ..	56,637,858	56,303,489	58,187,775	60,420,106	50,300,000
<b>OTHER REVENUE—continued.</b>					
Brought forward ..	336,129	210,512	144,421	220,851	148,500
<b>ATTORNEY-GENERAL—</b>					
Patents ..	33,181	34,079	42,229	39,203	39,000
Court Reporting Branch ..	14,456	13,154	9,908	5,217	6,000
Trade Marks, Copyrights and Designs ..	11,077	10,833	15,071	15,226	16,000
Bankruptcy ..	..	15,695	32,086	44,395	38,000
Miscellaneous ..	..	10,107	4,692	4,019	2,000
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>58,714</b>	<b>82,883</b>	<b>104,984</b>	<b>108,060</b>	<b>101,000</b>
<b>HEALTH</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>31,547</b>	<b>26,284</b>	<b>28,360</b>	<b>20,814</b>	<b>22,000</b>
<b>MARINE REVENUE—</b>					
Lighthouses ..	194,153	196,100	190,180	185,818	170,000
Navigation ..	18,337	14,062	11,030	10,683	10,000
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>212,490</b>	<b>210,162</b>	<b>201,210</b>	<b>196,501</b>	<b>180,000</b>
<b>REPAYMENT OF STATES' PROPORTION OF PENSIONS (omitting Post Office) ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>9,746</b>	<b>8,839</b>	<b>8,691</b>	<b>6,910</b>	<b>10,000</b>
<b>CONTRIBUTIONS OF OFFICERS TOWARDS PENSIONS UNDER STATE ACTS (omitting Post Office) ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>500</b>
<b>NET PROFIT OF AUSTRALIAN NOTE ISSUE ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>846,274</b>	<b>694,642</b>	<b>703,669</b>	<b>449,506</b>	<b>600,000</b>
<b>INTEREST ON LOANS TO STATES FOR SOLDIER LAND SETTLEMENT ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>1,802,175</b>	<b>1,832,732</b>	<b>1,682,891</b>	<b>1,387,151</b>	<b>1,175,000</b>
<b>EXPORT CHARGES ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>51,953</b>	<b>68,959</b>	<b>74,034</b>	<b>80,785</b>	<b>76,000</b>
<b>REPAYMENT OF ADVANCES TO FRUIT POOLS ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>19,884</b>	<b>1,150</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED INCOME ARISING FROM LIQUIDATION OF EX-ENEMY PROPERTIES ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>1,500,000</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>845,162</b>	<b>1,960,939</b>	<b>1,910,077</b>	<b>1,783,727</b>	<b>1,622,000</b>
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>4,194,603</b>	<b>5,116,281</b>	<b>4,850,200</b>	<b>5,754,651</b>	<b>3,835,000</b>
<b>TOTAL NET REVENUE OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH ..</b>					
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>60,832,461</b>	<b>61,419,770</b>	<b>63,047,975</b>	<b>56,174,737</b>	<b>54,135,000</b>

## DETAILS OF REVENUE—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32. Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PART II.—REVENUE FROM BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.</b>					
<b>POST OFFICE, TELEGRAPH, AND TELEPHONE.</b>					
Private Boxes and Bags .. .. .	61,346	79,101	69,185	64,959	66,000
Commission on Money Orders and Poundage on Postal Notes .. .. .	240,392	244,976	259,609	216,645	195,000
Telegraphs .. .. .	1,422,179	1,447,256	1,390,012	1,152,318	1,075,000
Telephones .. .. .	5,034,051	5,469,659	5,822,686	5,644,356	5,450,000
Postage .. .. .	5,006,019	5,177,177	5,179,032	5,276,663	5,200,000
Radio Receipts .. .. .	46,030	22,177	166,847	155,672	145,000
Miscellaneous Receipts .. .. .	495,125	333,150	623,666	327,891	379,000
	12,304,142	12,613,399	13,551,037	12,839,104	12,510,000
Repayment of States' proportion of pensions Contribution of officers towards pensions under State Acts .. .. .	44,766	34,593	39,126	36,375	39,600
	524	411	394	321	400
Total Post Office, Telegraph, and Telephone .. .. .	12,349,422	12,848,400	13,590,607	12,875,800	12,550,000
TRANS-AUSTRALIAN RAILWAY .. .. .	333,000	344,948	274,816	190,028	195,000
CENTRAL AUSTRALIA RAILWAY .. .. .	191,116	185,311	104,724	86,360	100,000
NORTH AUSTRALIA RAILWAY .. .. .	68,844	50,259	31,231	28,986	35,000
FEDERAL TERRITORY RAILWAY .. .. .	10,203	9,936	7,206	3,869	4,000
TOTAL RAILWAYS .. .. .	603,162	591,016	418,037	309,237	334,000
Total Revenue from Business Undertakings .. .. .	12,952,584	13,439,416	14,008,644	13,185,037	12,884,000

## PART III.—REVENUE FROM THE TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH (NOT INCLUDING BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS).

FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY .. .. .			57,766	180,123	180,000
NORTHERN TERRITORY— Territorial .. .. .	769	457	712	4,189	21,090
Land and Income Tax .. .. .	3,126	3,998	4,034	4,095	2,700
Probate and Stamp Duties .. .. .	1,227	661	722	7,962	470
Miscellaneous .. .. .	18,060	30,497	23,536	10,777	10,740
Total Northern Territory .. .. .	23,182	35,613	29,004	27,023	35,000
Total Revenue from the Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .	23,182	35,613	86,770	207,146	215,000

## DETAILS OF AMOUNTS CREDITED TO MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£
Interest on Investments of General Trust Funds .. .. .	264,475	214,577	199,762
Interest on Investments of London Surplus Funds .. .. .	37,309	675	2,366
Interest on Loans—Grafton-South Brisbane Railway .. .. .	65,871	84,021	96,580
Interest on Loan to State of New South Wales for Wheat Silos .. .. .	30,429	19,789	..
Interest on Loans to States for Forestry .. .. .	4,639	5,941	2,420
Interest on Loans for Workers' Dwellings, Queensland .. .. .	4,491	5,420	2,245
Interest on Loans to States, to provide reserve employment .. .. .	32,127	37,642	17,929
Interest—Nauru Island Agreement .. .. .	85,960	85,474	74,314
Interest on New York Bank account .. .. .	256	132	59
Interest on Loans to New Guinea Administration .. .. .	1,463	2,474	2,418
Interest—Commonwealth Shipping Board .. .. .	17,430	..	..
Interest on Loans to Returned Soldiers' and Sailors' Woollen and Worsted Co-operative Manufacturing Co. Ltd. .. .. .	4,500	2,664	1,635
Interest—Advances for Wire and 'Wire Netting .. .. .	17,339	18,823	19,796
Interest on Loans for Settling Returned Soldiers on the Land in Federal Territories .. .. .	247	250	165
Interest on Loans to Administration of Papua .. .. .	2,413	2,357	2,730
Interest on Loan to Superannuation Board .. .. .	4,192	13,398	10,807
Interest on Advances to States pending loan raisings .. .. .	65,774	82,359	81,621
Interest on Advances to North Australia Commission .. .. .	..	5,682	4,895
Interest on Loans and Advances to States for Development and Migration .. .. .	58,497	69,443	75,364
Interest from British Government on Development and Migration Loans .. .. .	103,937	125,620	130,819
Interest on Advance to Western Australia for Mental Hospital, Subiaco .. .. .	60	..	..
Interest and depreciation—Stamp Printing Machinery .. .. .	1,337	1,292	1,242
Interest on securities transferred to Commonwealth by taxation defaulters .. .. .	570	..	..
Interest on Instalments of Purchase Money—Commonwealth Government Line of Steamers .. .. .	..	90,750	81,675
Interest—War Service Homes .. .. .	874,503	905,141	858,775
Rents—War Service Homes .. .. .	10,505	12,310	9,289
Refund of Interest on Loan raised in New York .. .. .	..	11,357	..
Repayment of Loan to Administration of Papua .. .. .	8,315	325	387
Repayment of Advances to Australian Meat Council .. .. .	66	..	..
Repayment of Advances for assistance to Apple Growers, Tasmania .. .. .	6,250	6,250	..
Repayment of Loan to Geelong Returned Soldiers' and Sailors' Woollen and Worsted Co-operative Manufacturing Co. Ltd. .. .. .	..	12,500	12,500
Commission on payment of Imperial Pensions .. .. .	3,017	2,875	2,842
Fees and Fines and Domicile Certificates under Immigration Restriction Act .. .. .	2,873	2,570	3,247
Receipts under Commerce Act .. .. .	4,579	5,319	7,978
Fees, Fines, and Costs of Court .. .. .	6,652	1,807	4,632
Collections, Government Printing Office .. .. .	2,186	2,630	3,251
Electoral Rolls and Fines under the Electoral Act .. .. .	5,319	5,409	2,104
Sale of Property and Material .. .. .	4,352	1,793	3,456
Maps, Publications, Statistics, and Copies of Returns, &c. .. .. .	4,299	4,131	5,551
Examination Fees—Public Service Act .. .. .	1,162	1,343	647
Rents—London Offices .. .. .	26,949	25,916	26,135
Other Rents .. .. .	6,699	6,565	8,017
Repayments which could not legally be credited to an Appropriation .. .. .	3,407	3,957	2,879
Passports .. .. .	8,468	9,406	7,556
Repayment of Advances—Wine Overseas Marketing Board .. .. .	..	..	3,500
Navigation fees .. .. .	..	..	114
Fine of Films .. .. .	191	279	401
Balance of Trust Fund—Cockatoo Island Dockyard .. .. .	16,000	..	..
Balance of Trust Fund—Taxation and other officers' Compensation— not required .. .. .	150,101	..	..
Balance of Trust Fund—British Empire Exhibition .. .. .	2,120	..	..
Transport Workers' Act—Fees .. .. .	872	100	415
Federal Territory Police—Contributions to Superannuation Fund .. .. .	104	173	160
Balance of Trust Fund—Detained Enemy Vessels .. .. .	..	13,458	..
Naturalization Certificates .. .. .	..	1,892	7,204
Sundries .. .. .	4,611	4,261	3,032
TOTAL .. .. .	1,960,936	1,910,077	1,783,727

## COMPARISON OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE, 1930-31.

Head of Revenue.	Estimate.	Actual.	Actual Revenue.	
			In Excess of Estimate.	Short of Estimate.
	£	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—REVENUE OTHER THAN FROM BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>				
<b>TAXATION</b>				
Customs and Excise .. .. .	39,700,000	28,295,073		11,404,927
Sales Tax .. .. .	5,000,000	3,472,854		1,527,146
Land Tax .. .. .	2,750,000	2,768,598	8,598	
Income Tax .. .. .	10,100,000	13,604,374	3,504,374	
Estate Duties .. .. .	1,800,000	2,068,865	268,865	
War Time Profits Tax .. .. .		Dr. 794	Dr. 794	
Entertainments Tax .. .. .	320,000	186,661		133,339
Income Tax—Commonwealth salaries .. .. .		34,475	34,475	
<b>Total Taxation .. .. .</b>	<b>59,670,000</b>	<b>50,420,106</b>		<b>9,249,894</b>
<b>OTHER REVENUE</b>				
Coinage .. .. .		141,846	141,846	
Defence .. .. .	68,500	79,005	10,505	
Attorney-General .. .. .	100,000	108,060	8,060	
Health .. .. .	20,000	20,814	814	
Marine .. .. .	200,000	196,501		3,499
Repayment of States' proportion of Pensions (omitting Post Office) .. .. .	10,000	6,910		3,090
Contributions of Officers towards Pensions under State Acts (omitting Post Office) .. .. .	500	326		174
Export Charges .. .. .	92,500	80,785		11,715
Net Profit on Australian Note Issue .. .. .	425,000	449,506	24,506	
Interest on Loans to States for Soldier Land Settlement .. .. .	1,819,000	1,387,161		431,839
Accumulated income arising from liquidation of ex-enemy properties .. .. .	1,500,000	1,500,000		
Miscellaneous .. .. .	2,021,500	1,783,727		237,773
<b>Total Revenue other than from Business Undertakings and Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .</b>	<b>5,952,000</b>	<b>5,754,631</b>		<b>197,369</b>
	<b>65,622,000</b>	<b>56,174,737</b>		<b>9,447,263</b>

## PART II.—REVENUE FROM BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.

BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS	Estimate.	Actual.	In Excess of Estimate.	Short of Estimate.
	£	£	£	£
Post Office (including repayment of States' proportion of pensions, &c.) .. .. .	15,083,000	12,375,800		2,707,200
Trans-Australian Railway .. .. .	335,000	190,028		144,972
Central Australia Railway .. .. .	115,000	86,360		28,640
North Australia Railway .. .. .	37,000	28,986		8,014
Federal Territory Railway .. .. .	7,000	3,863		3,137
<b>Total Revenue from Business Undertakings .. .. .</b>	<b>15,577,000</b>	<b>13,185,037</b>		<b>2,391,963</b>

## PART III.—REVENUE FROM TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Federal Capital Territory	Estimate.	Actual.	In Excess of Estimate.	Short of Estimate.
	£	£	£	£
Federal Capital Territory .. .. .	228,500	180,123		48,377
Northern Territory .. .. .	16,880	27,023	10,343	
<b>Total Revenue from Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .</b>	<b>245,380</b>	<b>207,146</b>		<b>38,234</b>

COMPARISONS.  
NET CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

TABLE A.

	1921-22.	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.	1925-26.
	£	£	£	£	£
July .. .. .	1,097,188	2,631,726	2,779,174	3,269,174	3,616,022
August .. .. .	2,014,922	2,384,022	2,950,120	3,004,022	3,213,421
September .. .. .	2,235,840	2,643,000	2,697,228	2,988,373	2,611,172
October .. .. .	2,017,702	2,706,446	2,706,446	3,033,688	3,134,407
November .. .. .	2,302,022	2,032,187	3,401,187	3,116,763	3,533,467
December .. .. .	2,446,084	2,770,600	2,931,003	3,202,207	3,797,371
January .. .. .	2,376,693	2,865,348	3,369,508	3,271,240	3,212,371
February .. .. .	2,482,806	2,849,717	3,090,376	2,638,110	3,034,077
March .. .. .	2,765,302	3,709,866	3,976,933	3,357,027	3,897,888
April .. .. .	2,494,747	2,677,132	2,709,066	3,101,471	3,283,623
May .. .. .	2,461,677	2,811,167	3,237,647	2,866,768	3,005,510
June .. .. .	2,949,901	2,423,314	2,566,020	2,874,824	3,018,090
<b>Total Net Customs and Excise .. .. .</b>	<b>27,620,369</b>	<b>32,872,129</b>	<b>35,760,784</b>	<b>37,192,781</b>	<b>39,198,878</b>
<b>1926-27.</b>					
	£	£	£	£	£
July .. .. .	3,626,476	3,621,511	3,200,000	4,224,112	2,786,836
August .. .. .	3,687,603	3,949,417	3,681,386	4,277,784	2,928,034
September .. .. .	3,660,903	3,694,034	2,731,636	3,021,239	2,456,832
October .. .. .	3,694,160	3,602,450	3,821,249	3,660,160	2,746,612
November .. .. .	3,707,250	3,632,608	3,018,892	4,478,772	2,653,056
December .. .. .	3,862,845	3,647,660	3,719,723	3,447,677	2,663,061
January .. .. .	3,688,663	3,313,920	3,666,971	3,360,107	2,410,484
February .. .. .	3,691,684	3,368,938	3,246,797	3,161,601	2,146,295
March .. .. .	3,082,897	3,462,616	3,310,681	4,729,909	2,049,991
April .. .. .	3,406,708	3,709,741	3,586,237	2,841,294	1,966,927
May .. .. .	3,489,235	3,341,670	3,245,110	2,670,844	2,017,026
June .. .. .	3,308,182	2,921,373	3,364,241	2,186,876	2,186,200
<b>Total Net Customs and Excise .. .. .</b>	<b>43,552,478</b>	<b>41,446,730</b>	<b>41,058,571</b>	<b>41,774,391</b>	<b>28,295,073</b>

## NET CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

TABLE B.

Year.	Customs and Excise Revenue.	Population as at 31st December in each year.	Revenue per head of population.
	£		£ s. d.
1920-21 .. .. .	31,800,906	5,411,207	5 17 62
1921-22 .. .. .	27,620,369	5,500,073	5 0 31
1922-23 .. .. .	32,872,129	5,633,581	5 16 81
1923-24 .. .. .	35,760,784	5,749,807	6 4 42
1924-25 .. .. .	37,192,781	5,873,063	6 0 72
1925-26 .. .. .	39,198,878	6,002,084	6 10 10
1926-27 .. .. .	43,552,478	6,110,614	7 2 01
1927-28 .. .. .	41,446,730	6,224,854	6 12 114
1928-29 .. .. .	41,058,571	6,336,786	6 9 7
1929-30 .. .. .	41,774,391	6,414,373	6 10 3
1930-31 .. .. .	28,295,073	4,476,032	4 7 41
1931-32 (Estimate) .. .. .	28,000,000	6,535,000	4 7 62



FEDERAL INCOME TAX—continued.

Year.	Grade of Taxable Income.						Total.
	\$50 and under.	\$50 to \$100.	\$100 to \$1,000.	\$1,000 to \$10,000.	\$10,000 to \$100,000.	Over \$100,000.	
<b>AMOUNT PER TAXPAYER.</b>							
1920-21 Individuals..	£ 4. 8	£ 2. 6	£ 6. 4	£ 4. 4	£ 6. 4	£ 4. 4	£ 4. 4
Companies..	1 12 10	9 10 9	30 17 10	247 11 3	6,186 11 9	54,157 10 0	20 18 11
1921-22 Individuals..	10 1 0	44 4 10	97 2 6	445 2 1	3,711 6 0	20,534 2 11	637 5 7
Companies..	2 3 5	9 0 4	30 5 4	225 7 7	3,202 18 9	22,006 10 0	18 1 10
1922-23 Individuals..	0 10 4	49 14 3	89 2 0	438 2 0	3,361 14 4	23,927 14 3	472 9 0
Companies..	1 12 6	8 8 2	27 4 2	191 8 2	5,653 18 6	22,397 17 0	18 17 1
1923-24 Individuals..	7 17 0	37 15 6	80 7 7	344 6 6	3,072 0 6	22,397 17 0	367 1 1
Companies..	1 12 7	8 7 1	26 1 3	—	284 19 0	—	19 1 3
1924-25 Individuals..	1 18 6	8 1 2	23 10 6	—	239 19 4	—	35 17 9
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	338 7 6
1925-26 Individuals..	1 12 8	7 3 6	18 17 3	—	206 4 9	—	33 4 6
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	350 3 11
1926-27 Individuals..	1 12 7	0 18 1	20 3 0	—	202 18 6	—	28 16 7
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	325 12 11
1927-28 Individuals..	1 7 3	6 7 1	18 12 3	—	184 18 8	—	23 19 1
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	353 7 2
1928-29 Individuals..	1 6 8	6 0 11	17 9 11	—	165 2 2	—	24 5 10
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	333 17 11
1929-30 Individuals..	1 6 10	6 16 8	18 12 6	—	209 14 4	—	28 5 7
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	416 0 7
<b>PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL TAX ASSESSED.</b>							
1920-21 Individuals..	Per cent. 5.4	Per cent. 5.6	Per cent. 7.6	Per cent. 38.4	Per cent. 19.2	Per cent. 3.0	Per cent. 79.2
Companies..	1	2	4	4.8	9.5	0.8	20.8
1921-22 Individuals..	5.5	5.8	8.0	43.2	23.7	8.8	100
Companies..	7.9	8.8	10.0	49.4	14.5	0.8	82.4
1922-23 Individuals..	1	3	6	5.1	8.2	3.4	17.6
Companies..	8.0	0.1	10.6	45.5	22.7	4.2	100
1923-24 Individuals..	4.9	0.1	8.4	43.3	17.6	..	80.3
Companies..	1	3	6	5.1	8.2	4.1	19.7
1924-25 Individuals..	5.0	0.4	8.9	42.4	27.2	4.1	100
Companies..	4.7	0.3	7.7	—	60.2	—	78.9
1925-26 Individuals..	—	—	—	—	—	—	21.1
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	100
1926-27 Individuals..	2.1	3.6	5.4	—	64.0	—	76.7
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	24.3
1927-28 Individuals..	—	—	—	—	—	—	100
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	76.7
1928-29 Individuals..	1.0	3.3	4.8	—	62.3	—	72.3
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	27.7
1929-30 Individuals..	2.2	3.8	5.4	—	60.1	—	71.6
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	28.6
1937-38 Individuals..	2.2	3.0	5.5	—	69.7	—	88.3
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	31.7
1938-39 Individuals..	2.1	3.8	5.7	—	67.0	—	86.5
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	30.5
1939-40 Individuals..	1.8	3.7	4.0	—	67.3	—	87.7
Companies..	—	—	—	—	—	—	32.3

COMPARISON OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL EXPENDITURE, 1930-31.

	Estimate.	Actual.	Actual Expenditure.	
			In Excess of Estimate.	Short of Estimate.
<b>War and Repatriation Services—</b>				
Interest, Sinking Fund and Exchange ..	20,951,171	20,177,716	..	773,455
War Pensions ..	7,957,000	7,957,038	30,038	..
Repatriation of Soldiers ..	1,128,314	1,055,795	..	69,519
Other War Services ..	293,500	285,669	..	7,831
<b>Total War and Repatriation Services</b>	<b>30,328,985</b>	<b>29,506,218</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>820,767</b>
<b>Department of Defence</b>	<b>3,748,950</b>	<b>3,705,942</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>43,008</b>
<b>Total War, Repatriation, and Defence</b>	<b>34,078,935</b>	<b>33,212,160</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>863,775</b>
<b>Special Appropriations (other than War and Repatriation)—</b>				
Interest and Sinking Fund ..	2,227,000	2,232,840	5,840	..
Invalid and Old-age Pensions ..	11,400,000	11,710,953	310,953	..
Maternity Allowance ..	660,000	630,652	..	29,348
Wine Export Bounty ..	80,000	95,679	9,679	..
Iron and Steel Products Bounty ..	300,000	144,012	..	155,988
Cotton Industries Bounty ..	170,000	157,933	..	12,067
Other Special Appropriations ..	515,700	483,144	..	32,556
	<b>16,358,700</b>	<b>16,455,413</b>	<b>96,713</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Ordinary Votes of Departments—</b>				
Parliament ..	77,620	75,764	..	1,856
Prime Minister's Department ..	314,500	299,749	..	24,751
Department of the Treasury ..	639,160	685,332	46,172	..
Attorney-General's Department ..	133,000	135,140	..	2,140
Department of Home Affairs ..	285,160	240,949	..	24,211
Department of Trade and Customs ..	649,273	613,306	..	35,967
Department of Works ..	272,000	219,019	..	52,981
Department of Health ..	135,000	127,785	..	7,215
Department of Markets ..	116,950	119,809	2,859	..
Department of Transport ..	294,637	259,638	..	34,999
<b>Total Ordinary Votes of Departments</b>	<b>2,947,300</b>	<b>2,811,489</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>135,811</b>
<b>Miscellaneous Services</b>	<b>782,650</b>	<b>741,739</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>40,911</b>
<b>Additions, New Works, and Buildings</b>	<b>37,765</b>	<b>28,202</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>9,563</b>
<b>Total Expenditure—Part I.</b>	<b>53,202,350</b>	<b>52,249,003</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>953,347</b>

## COMPARISON OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL EXPENDITURE, 1930-31—continued.

	Actual Expenditure.			
	Estimate.	Actual.	In Excess of Estimate.	Short of Estimate.
	£	£	£	£
<b>PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.</b>				
Postmaster-General's Department	13,568,000	12,994,870		588,130
Trans-Australian Railway	444,550	392,054		52,496
Central Australia Railway	429,040	380,516		48,524
North Australia Railway	229,600	228,141		1,459
Federal Territory Railway	10,780	7,970		2,810
Miscellaneous expenditure	10,230	48,095	37,865	
	1,124,200	1,056,806		67,394
<b>Total Business Undertakings</b>	<b>14,707,200</b>	<b>14,051,676</b>		<b>655,524</b>

## PART III.—TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Federal Capital Territory	649,805	650,827	1,022	
Northern Territory	144,656	149,152	4,496	
Papua	53,382	52,969		413
Norfolk Island	4,000	4,000		786
New Guinea	8,840	8,064		48,562
Additions, New Works, Buildings, &c.	92,805	46,243		
<b>Total Territories of the Commonwealth</b>	<b>953,488</b>	<b>911,245</b>		<b>42,243</b>

## PART IV.—PAYMENTS TO OR FOR THE STATES.

Grant to States towards relief of unemployment	1,000,000	750,000		250,000
Special payment to South Australia	320,000	1,170,000	850,000	
Special payment to Western Australia	300,000	300,000		
Special payment to Tasmania	250,000	250,000		
Grants to States for Federal Aid Roads	2,000,000	2,000,000		
Contributions towards Sinking Fund on State Debts	1,090,000	1,057,703		32,297
Contributions towards Interest on State Debts	7,584,912	7,584,912		
<b>Total Payments to or for the States</b>	<b>12,544,912</b>	<b>13,112,615</b>	<b>587,703</b>	

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE.

Service.	1925-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>			
<b>SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR SERVICES OTHER THAN WAR AND REPATRIATION.</b>			
	10,000	10,000	8,900
	16,300	15,300	11,858
Salary of the Governor-General			
Salaries of Ministers of State			
Parliamentary Allowances—Senators and Members of the House of Representatives	109,853	109,516	88,000
Salaries of Justices of the High Court	17,928	17,371	18,500
Salary of Public Service Arbitrator	1,838	628	1,550
Salary of Judge of Bankruptcy Court		2,392	2,500
Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act—Salary of Chief Judge and Judges			
Salary of Deputy Presidents of Court	10,500	8,208	8,000
Salary of High Commissioner	1,468		
Salary of Auditor-General	3,000	3,000	2,250
Commonwealth Public Service Board of Commissioners—Salaries	1,750	1,750	1,357
Salary of Industrial Registrar	5,984	4,407	1,650
Salaries of Peace Officers	712	839	680
Salary of Second Commissioner of Land Tax	674	7	
Income Tax Board of Review	2,000	2,000	1,550
Land Valuation Board	1,600	1,600	1,163
Public Works Committee	12,147		
Public Accounts Committee	4,654	4,401	4,000
Iron and Steel Products Bounty	2,045	2,033	2,800
Sulphur Bounty	2,093	908	1,600
Cotton Industries Bounty	1,985	1,362	1,600
Wine Export Bounty	200,337	144,012	12,000
Gold Bounty	65,018	48,520	40,000
Assistance to Primary Production	118,963	157,933	140,000
Science and Industry Research—Remuneration of Members of Council	83,210	95,879	85,000
Dried Fruits Export Control			100,000
Dairy Produce Export Control	50,000	31,000	19,500
Wine Overseas Marketing			
Flax and Linseed Bounties			
Pensions of Justices			
Special Annuity			
Petroleum prospecting			
Pensions and Retiring Allowances under Section 84 of the Constitution—Parliament	3,655	3,397	3,700
Prime Minister	2,502	1,504	1,020
Treasury	2,337	2,567	2,306
Attorney-General	60	263	300
Home Affairs	3,197	3,676	2,820
Defence—Military	1,117	1,174	1,300
Naval	1,251	1,206	1,100
Customs	21,459	21,244	19,910
Works	925	925	830
Health		88	
Carried forward	907,671	794,855	670,200

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR SERVICES OTHER THAN WAR AND REPATRIATION—continued.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	907,571	794,855	670,200
Government Contributions under the Superannuation Act—			
Parliament .. .. .	2,255	2,326	2,500
Prime Minister .. .. .	3,376	3,504	3,400
Treasury .. .. .	4,723	5,981	4,970
Attorney-General .. .. .	1,648	2,234	2,000
Home Affairs .. .. .	4,331	5,095	4,775
Defence—Military .. .. .	22,732	30,152	23,000
Naval .. .. .	1,556	2,077	2,000
Trade and Customs .. .. .	20,713	20,000	20,629
Works .. .. .	1,862	2,235	2,026
Health .. .. .	1,176	1,221	1,300
Markets .. .. .	365	403	300
Transport .. .. .		4,289	3,800
Invalid and Old-age Pensions .. .. .	10,791,325*	11,710,953*	10,850,000*
Maternity Allowance .. .. .	642,990	630,652	400,000
Interest on Loans for Works and other purposes .. .. .	1,836,172	2,145,729	2,750,000
Sinking Fund .. .. .	136,655	87,111	152,000
<b>Total SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS .. .. .</b>	<b>14,379,531</b>	<b>15,455,413</b>	<b>14,892,900</b>
<b>ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS.</b>			
<b>I.—THE PARLIAMENT.</b>			
The Senate—Salaries .. .. .	9,408	9,305	7,554
Contingencies .. .. .	587	467	525
Postage and Telegrams .. .. .	1,095	1,500	1,350
Miscellaneous .. .. .		990	
House of Representatives—Salaries .. .. .	12,238	12,157	9,984
Contingencies .. .. .	1,939	952	1,180
Postage and Telegrams .. .. .	2,900	4,649	3,500
Miscellaneous .. .. .	114		
Parliamentary Reporting Staff—Salaries .. .. .	13,400	13,683	10,980
Contingencies .. .. .	209	212	254
The Library—Salaries .. .. .	5,622	6,052	4,838
Contingencies .. .. .	3,008	2,099	2,140
Miscellaneous .. .. .	500		
Australian Historical Records—Contingencies .. .. .			5
Joint House Department—Salaries .. .. .	15,716	15,594	13,155
Contingencies .. .. .	5,609	4,955	5,565
Miscellaneous .. .. .			200
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works—Salaries .. .. .	1,484	1,438	1,224
Contingencies .. .. .	803	504	485
Joint Committee of Public Accounts—Salaries .. .. .	990	1,036	891
Contingencies .. .. .	1,917	770	570
<b>Total PARLIAMENT .. .. .</b>	<b>78,039</b>	<b>75,764</b>	<b>64,400</b>

\* Paid from Trust Fund.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.</b>			
<b>II.—THE PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT.</b>			
Administrative—Salaries .. .. .	48,527	45,887	34,409
Contingencies .. .. .	25,475	19,243	19,355
Miscellaneous .. .. .	8,276	5,898	6,402
Audit Office—Salaries* .. .. .	49,104	47,974	40,705
Contingencies* .. .. .	3,648	2,750	3,500
Miscellaneous* .. .. .	1,003	1,701	459
Office of Public Service Board—Salaries .. .. .	35,477	35,857	30,514
Contingencies .. .. .	7,945	5,990	6,476
Miscellaneous .. .. .	2,525	3,623	
Governor-General's Office—Salaries .. .. .	414	343	350
Contingencies .. .. .	2,946	2,256	2,050
Miscellaneous .. .. .	2,000	500	
High Commissioner's Office—Salaries .. .. .	29,075	27,175	23,318
Contingencies .. .. .	30,625	26,556	25,843
Miscellaneous .. .. .	954	46	
Australian Commissioner in United States of America—Salaries .. .. .	7,822	7,856	3,303
Contingencies .. .. .	4,694	3,842	3,215
Commonwealth Council for Scientific and Industrial Research—			
Salaries .. .. .	4,111	3,893	†
Contingencies .. .. .	973	1,041	†
Investigations .. .. .	†	†	†
Shipping and Mail Services to the Pacific Islands .. .. .	51,989	47,848	52,000
<b>Total PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT .. .. .</b>	<b>318,078</b>	<b>289,749</b>	<b>251,900</b>
<b>III.—THE TREASURY.</b>			
The Treasury—Salaries .. .. .	39,807	38,871	32,018
Contingencies .. .. .	10,869	11,277	11,428
Miscellaneous .. .. .	539	165	
Commonwealth Stores Supply and Tender Board—Contingencies .. .. .	1,654	1,462	1,150
Invalid and Old-age Pensions Office—Salaries .. .. .	51,799	54,653	45,590
Contingencies .. .. .	34,362	36,235	36,030
Miscellaneous .. .. .	779	390	350
Maternity Allowance Office—Salaries .. .. .	8,236	8,134	7,022
Contingencies .. .. .	6,762	6,861	6,640
Miscellaneous .. .. .	30	7	20
Taxation Office—Salaries .. .. .	173,000	214,732	191,314
Contingencies .. .. .	251,484	264,823	262,380
Miscellaneous .. .. .	3,640	2,649	1,400
Income Tax Board of Review—Salaries .. .. .	424	421	340
Contingencies .. .. .	405	413	440
Land Valuation Board—Salaries .. .. .	330	401	351
Contingencies .. .. .	563	370	460
Superannuation Board—Salaries .. .. .	7,484	6,822	5,717
Contingencies .. .. .	553	466	600
Miscellaneous .. .. .	104	1,051	300
Government Printer—Salaries .. .. .	24,940	20,130	18,485
Contingencies .. .. .	10,063	11,514	8,815
Coinage .. .. .	11,534	3,485	11,400
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY .. .. .</b>	<b>639,428</b>	<b>685,332</b>	<b>642,300</b>
* Charged to Departments as follows—			
	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
Defence—Military .. .. .	9,647	6,302	4,550
Naval .. .. .	6,729	2,517	2,530
Customs .. .. .	2,252	10,332	9,190
Prime Minister (being cost of all other Departments) .. .. .	85,121	88,234	23,245
	99,759	108,485	49,515
	59,850	58,425	44,635

† Paid from Trust Fund.



## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.</b>			
<b>IV.—THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>			
Secretary's Office—Salaries	13,248	13,482	11,333
Contingencies	5,143	5,227	4,510
Miscellaneous	1,900	1,899	1,590
Reporting Branch—Salaries	3,999	5,693	5,590
Contingencies	2,324	1,630	1,550
Crown Solicitor's Office—Salaries	25,024	25,417	22,401
Contingencies	2,359	1,727	1,850
The High Court—Salaries	6,709	6,173	6,544
Contingencies	8,732	9,380	6,785
Miscellaneous		106	
Bankruptcy Administration—Salaries	17,011	18,304	17,320
Contingencies	7,763	10,093	10,553
Miscellaneous	135	1,897	
Court of Conciliation and Arbitration—Salaries	6,621	7,053	6,102
Contingencies	6,394	5,380	4,190
Miscellaneous	1,500		
Public Service Arbitrator's Office—Salaries	1,288	993	1,033
Contingencies	1,095	419	675
Miscellaneous	1,250		
Commonwealth Investigation Branch—Salaries	9,955	10,360	8,156
Contingencies	1,941	1,683	1,600
Miscellaneous			
Patents, Trade Marks and Designs—Salaries	33,186	33,693	28,398
Contingencies	22,433	19,859	17,789
Miscellaneous	682	784	414
<b>Total ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>184,791</b>	<b>180,140</b>	<b>158,500</b>
<b>V.—THE DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.</b>			
Administrative—Salaries	17,606	18,212	15,222
Contingencies	3,389	2,807	2,850
Miscellaneous	28,416	27,502	22,660
Electoral Office—Salaries	81,784	81,905	68,186
Contingencies	5,079	5,027	5,380
Miscellaneous—Administration of the Electoral Act	39,465	21,874	34,760
Other Miscellaneous Items	3,188	5,250	
Census and Statistics—Salaries	20,323	20,541	18,916
Contingencies	9,532	9,252	7,875
Miscellaneous	962	100	547
Meteorological—Salaries	25,493	25,656	21,011
Contingencies	10,061	8,562	10,023
Miscellaneous	645	1,822	970
Solar Observatory—Salaries	3,800	3,806	3,211
Contingencies	1,570	1,680	1,490
Miscellaneous	227		
Forestry Branch—Salaries	4,630	4,782	4,017
Contingencies	2,879	2,471	2,233
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS</b>	<b>259,349</b>	<b>240,949</b>	<b>217,400</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.</b>			
<b>VI.—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.</b>			
Central Administration—Pay	18,825	18,101	15,667
Contingencies	14,384	3,825	3,613
Postage and Telegrams	393	396	400
Miscellaneous	181	487	200
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE</b>	<b>23,483</b>	<b>22,809</b>	<b>19,880</b>
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings and Furniture	1,499	1,970	800
Rent of Buildings	400	411	400
<b>Total CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION</b>	<b>25,382</b>	<b>24,190</b>	<b>21,080</b>
<b>NAVAL.</b>			
Naval Administration—Pay	73,424	61,628	46,642
Contingencies	7,113	5,290	5,600
Permanent Naval Forces (Sea-going)—Pay	984,646	880,737	680,356
Contingencies	19,179	12,175	13,000
Maintenance of Ships and Vessels—Maintenance and Repairs, including victualling, Naval and Ordnance Stores, Coal and Oil Fuel, also labour in connexion with H.M.A. Ships of War and vessels used as Auxiliaries to the Fleet	540,063	406,825	390,418
Medical Services—Pay	755	770	644
Contingencies	11,421	8,014	9,000
Royal Australian Naval College—Pay	34,996	14,784	5,640
Contingencies	26,000	8,373	7,945
Royal Australian Naval Reserve—Pay	86,041	67,656	62,794
Contingencies	20,613	14,024	15,365
Royal Australian Naval Reserve (Sea-going)—Pay	629	1,056	1,800
Contingencies	247	401	373
Royal Australian Fleet Reserve—Pay	2,195	2,573	3,533
Contingencies	472	533	717
Naval Establishments—Pay	95,622	91,382	77,133
Contingencies	80,785	63,090	64,205
Repair and Maintenance of Naval Works	2,089	3,118	1,550
General Services	141,646	35,636	25,020
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE</b>	<b>2,026,955</b>	<b>1,677,978</b>	<b>1,411,637</b>
Exchange of remittances to London		38,668	67,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings and Furniture	28,561	22,520	19,500
Rent of Buildings	6,605	2,104	800
<b>Total NAVAL</b>	<b>2,064,121</b>	<b>1,740,700</b>	<b>1,498,937</b>
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year			25,000
<b>Total NAVAL</b>	<b>2,064,121</b>	<b>1,740,700</b>	<b>1,473,937</b>
<b>MILITARY.</b>			
Permanent Forces—Pay	507,015	453,796	409,554
Contingencies	16,752	13,018	16,846
Miscellaneous	4,933	2,427	4,302
Royal Military College—Pay	7,237	5,163	2,347
Contingencies	31,040	26,335	11,587
Miscellaneous		150	
Professional, Clerical and General Staffs—Pay	65,152	67,566	44,059
Miscellaneous	336	954	525
Ordnance Branch—Pay	111,249	111,249	94,449
Miscellaneous	847	1,654	305
Rifle Range Staff—Pay	9,990	8,642	7,381
Miscellaneous			
<b>Total MILITARY</b>	<b>762,303</b>	<b>689,704</b>	<b>591,055</b>
<b>Carried forward</b>	<b>2,089,503</b>	<b>1,764,890</b>	<b>1,495,017</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.			
VI.—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—continued.			
Brought forward	2,099,508	1,764,890	1,495,017
MILITARY—continued.			
Brought forward	762,809	689,704	591,055
Finance and Accounts Branch—Pay	31,788	25,110	21,493
Miscellaneous	642	1,188	
Militia Training—			
Citizen Forces—Pay	73,859	195,896	126,000
Citizen Forces and Senior and Junior Cadets—Contingencies	73,499	64,375	47,944
Miscellaneous	478	212	
Volunteers—Contingencies	60	135	228
Training	67,695	76,497	66,565
Maintenance of Existing Arms and Equipment	39,516	22,477	20,500
General Contingencies and Services	116,762	92,095	98,521
TOTAL UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE	1,165,287	1,120,689	962,406
Exchange on remittances to London		42,933	74,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, and Furniture	39,518	19,335	20,000
Rent of Buildings	5,114	4,333	4,600
Overhaul of, and Repairs to Boats and Launches	423	306	400
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year	1,211,337	1,187,697	1,061,406
Total Military	1,211,337	1,187,697	1,050,935
Rifle Clubs and Associations—Pay	9,005	8,388	5,854
Contingencies	30,917	24,869	22,644
	39,922	33,257	28,498
AIR SERVICES.			
Royal Australian Air Force—			
Civilian Staff—Pay	15,320	14,906	12,514
Royal Australian Air Force—Pay	221,176	214,777	191,400
Miscellaneous	909	618	500
General Contingencies	32,913	69,518	67,400
General Stores and Maintenance of Aircraft, Vehicles, and Equipment	80,962	53,470	59,366
TOTAL UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE	401,180	353,289	331,180
Exchange on remittances to London		11,170	19,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, and Furniture	9,352	9,091	7,000
Rent of Buildings	88	191	450
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year	410,620	373,741	357,630
Total Royal Australian Air Force	410,620	373,741	339,770
Civil Aviation—			
Civil Aviation Branch—Pay	14,709	15,569	14,670
Contingencies	3,838	4,003	5,380
General Stores and Maintenance of Aircraft, Vehicles and Equipment	1,334	1,167	1,000
Miscellaneous	1,000	170	80
Development of Civil Aviation	75,332	108,787	105,340
TOTAL UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE	96,213	129,696	126,470
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, and Furniture	5,982	5,914	6,900
Rent of Buildings	614	605	850
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year	102,809	136,216	134,220
Total Air Services	102,809	136,216	131,060
Munitions Supply Branch—Pay	513,429	509,957	470,830
Contingencies	62,365	57,174	46,400
Miscellaneous	186,838	162,170	117,800
	829	897	620
Total Munitions Supply Branch	260,032	210,241	164,720
Total DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE	4,104,223	3,705,942	3,210,000

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.			
VII.—DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.			
Central Staff—Salaries	39,727	39,280	28,940
Contingencies	13,357	8,734	8,800
Miscellaneous	339	1,530	
Tariff Board—Salaries	6,150	5,688	4,286
Contingencies	7,813	7,054	5,933
Film Censorship—Salaries	2,906	2,950	2,329
Contingencies	3,563	2,492	2,070
Customs—New South Wales—Salaries	184,298	179,767	143,891
Contingencies	19,504	16,545	13,441
Miscellaneous	3,126	4,006	800
Victoria—Salaries	124,172	120,950	96,690
Contingencies	12,557	8,614	8,950
Miscellaneous	3,216	5,506	720
Queensland—Salaries	67,026	66,806	56,608
Contingencies	8,697	6,841	7,450
Miscellaneous	1,889	484	242
South Australia—Salaries	59,085	55,748	48,100
Contingencies	7,741	6,642	6,704
Miscellaneous	572	2,701	206
Western Australia—Salaries	50,240	49,356	42,892
Contingencies	6,263	5,579	5,777
Miscellaneous	1,053	1,638	681
Tasmania—Salaries	11,383	11,305	9,370
Contingencies	2,340	1,556	1,710
Miscellaneous	810	437	200
North Australia—Salaries	827	927	780
Contingencies	239	190	320
Total DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS	638,893	613,306	498,000

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.</b>			
<b>VIII.—DEPARTMENT OF WORKS (not including Business Undertakings and Territories of the Commonwealth).</b>			
Works, Lands and Survey—			
Salaries*	70,964	80,999	50,826
Contingencies*	22,219	22,602	18,950
Miscellaneous—			
Conveyance of Members of Parliament and others	26,699	25,006	25,000
Maintenance Members' Rooms, Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, and Hobart	4,972	4,982	5,100
Other items	2,629	1,369	4,525
Supervision of Works—			
Treasury	1	1	10
Home Affairs		9	
Defence—Military	111	189	190
Naval	53	34	20
Trade and Customs	34	34	70
Works	3	14	10
Health	18	26	10
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c.—			
Parliament	345	345	600
Prime Minister	2,364	261	400
Treasury	664	1,325	1,000
Attorney-General	2,176	1,402	1,000
Home Affairs	2,128	1,628	1,250
Trade and Customs	6,049	3,065	4,000
Works	3,405	2,176	4,000
Health	13,363	5,502	4,050
Markets	306	358	500
Transport	100	355	200
Rent of Buildings—			
Parliament	244		
Prime Minister	12,094	6,721	6,624
Treasury	18,137	6,985	7,191
Attorney-General	20,437	17,222	16,753
Home Affairs	17,716	6,302	6,238
Trade and Customs	10,650	2,904	3,030
Works	1,695	564	510
Health	4,184	3,415	3,621
Markets	2,420	1,968	1,794
Transport	900	1,023	2,388
Carried forward	241,870	199,386	169,365

\* Includes Public Works Staff charged to Departments as follows:—

	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
Defence—Military and Munitions	22,890	6,243	5,772
Naval	13,880	7,282	5,476
Air Services	19,169	6,285	6,527
Trade and Customs	7,750	1,015	2,065
Health	11,280	3,863	1,272
Works (including all other Departments)	4,440	8,408	4,813
	78,499	35,081	28,596

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.</b>			
<b>VIII.—DEPARTMENT OF WORKS—continued.</b>			
Brought forward	241,870	199,386	169,365
Overhaul of and Repairs to Boats and Launches—			
Trade and Customs	1,794	985	1,260
Marine	11,842	4,608	7,400
Health	2,962	2,976	2,470
Governor-General's Establishment—Maintenance of Grounds, &c.—			
Canberra, Sydney, Melbourne	15,043	10,121	9,377
Non-recurring Works	286	943	800
	273,797	219,019	190,662
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year			7,662
Total DEPARTMENT OF WORKS	273,797	219,019	183,000
<b>IX.—DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.</b>			
Central Administration—Salaries	16,610	25,654	22,312
Contingencies	2,606	1,944	2,290
Miscellaneous—			
Eradication of hookworm disease in Aborigines	4,957	1,603	1,600
Advancement of the study of tropical diseases	8,250	1,700	760
Other Miscellaneous Items	11,361	8,192	9,515
New South Wales—Salaries	17,932	18,000	14,977
Contingencies	6,180	4,898	6,225
Miscellaneous	245		
Victoria—Salaries	11,351	11,056	9,203
Contingencies	5,825	4,993	5,200
Queensland and North Australia—Salaries	18,014	18,621	16,437
Contingencies	6,632	4,423	6,209
Miscellaneous	150		
South Australia—Salaries	6,162	7,021	6,136
Contingencies	3,486	2,317	3,055
Miscellaneous	69		
Western Australia—Salaries	7,687	7,922	7,030
Contingencies	5,996	6,226	7,848
Tasmania—Salaries	1,984	2,123	1,825
Contingencies	1,604	1,210	1,566
	184,052	127,783	122,178
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year			12,678
Total DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	134,052	127,783	109,500
<b>X.—DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS.</b>			
Administrative—Salaries	57,372	57,487	49,368
Contingencies	4,265	4,000	4,206
Miscellaneous—			
Administration of the Commerce Act 1905	35,648	45,772	30,746
Analyses of Commerce Act samples	3,207	3,072	2,980
Publicity, films, and photographs	6,152	5,747	8,000
Other Miscellaneous Items	377		
Commercial Intelligence Service Abroad—			
Representation in Canada	5,921	3,581	2,750
General representation		150	1,000
Total DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS	112,945	119,800	99,000

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
ORDINARY VOTES OF DEPARTMENTS—continued.			
<b>XI.—DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT.</b>			
Administrative—Salaries .. .. .	20,506	10,855	7,478
Contingencies .. .. .	4,543	2,100	2,935
Miscellaneous .. .. .	21,446	9,580	9,165
Marine Branch—Salaries .. .. .	172,373	169,089	141,178
Contingencies .. .. .	86,076	64,955	69,991
Miscellaneous .. .. .	3,446	3,062	1,033
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT</b>	<b>310,396</b>	<b>250,638</b>	<b>231,800</b>
<b>XII.—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.</b>			
UNDER CONTROL OF PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT.			
Contribution to cost of Secretariat League of Nations .. .. .	28,078	30,762	30,000
Assemblies of the League of Nations—Commonwealth representation .. .. .	2,759	3,481	..
Contribution to Imperial Institute .. .. .	2,640	2,640	..
Royal Commission—South Australian Financial Disabilities .. .. .	92	..	..
Royal Commission—Child Endowment .. .. .	67	..	..
Royal Commission—Federal Constitution .. .. .	1,248	..	..
Assistance in co-operation with the States towards recovery of export coal trade .. .. .	..	25,000	..
Assistance in co-operation with the States towards employment of surplus coal miners .. .. .	..	100,000	..
Royal Commission on allegations of bribery affecting members of the Parliamentary Joint Committee of Public Accounts .. .. .	141	528	..
Royal Commission—Coal mining industry .. .. .	10,666	..	..
British, Australian, and New Zealand Antarctic Research Expedition .. .. .	10,000	4,000	3,000
Investigation of tobacco-growing industry (contributions by States to be credited to this item) .. .. .	1,099	3,333	3,000
Australian Delegation to the Imperial Conference 1930 .. .. .	..	8,171	..
Subsidy towards provision of continuous Passenger Steamship Service between Sydney and Hobart during winter months .. .. .	1,538	8,462	..
Special allowances to Mrs. E. J. Russell .. .. .	468	156	156
Australian Commonwealth Association of Simplified Practice and Standards—Grant .. .. .	8,000	..	..
Commonwealth contribution towards cost of Chair of Anthropology at the Sydney University .. .. .	1,000	1,000	1,000
British Economic Mission .. .. .	183	..	..
Maintenance of Cockatoo Island Dockyard on nucleus basis .. .. .	..	..	42,000
Repairs to plant and buildings at Cockatoo Island Dockyard .. .. .	..	..	10,000
General Peace Conference, February, 1932 .. .. .	..	..	2,000
Grant for the relief of distress among unemployed returned soldiers and their dependants .. .. .	1,000	1,000	..
Inquiry into the sugar industry .. .. .	..	..	2,093
Naval Disarmament Conference, London—Commonwealth representation .. .. .	2,112	..	..
Grant for relief of distress on coalfields .. .. .	7,000	..	..
Other Items .. .. .	20,011	10,928	5,644
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT (carried forward)</b>	<b>97,789</b>	<b>201,254</b>	<b>96,800</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>XII.—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—continued.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	97,789	201,254	96,800
UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.			
Interest at 3½ per cent. on the value of properties transferred to the Commonwealth but excluded from the Financial Agreement .. .. .	3,899	3,899	3,890
Interest on Bank overdraft, Australia .. .. .	331	65,993	..
Interest on Bank overdraft, Eöidba .. .. .	171,762	191,488	..
Exchange on remittances to London .. .. .	98,367	147,737	715,000
Stamp duty on transfers of Commonwealth Loan Securities in London .. .. .	18,016	15,000	16,000
Loans management expenses in connexion with Loans for Works, States, and other purposes, including payments to Commonwealth Bank .. .. .	8,676	8,912	7,300
Other Items .. .. .	6,220	7,014	9,560
Unforeseen—Prime Minister .. .. .	122	27	..
Treasury .. .. .	71	137	..
Home Affairs .. .. .	3	..	..
Defence—Military .. .. .	9	28	300
Defence—Naval .. .. .	48	..	..
Works .. .. .	32	..	..
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY</b>	<b>307,546</b>	<b>440,161</b>	<b>744,050</b>
UNDER CONTROL OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.			
Tribunals under Industrial Peace Act .. .. .	1,210	767	500
Other Items .. .. .	640	326	300
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>1,850</b>	<b>1,093</b>	<b>800</b>
UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.			
Commonwealth Elections .. .. .	106,932	1,717	93,000
Census, including collection, compilation, printing, maps, and miscellaneous services .. .. .	1,019	130	..
Refund of Fines under Immigration Restriction Act .. .. .	526	379	100
Other Items .. .. .	894	328	1,100
Empire Forestry Conference, Australia .. .. .	258	..	..
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS</b>	<b>109,538</b>	<b>2,748</b>	<b>94,200</b>
UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.			
Compensation for damage to roadway at Leichhardt, New South Wales .. .. .	250	..	..
<b>Total (carried forward)</b>	<b>416,973</b>	<b>649,266</b>	<b>936,850</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>XII.—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—continued.</b>			
Brought forward	618,973	646,336	935,850
<b>UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.</b>			
Payment of awards for motion picture films and scenarios produced in Australia	1,500	1,000	836
Remission of duty on insulin	2,147	3,519	3,519
Remissions of duty under special circumstances		1,679	1,679
Assistance to gold-mining industry		319	150
Other Items	703		
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS</b>	<b>4,350</b>	<b>7,553</b>	<b>160</b>
<b>UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF WORKS.</b>			
Repairs and renovations to Parliament House, Melbourne	2,014	862	
Other Items	1,565	1,023	1,230
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF WORKS</b>	<b>3,579</b>	<b>1,885</b>	<b>1,230</b>
<b>UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.</b>			
Subsidies and expenses in connexion with the control of venereal diseases and tuberculosis	14,143	178	500
Subsidies and expenses in connexion with maternal and infant hygiene	2,390	450	500
Grants in aid of Research	6,350	2,959	2,000
Subsidy for cattle tick control in New-South Wales and Queensland	57,318	53,066	44,450
Australian Institute of Anatomy	4,647	2,571	1,521
Expenses in connexion with the control of Radium	8,094	2,569	2,000
Other Items	53		54
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH</b>	<b>92,895</b>	<b>61,793</b>	<b>51,025</b>
<b>UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS.</b>			
Assistance to export of canned fruit		4,000	
Imperial Economic Committee—Commonwealth Representation	412		
Expenses of Wine Overseas Marketing Board (to be recovered)	7,000		
Assistance to Tasmanian berry-growers	5,000		
Australian Dairy Council	4,721	6,470	5,500
Contribution towards remuneration paid to wool representative in Great Britain	1,073	2,500	1,900
Other Items	119	101	
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS</b>	<b>18,325</b>	<b>13,071</b>	<b>7,400</b>
<b>UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT.</b>			
Immigration—passage money, landing money and medical fees of assisted immigrants (to be paid to credit of Trust Fund, Immigration Account)		10,000	
Passes over Transcontinental Railway	1,004	844	500
Payments to Commissioner under Section 44 of Commonwealth Railways Act 1917	2,164	1,376	
Fares of tubercular soldiers and sailors—Obdandatta Railway	29	27	75
Other Items		334	
<b>Total UNDER CONTROL OF DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT</b>	<b>3,197</b>	<b>12,581</b>	<b>575</b>
<b>Total Miscellaneous Services.</b>	<b>639,319</b>	<b>741,739</b>	<b>996,250</b>

\* Paid from Loan Fund.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>XIII.—WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES.</b>			
<b>Special Appropriations—</b>			
Interest on Loans for War and Repatriation purposes	13,121,840	13,487,589	10,917,700
Interest on War Gratuity Bonds	1,143	1,071	1,000
Interest on Australia's war indebtedness to the Government of the United Kingdom	4,052,910	3,978,448	3,920,300
Payment in reduction of Australia's war indebtedness to the Government of the United Kingdom	1,495,899	1,570,362	
National Debt Sinking Fund	4,907,264	†	443,000†
Loan Conversion expenses	3,491		
Administration of War Gratuity Act	195	76	160
War Pensions	7,897,291*	7,987,038*	6,960,000*
<b>TOTAL SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS (WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES)</b>	<b>28,480,033</b>	<b>27,024,584</b>	<b>22,242,160</b>
<b>Ordinary Votes—</b>			
<b>Under control of Prime Minister's Department—</b>			
<b>Miscellaneous—</b>			
Audit of Accounts of Repatriation and War Service Homes Commissions	10,650	11,600	9,700
<b>Under control of Department of the Treasury—</b>			
<b>Treasury—Salaries</b>			
Contingencies	5,000	5,000	5,000
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock Registries	2,597	2,543	2,600
<b>Miscellaneous—</b>			
Provision towards refund to States of Interest on Soldier Land Settlement Loans (to be paid to Trust Fund, Soldier Land Settlement Interest Account, pending ratification of Agreement between the Commonwealth and the States)	284,135		
Compassionate allowances to munition and war workers and their dependants	928	844	1,160
Exchange on remittances to London		1,140,246	1,412,000
<b>Under control of Department of Home Affairs—</b>			
Establishment and maintenance of Australian War Museum	14,499	9,909	8,902
<b>Under control of Department of Defence—</b>			
<b>Naval—Miscellaneous</b>			
Military—Miscellaneous—	618	627	650
Graves of Soldiers—Contribution to Graves Commission for Commonwealth's share of cost of care and maintenance	94,950	94,950	13,738
Graves of Soldiers—Erection of headstones and maintenance of graves of deceased soldiers in Australia	4,496	4,410	4,500
Erection and maintenance of Australian Imperial Force War Memorials	629	2,453	1,000
Compilation of the history of Australia's share in the war	2,000	2,668	2,400
Distribution of medals and plaques, and other Base Records work	954	639	800
Other miscellaneous items	1,165	884	1,264
<b>Under control of the Department of Trade and Customs—</b>			
<b>Miscellaneous</b>			
	84	113	104
<b>Carried forward</b>	<b>479,609</b>	<b>1,331,604</b>	<b>1,515,016</b>

\* Paid from Trust Fund.  
† Estimated to be provided from Revenue after allowing for estimated receipts from other sources.  
‡ Payment postponed for 1931-32 and 1932-33 by arrangement with the British Government.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES, OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>XIII.—WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	479,509	1,331,604	1,455,014c
Under control of Department of Health—			
Repatriation Commission—			
To be paid to credit of Trust Fund, Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Account	888,000	914,968	790,848
To be paid to Trust Fund, Repatriation of Australian Soldiers' Contributions Account—towards soldiers' children's education scheme	156,000	140,827	117,600
Repatriation Commission—Miscellaneous	2,431	7,715	4,750
Under control of Department of Transport—			
Expenses in connexion with the building of War Service Homes (to be paid to the credit of Trust Fund; War Service Homes Account)	93,833	92,509	69,204
Miscellaneous .. .. .		11	15
<b>Total WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES (ORDINARY VOTES)</b>	<b>1,619,773</b>	<b>2,481,634</b>	<b>2,507,840</b>
<b>Total WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES CHARGED TO TO REVENUE</b>	<b>30,099,806</b>	<b>29,506,218</b>	<b>24,750,000</b>

**PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.****I.—COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS.**

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
<b>SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—</b>			
Salary of Commonwealth Railways Commissioner	2,350	2,055	1,620
Contributions to Railway Accident and Insurance Fund (Government) Contributions under the Superannuation Act	999	875	1,302
Interest on Loans—	4,587	5,437	5,529
Trans-Australian Railway	133,898	127,850	150,000
Central Australia Railway	176,771	174,816	170,000
North Australia Railway	117,236	140,921	132,000
Federal Territory Railway	1,531	1,550	1,500
Sinking Fund—			
Trans-Australian Railway	13,650	12,647	15,000
Central Australia Railway	21,718	15,457	25,000
North Australia Railway	16,900	9,609	17,500
Federal Territory Railway	171	76	500
<b>Total SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS</b>	<b>482,910</b>	<b>490,677</b>	<b>498,850</b>
<b>Ordinary Votes—</b>			
Trans-Australian Railway—Working Expenses	294,090	291,577	236,500
Central Australia Railway—			
Working expenses	198,108	197,074	123,500
Interest on Loans taken over from the State of South Australia	34,713	33,803	34,700
North Australia Railway—			
Working Expenses	56,155	55,605	52,000
Interest on Loans taken over from the State of South Australia	35,282	22,005	10,740
Federal Territory Railway—Working Expenses	6,458	6,344	7,000
Miscellaneous—			
Exchange on remittances to London		38,281	45,000
Other Items	1,039	857	1,000
Audit	650	650	450
<b>Total Ordinary Votes—COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS</b>	<b>626,495</b>	<b>586,129</b>	<b>530,900</b>
<b>Total COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS—SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS AND ORDINARY VOTES</b>	<b>1,109,405</b>	<b>1,076,806</b>	<b>1,030,850</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—continued.</b>			
<b>II.—POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>			
<b>SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—</b>			
Pensions and Retiring Allowances under Section 84 of the Constitution	110,030	110,480	109,300
Government contributions under the Superannuation Act	136,095	156,822	149,400
Interest on Loans	1,910,257	1,939,016	1,950,000
Sinking Fund	560,125	742,569	770,000
<b>Total SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>2,716,507</b>	<b>2,948,887</b>	<b>2,978,700</b>
<b>ORDINARY VOTES—</b>			
Central Staff—Salaries	79,814	89,104	64,788
Contingencies	7,681	4,741	4,070
Miscellaneous	1,025	1,340	305
Overseas Mails—			
Conveyance of Mails per Orient line of steamers	130,000	130,000	130,000*
New South Wales—Salaries	2,399,532	2,408,771	1,994,601
Mails	537,490	501,962	460,870
Contingencies	837,918	630,766	552,824
Miscellaneous	34,367	34,847	27,000
Victoria—Salaries	1,691,961	1,717,591	1,418,411
Mails	287,994	272,074	269,475
Contingencies	591,785	490,623	438,180
Miscellaneous	21,046	24,345	16,925
Queensland—Salaries	808,500	854,827	730,284
Mails	255,481	236,505	217,680
Contingencies	286,074	225,376	202,640
Miscellaneous	7,217	8,295	4,325
South Australia—Salaries	615,652	630,223	505,266
Mails	100,183	89,057	80,075
Contingencies	237,659	168,922	151,605
Miscellaneous	8,703	6,896	5,875
Western Australia—Salaries	431,362	441,144	368,962
Mails	114,207	101,876	85,152
Contingencies	146,766	120,360	114,551
Miscellaneous	3,566	7,696	3,210
Tasmania—Salaries	214,466	216,822	173,166
Mails	43,190	41,172	39,530
Contingencies	93,600	89,959	77,285
Miscellaneous	7,538	3,011	4,485
Northern Territory—Salaries	13,433	12,463	11,280
Mails	3,044	2,646	2,650
Contingencies	7,020	4,571	5,663
Wireless	69,800	74,790	82,687
Postal Institutes—Education	10,918	4,763	2,000
<b>Total amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year</b>	<b>10,098,902</b>	<b>9,641,910</b>	<b>8,237,831</b>
<b>Total under control of POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT (carried forward)</b>	<b>10,098,902</b>	<b>9,641,910</b>	<b>8,192,831</b>

\* The contract provides for an annual subsidy of £130,000. Since the Budget was delivered the Company have voluntarily agreed to waive £20,000 of the subsidy for 1931-32.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—continued.</b>			
<b>POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—continued.</b>			
Brought forward	10,093,902	9,641,910	8,192,831
Audit of Accounts	12,150	12,930	9,350
Exchange on remittances to London		1,300,315	530,000
Betterment Tax, General Post Office, Sydney	319	319	319
Unforeseen Expenditure	87	102	100
Public Works Staff—Proportion of Salaries and Contingencies	68,000	21,289	17,500
Supervision of Works	248	329	250
Rent of Buildings	38,371	31,115	31,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture	90,774	37,874	65,150
<b>Total POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—ORDINARY VOTES</b>	<b>10,308,851</b>	<b>10,045,983</b>	<b>8,848,500</b>
<b>Total POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS AND ORDINARY VOTES</b>	<b>13,025,358</b>	<b>12,994,870</b>	<b>11,825,200</b>
<b>Total BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS</b>	<b>14,134,763</b>	<b>14,051,676</b>	<b>12,850,060</b>

## PART III.—TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

<b>SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.</b>			
<b>Interest—</b>			
Federal Capital Territory	254,236	352,777	310,000
Northern Territory	13,539	24,290	24,000
Papua	5,293	5,650	5,500
New Guinea	1,711	2,002	2,000
<b>Sinking Fund—</b>			
Federal Capital Territory	8,587	18,286	19,000
Northern Territory	2,391	3,888	4,000
Papua	450	145	500
New Guinea	141	107	500
Papua Bounties		41	
New Guinea Bounties	1,059	945	1,200
<b>Total SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>287,417</b>	<b>408,132</b>	<b>366,700</b>
<b>ORDINARY VOTES.</b>			
<b>FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY.</b>			
General Services—			
Salaries	6,477	33,217	26,200
Contingencies	2,742	6,037	4,925
Miscellaneous—			
Transfer of staffs and office equipment to the Federal Capital and expenses incidental thereto	15,973	3,896	1,400
Purchase of Melbourne homes of officers transferred to Canberra (to be recovered)	15,962	4,300	
Maintenance of parks and gardens and recreation reserves	4,719	26,261	25,500
Alleviation of distress including subsidy to Canberra Relief Society		26,471	39,500
Sundry services	8,952	29,000	30,745
Education—	14,993	22,338	19,820
<b>Works and Buildings—</b>			
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies	7,547	18,000	16,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings and Furniture		33,016	30,400
Water Supply and Sewerage		21,570	21,000
Electric Supply	13,840	28,561	28,000
Other Items		1,848	1,700
<b>Carried forward</b>	<b>91,205</b>	<b>264,605</b>	<b>245,190</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART III.—TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES—continued.</b>			
<b>FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY—continued.</b>			
Brought forward	91,205	264,605	245,190
<b>Health—</b>			
Canberra Government Hospital (to be paid to credit of Trust Fund, Federal Capital Territory Hospitals Account)	3,662	12,360	11,700
Health Services		1,364	1,500
Veterinary Services	558	3,771	3,850
Plant Disease Services			100
Commonwealth Police—Salaries	4,758	4,726	4,723
Contingencies	2,540	613	650
Miscellaneous	234		
<b>Industrial Board—Salaries</b>			138
Contingencies	33		289
<b>Law Courts and Titles Office—Salaries</b>			516
Contingencies		172	865
Audit of Accounts		1,210	1,440
<b>Total FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>	<b>102,990</b>	<b>279,764</b>	<b>270,878</b>
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY.</b>			
General Services—Salaries	50,972	51,392	46,159
Contingencies	28,675	22,183	26,975
Miscellaneous	21,226	30,295	38,087
Interest on Loans taken over from the Government of South Australia (not including Railways)	8,321	6,411	2,689
Audit of Accounts	420	420	350
Repairs, Maintenance, &c.	8,077	8,020	13,270
Public Works Staff—Salaries	3,100	1,514	4,000
Contingencies	890	378	1,450
Miscellaneous	314	351	700
<b>Total-NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>	<b>122,995</b>	<b>120,974</b>	<b>133,680</b>
<b>PAPUA.</b>			
Administration, &c.	44,000	47,000	42,000
Audit of Accounts	100	132	43
<b>Total PAPUA</b>	<b>44,100</b>	<b>47,132</b>	<b>42,043</b>
<b>Carried forward</b>	<b>270,085</b>	<b>447,870</b>	<b>446,601</b>

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>PART III.—TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
<b>ORDINARY VOTES—continued.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	270,085	447,870	446,601
<b>NORFOLK ISLAND.</b>			
Grant for Expenses of Administration, &c. .. .. .	4,000	4,000	3,500
<b>NEW GUINEA.</b>			
Grant to be used in the interest of native races .. .. .	10,000	5,000	
<b>Total ORDINARY VOTES</b> .. .. .	<b>284,085</b>	<b>456,870</b>	<b>450,101</b>
<b>Total TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH</b> .. .. .	<b>571,502</b>	<b>865,002</b>	<b>816,801</b>
<b>PART IV.—PAYMENTS TO OR FOR THE STATES.</b>			
<b>SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.</b>			
Special Payment to South Australia .. .. .	360,000	1,170,000	1,000,000
Special Payment to Tasmania .. .. .	250,000	250,000	250,000
Special Payment to Western Australia .. .. .	300,000	300,000	300,000
Grants to States for Federal Aid Roads .. .. .	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,400,000
Contribution towards Sinking Fund on State Debts .. .. .	994,432	1,057,703	1,070,000
Contribution towards Interest on State Debts .. .. .	7,584,912	7,584,912	7,584,912
Balance of Interest on State Debts—recoverable from States .. .. .	25,566,721	24,230,562*	23,000,000
	<b>37,056,065</b>	<b>38,593,177</b>	<b>34,604,912</b>
<b>ORDINARY VOTES.</b>			
Grant to States towards relief of unemployment .. .. .		750,000	
<b>TOTAL PAYMENTS TO OR FOR THE STATES</b> .. .. .	<b>37,056,065</b>	<b>37,343,177</b>	<b>34,604,912</b>

\* Omitting interest, &c., £3,634,140 paid by Commonwealth on behalf of New South Wales and not recovered at 30th June, 1931.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC.</b>			
<b>PART I.—SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>			
<b>Parliament.</b>			
Main Building and Refreshment Rooms—Alterations and additions to ventilation and cooling plant .. .. .	225		
Main Building—Minor structural alterations .. .. .	464		
	<b>689</b>		
<b>Department of Defence.</b>			
<b>Naval—</b>			
Reserves of Stores, including Ammunition, Ordnance, Torpedo Stores, and Coal and Oil Fuel .. .. .			50
Naval Establishments—Machinery and Plant .. .. .	1,073	906	3,000
Oil fuel storage facilities .. .. .	8,900		
Naval bases, work and establishment—towards cost .. .. .			1,900
<b>Total NAVAL</b> .. .. .	<b>9,973</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>4,950</b>
<b>Military—</b>			
Construction of drill halls, mobilization stores, ordnance stores, rifle ranges, fortifications, barracks, and other accommodation and engineering works .. .. .		*	534
Properties and sites .. .. .		*	300
Construction of Miniature Rifle Ranges .. .. .	561	368	460
Arms, Armament and Ammunition .. .. .	6,293	5,965	5,200
Construction of buildings .. .. .		600	
<b>Total MILITARY</b> .. .. .	<b>6,854</b>	<b>6,933</b>	<b>6,494</b>
<b>Air Services—</b>			
<b>Royal Australian Air Force—</b>			
Provision of aircraft equipment and plant, including spare parts, machinery, tools, ordnance and engineering supplies and ammunition, &c. .. .. .	55,000	9,901	1,000
Towards cost of construction of buildings, hangars, workshops, barracks and earthworks, and preparation of aerial routes and landing grounds .. .. .	6		2,700
Properties and sites .. .. .			150
	<b>55,006</b>	<b>9,901</b>	<b>3,850</b>
<b>Civil Aviation—</b>			
Towards cost of construction of buildings, hangars, workshops, barracks and earthworks, and preparation of aerial routes and landing grounds .. .. .		*	9,550
<b>Total AIR SERVICES</b> .. .. .	<b>55,006</b>	<b>9,901</b>	<b>13,400</b>
<b>Carried forward</b> .. .. .	<b>71,833</b>	<b>17,740</b>	<b>24,844</b>
	<b>689</b>		

\* Charged to Loan Fund.



## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1928-29.	1929-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC.—continued.</b>			
<b>PART I.—SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	689		1,276
<b>Department of Defence—continued.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	71,833	17,740	24,844
<b>Munitions Supply Branch—</b>			
Acquisition of Small Arms Factory, Footscray—Instalments			19,163
Towards cost of construction of buildings and works generally in connection with new munitions production		*	1,749
Provision of Small Arms Ammunition (to be paid to Credit of Trust Fund Small Arms Ammunition Account)	25,000		
<b>Total MUNITIONS SUPPLY BRANCH</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>17,740</b>	<b>20,902</b>
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE</b>	<b>96,833</b>	<b>17,740</b>	<b>45,746</b>
<b>Department of Trade and Customs.</b>			
Film Censorship—Purchase and installation of apparatus for screening "talking" pictures	1,048		
Buildings, Alterations and Additions, and construction of launches and vessels	8,637		1,170
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS</b>	<b>9,685</b>		<b>1,170</b>
<b>Department of Works.</b>			
Expenditure under <i>River Murray Waters Act 1915-1925</i>		*	125,000
<b>Department of Health.</b>			
New Buildings, Alterations and Additions, and construction of launches and vessels	24,380	6,981	1,300
Repatriation Commission—Soldiers' mental hospital, Bundaberg, Victoria		*	14,000
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH</b>	<b>24,380</b>	<b>6,981</b>	<b>15,300</b>
<b>Department of Transport.</b>			
Expenditure under <i>War Service Homes Act 1918-1929</i>		*	42,000
Erection of, and additions and alterations to buildings, and engineering services		3,481	806
Construction of vessel for lighthouse purposes		*	36,000
Lighthouse Services— New Lighthouses (including upkeep of vessels for construction work) and optical and other apparatus for lightships	*	*	10,520
Alterations to lighthouse service	*	*	5,300
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT</b>		<b>3,481</b>	<b>94,626</b>
<i>Less repayments in respect of expenditure made in previous years from Loan Fund</i>	131,587	28,202	281,842
<b>Total ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC., FOR SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH (carried forward).</b>	<b>131,587</b>	<b>28,202</b>	<b>116,842</b>

\* Charged to Loan Fund.

† Total cost, £191,828; amount outstanding at 30th June, 1931, £105,339.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—continued.

Service.	1928-30.	1929-31.	Estimate 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC.—continued.</b>			
Brought forward .. .. .	131,587	28,202	116,842
<b>PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.</b>			
<b>Department of Transport.</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Railways—</b>			
Trans-Australian Railway	*	*	50,000
North Australia Railway—Minor Capital Works	*	*	5,000
Central Australia Railway	*	*	21,000
Federal Territory Railway	*	*	250
<i>Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year</i>			76,250
			19,260
<b>Total COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS</b>			<b>57,000</b>
<b>Postmaster-General's Department.</b>			
Construction and extension of telegraphs and telephones, also construction of conduits, and laying wires underground			
Post Office Buildings	*	*	550,000
Land for Post and Telegraph purposes			
Erection of wireless stations and testing and experimental equipment			
<b>Total POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT</b>			<b>550,000</b>
<b>Total BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS</b>			<b>607,000</b>
<b>PART III.—TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>			
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY.</b>			
Construction of and alterations to buildings, engineering services, water boring and roads	12,325	10,918	14,735
<b>FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY.</b>			
Government Printing Office, Canberra—Equipment	1,672	1,110	500
Reconstruction of Canberra-Goulburn Road	99,952	34,215	8,000
Miscellaneous Works and Services		*	82,000
<b>Total FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>	<b>101,624</b>	<b>35,325</b>	<b>90,500</b>
<b>Total ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC., FOR TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH</b>	<b>113,949</b>	<b>46,243</b>	<b>105,235</b>
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC.</b>	<b>245,536</b>	<b>74,445</b>	<b>829,077</b>

\* Charged to Loan Fund.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE  
LOAN FUND

## EXPENDITURE.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>					
Loan Expenditure	7,016,941	8,180,347	5,291,533	4,588,820	††
Advances for expenditure in Federal Capital Territory	95,662	515,028	1,746,722	72,100	
Advances to North Australia Commission					
Repayment to Commonwealth Bank, London, of advances to Commonwealth Public Account	2,764,000	628,000		7,769,016	
Estimated deficit in Revenue Account for 1931-32—to be temporarily provided from Loan Fund					5,176,300
Temporary advance to meet accumulated deficit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund at 30th June, 1931.				21,050,489	
Balance carried down to Loan Fund Redemption Account	28,209,561	12,344,673	13,391,461	9,713,470	
	38,676,164	21,678,048	20,501,816	40,521,795	5,176,300

## LOAN FUND

War Gratuity Bonds redeemed and War Gratuities paid in cash	10,823	6,687	6,112	5,488
Peace Savings Certificates	67,184	48,164	12,240	
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock and Bonds for War purposes	20,935,017	6,393,666	3,736,488	7,626,070
War Savings Stamps	179	124		
Treasury Bills for War Services	2,466,340			
Treasury Bills for Works, Redemption and other purposes	375,000			
Treasury Bills—short dated—London			1,400,116	1,400,116
Loans taken over from State of South Australia in respect of—Northern Territory	4,645		850	650,100
Port Augusta Railway	9,742	54,750		
Balance of Loan Moneys carried forward	4,320,931	5,841,282	8,235,655	31,696
	28,209,561	12,344,673	13,391,461	9,713,470

## LOANS RAISED.

Payments to or for the States—Public Works and Redemptions	23,090,411	25,084,226	45,846,780	51,592,839
Payments to States—Development and Migration	2,407,574	1,352,573	381,746	397,743
Balance		2,392,917	239,734	
	25,497,985	26,829,716	46,468,266	51,930,582

† In addition 109,522 was advanced from the Commonwealth Public Account pending the raising of a loan in 1928-29.  
† Amount yet to be determined. †† Expenditure to be made in 1931-32 from Revenue.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA—continued.  
FUND.

## RECEIPTS.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>ACCOUNT.</b>					
Balance brought forward	3,223,369	4,320,631	5,841,282	8,235,655	31,696
Loans for Works, Redemption and other purposes (after deducting expenses) —					
Loan raisings in Australia as follow:—					
Inscribed Stock and Bonds	20,339,739	9,060,178	5,705,086	10,141,169	13,672
Peace Savings Certificates	12,330	17,093	15,715	10,354,047	10,354,047
Treasury Bills—short dated	1,155,000			Dr. 339,325	Dr. 339,325
Loan raisings in London—Registered stock	6,646,555	8,230,146	1,564,610	1,409,914	8,644,800
Treasury Bills					5,144,604
Debentures					
Loan raisings in New York	6,664,171		Dr. 11,357		
Advances from the Commonwealth Bank, London	628,000		7,769,016	1,400,116	661,207
Australia					
	35,452,795	17,357,417	14,660,534	32,286,140	5,144,604
	38,676,164	21,678,048	20,501,816	40,521,795	5,176,300

## REDEMPTION ACCOUNT.

Balance brought down from Expenditure Account	28,209,561	12,344,673	13,391,461	9,713,470	*
	28,209,561	12,344,673	13,391,461	9,713,470	

## FOR STATES.

Balance brought forward	174,989		2,392,917	239,734
Loans raised in Australia (after deducting expenses)—				
Inscribed Stock and Bonds	403,145	20,293,858	22,532,321	23,117,557
Treasury Bills			2,269,517	8,931,808
Loan raisings in London (after deducting expenses)—				
Registered Stock	14,493,658	8,535,858	4,871,621	337,743
Treasury Bills			8,128,661	3,729,615
Debentures				11,549,200
Loan raisings in New York (after deducting expenses)	10,428,253			
Advances from the Commonwealth Bank, London			5,741,984	3,599,884
Discount and expenses of flotation of Conversion and Redemption Loan in London recovered from States	Dr. 65		531,239	425,041
	25,497,985	26,829,716	46,468,266	51,930,582

\* Loan raisings not yet determined.

## EXPENDITURE FROM LOAN FUND.

## SUMMARY.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
<b>COMMONWEALTH PURPOSES.</b>			
Expenditure .. .. .	£ 5,291,533	£ 1,988,820	†
Redemptions .. .. .	5,155,806	9,681,774	*
<b>LOANS FOR THE STATES.</b>			
For Public Works and Redemptions .. .. .	45,846,780	51,592,839	*
For Development and Migration .. .. .	381,746	337,743	*
	46,228,526	51,930,582	

\* Amount yet to be determined.

† Expenditure in 1931-32 to be made from Revenue.

## DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM LOAN FUND.

Service.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£
<b>FOR WORKS, BUILDINGS, SITES, ETC.</b>			
<b>Parliament.</b>			
Parliament House, Canberra .. .. .	5,334		
<b>Prime Minister's Department.</b>			
Loan to Papua for Public Works .. .. .	7,500	7,500	
Loan to Territory of New Guinea for Works .. .. .		7,000	
<b>Total PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT</b> .. .. .	<b>7,500</b>	<b>14,500</b>	
<b>Department of Defence.</b>			
<b>NAVAL.</b>			
Subsidy to State of New South Wales towards construction of a floating dock at Walsh Island .. .. .	67,500		
Naval Bases, Works and Establishments .. .. .	25,730	6,229	*
<b>Total NAVAL</b> .. .. .	<b>93,230</b>	<b>6,229</b>	
<b>MILITARY.</b>			
Construction of Drill Halls, Mobilization Stores, Ordnance Stores, Rifle Ranges, Fortifications, Barracks, and other accommodation and Engineering Works .. .. .	20,204	130	*
Purchase of properties and sites for Military and Defence purposes generally .. .. .	1,000	328	*
<b>Total MILITARY</b> .. .. .	<b>21,204</b>	<b>458</b>	
<b>AIR SERVICES.</b>			
Construction of Buildings, Hangars, Workshops, Barracks and Earth-works, and preparation of Aerial Routes and Landing Grounds—			
Royal Australian Air Force .. .. .	32,444	8,765	*
Civil Aviation .. .. .		13,596	*
Purchase of properties and sites, Royal Australian Air Force .. .. .	296	1	*
<b>Total AIR SERVICES</b> .. .. .	<b>32,740</b>	<b>22,362</b>	
<b>MUNITIONS SUPPLY BRANCH.</b>			
Machinery and plant for manufacture of munitions not now produced in Australia .. .. .	38,347	18,672	
Acquisition of Small Arms Ammunition Factory, Footscray .. .. .	19,153	19,153	
Construction of buildings and works generally in connexion with new munitions production at Maribyrnong, Footscray, Lithgow, and Wakefield .. .. .	25,628	642	*
<b>Total MUNITIONS SUPPLY BRANCH</b> .. .. .	<b>83,128</b>	<b>38,467</b>	
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE</b> .. .. .	<b>230,302</b>	<b>67,516</b>	
Carried forward .. .. .	243,136	82,016	

\* Expenditure in 1931-32 to be made from Revenue.

DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM LOAN FUND—continued.

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
<b>FOR WORKS, BUILDINGS, SITES, ETC.</b>			
Brought forward	249,136	82,016	
<b>Department of Trade and Customs.</b>			
Acquisition of land for Trade and Customs purposes	768		
<b>Department of Works.</b>			
Expenditure under <i>River Murray Waters Act 1915-1923</i>	200,000	122,000	
<b>Department of Health.</b>			
Jerum and Health Laboratories	3,748		*
Soldiers' Mental Hospital, Bundooora, Victoria		10,640	*
<b>TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH</b>	3,748	10,640	
<b>Department of Markets.</b>			
Advances to States and Northern Territory for purchase of wire and wire netting	50,000		
<b>Department of Transport.</b>			
<b>Commonwealth Railways—</b>			
Trans-Australian Railway	64,622	30,386	
North Australia Railway—Minor Capital Works	2,169	473	
Central Australia Railway	67,534	29,852	
Federal Territory Railway	965	175	
New Railway Construction under <i>Northern Territory Railway Extension Act 1923, Oodnadatta to Alice Springs Railway Act 1926, and the Railways (South Australia) Agreement Act 1926—</i>			
North Australia	17,938	438	*
Central Australia	113,377	383	*
Grafton to South Brisbane Railway	285,999	51,697	
Immigration—Passage money, landing money, and medical fees of assisted immigrants	586,600	68,000	
Construction of vessel for lighthouse purposes	67,705	85,001	
New Lighthouses, including upkeep of vessels for construction work and optical and other apparatus for lightships	10,724	2,966	
Alterations of lighthouse services	5,863	1,533	
Establishing means of communication	1,933		
	918,220	219,157	
Expenditure under <i>War Service Homes Act 1918-1929</i> (to be paid to the credit of Trust Fund, War Service Homes Account)	1,080,701	164,906	
Deduct portion of the expenditure defrayed out of moneys paid by purchasers and lessees of houses and out of proceeds of sales of material and other receipts	30,437		
	998,264	164,906	
<b>TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT</b>	1,918,784	374,063	
Carried forward	2,415,837	588,733	

\* Expenditure in 1931-32 to be made from Revenue.

† Provided under Miscellaneous Services, payable from Revenue.

DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM LOAN FUND—continued.

Service	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
Brought forward	£ 2,415,837	£ 588,733	£
<b>Postmaster-General's Department.</b>			
Construction and extension of telegraphs and telephones, also construction of conduits and laying wires underground	2,537,489	1,248,197	*
Post Office Buildings	251,418	34,805	*
Land for Post and Telegraph purposes	Cr. 27,232	3,388	*
Erection of wireless stations and testing and experimental equipment	10,037	1,727	*
<b>Total POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT</b>	2,771,712	1,288,114	
<b>Federal Capital Territory.</b>			
Miscellaneous works and services	315,244	70,874	*
Loans for Housing	Cr. 66,591	42,203	*
Erection of Houses		150,000†	*
	248,653	263,077	
	23,000	16,103	
North Australia Commission	5,459,202	2,156,026	
<b>Less—</b>			
Repayments—			
Construction of Ships—Installments in respect of sale of ships	165,000	165,000	
War expenditure	2,669	2,206	
	167,669	167,206	
<b>Total EXPENDITURE FROM LOAN FUND</b>	5,291,533	4,988,820	
<b>REDEMPTIONS.</b>			
War Gratuity Bonds Redeemed and War Gratitudes paid in Cash	6,112	5,488	
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock—War	3,736,488	7,626,070	
Peace Savings Certificates	12,240		
Treasury Bills—short dated—			
London	1,400,116	1,400,116	
Australia			
Loans taken over from the State of South Australia—			
Northern Territory	850	650,100	
<b>Total REDEMPTIONS FROM LOAN FUND</b>	5,165,806	9,681,774	
<b>LOANS FOR THE STATES.</b>			
For Public Works and Redemptions	45,846,780	51,592,339	†
Development and Migration	381,746	337,743	
	46,228,526	51,930,582	

\* Expenditure in 1931-32 to be made from Revenue. † Amount not yet determined.

† Expended in 1927-28 from special loan provided by Commonwealth Bank for housing.

## STATEMENT OF INTEREST AND SINKING FUND PAYMENTS.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>INTEREST.</b>					
<b>UNDER SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.</b>					
War Loans .. .. .	13,046,625	13,760,538	13,121,840	13,487,589	10,917,700
War Gratuities .. .. .	2,154	1,252	1,143	1,071	1,000
Indebtedness to the Government of the United Kingdom under the Funding Arrangements Act .. .. .	4,191,410	4,123,842	4,052,910	3,978,446	3,920,300
Loans for Business Undertakings .. .. .	1,453,472	1,786,463	2,332,753	2,383,527	2,383,500
Loans for Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .	197,243	234,717	274,779	384,719	341,500
Loans for other Works and Services .. .. .	1,709,615	1,962,061	1,836,172	2,145,729	2,750,000
<b>UNDER ANNUAL VOTES.</b>					
Advances by Commonwealth Bank—					
Business Undertakings .. .. .	79,309	10,307			
Other .. .. .	669	8,165	172,093	257,410	
Northern Territory Loans taken over from the Government of South Australia—					
Business Undertakings .. .. .	33,352	33,282	33,282	22,005	10,740
Other .. .. .	8,338	8,320	8,321	6,411	2,639
Port Augusta Railway Loans taken over from the Government of South Australia .. .. .	36,966	35,745	34,713	33,803	34,700
Transferred Properties—Other .. .. .	3,889	3,889	3,889	3,889	3,890
<b>Total Interest .. .. .</b>	<b>20,762,242</b>	<b>21,968,634</b>	<b>21,871,886</b>	<b>22,704,801</b>	<b>20,366,019</b>
<b>SINKING FUNDS.</b>					
<b>Under Special Appropriations—</b>					
War Loans .. .. .	1,620,537	1,760,353	1,907,264	*	443,000†
Payment in reduction of indebtedness to the Government of the United Kingdom under the Funding Arrangements Act .. .. .	1,357,399	1,424,937	1,495,899	1,570,362	†
Loans for Business Undertakings .. .. .	522,450	568,879	612,604	750,353	838,000
Loans for Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .	11,149	11,215	11,579	22,437	24,000
Loans for other Works and Services .. .. .	121,936	129,125	136,686	87,111*	152,000
<b>Total Sinking Fund .. .. .</b>	<b>3,633,491</b>	<b>3,894,239</b>	<b>4,164,032</b>	<b>2,460,258</b>	<b>1,447,000</b>
<b>Total Interest and Sinking Fund .. .. .</b>	<b>24,395,733</b>	<b>25,862,873</b>	<b>26,035,927</b>	<b>25,164,859</b>	<b>21,813,019</b>

## SUMMARY OF ABOVE STATEMENT.

<b>War Debt—</b>					
Interest .. .. .	17,240,189	17,855,682	17,175,893	17,467,108	14,859,000
Sinking Fund .. .. .	2,977,986	3,185,320	3,403,163	1,570,362	443,000
	20,218,175	21,071,002	20,579,056	19,037,470	15,282,000
<b>Debt other than War—</b>					
Interest .. .. .	3,522,053	4,082,952	4,696,002	5,237,493	5,527,019
Sinking Fund .. .. .	655,506	708,919	760,889	889,896	1,004,000
	4,177,558	4,791,871	5,456,871	6,127,389	6,531,019
<b>Total Interest and Sinking Fund .. .. .</b>	<b>24,395,733</b>	<b>25,862,873</b>	<b>26,035,927</b>	<b>25,164,859</b>	<b>21,813,019</b>

\* In 1930-31 the Sinking Fund obligations in respect of War Loans amounted to approximately £1,633,000, and were fully met from Repatriation Money and half-profits of Commonwealth Bank which were paid direct to the Sinking Fund. In addition to £27,111, approximately £28,000 was provided from the same source towards Sinking Funds for Loans for Works, &c., purposes.  
† Represents balance to be provided from Revenue after allowing for estimated receipts from other sources.  
‡ Payment postponed for 1931-32 and 1932-33 by arrangement with the British Government.

## ALLOCATION OF INTEREST (OTHER THAN ON WAR LOANS).

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S ESTABLISHMENT.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	792	792	792	792	790
<b>PARLIAMENT.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .		29,827	32,898	31,812	32,000
<b>PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT.</b>					
Interest on Loans—					
Development and Migration .. .. .	143,876	266,470	344,788	362,320	400,000
Other .. .. .	549,256	550,041	541,613	533,737	522,150
Interest on Transferred Properties .. .. .	42,809	42,809	42,809	42,809	42,810
<b>Total PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT .. .. .</b>	<b>735,941</b>	<b>859,320</b>	<b>929,209</b>	<b>938,866</b>	<b>965,000</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.</b>					
Interest .. .. .	669	8,168	172,093	555,822	859,870
<b>DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	2,063	2,052	2,080	2,039	2,040
Interest on Transferred Properties .. .. .	672	672	672	672	670
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS .. .. .</b>	<b>2,735</b>	<b>2,724</b>	<b>2,752</b>	<b>2,711</b>	<b>2,710</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.</b>					
<b>MILITARY AND MUNITIONS SUPPLY.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	81,326	89,170	96,812	97,669	98,000
Interest on Transferred Properties .. .. .	120,391	120,391	120,391	120,391	120,500
<b>Total MILITARY AND MUNITIONS SUPPLY .. .. .</b>	<b>201,717</b>	<b>209,561</b>	<b>217,203</b>	<b>218,060</b>	<b>218,500</b>
<b>NAVAL.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	52,744	55,519	61,418	61,131	61,000
Interest on Transferred Properties .. .. .	15,491	15,491	15,491	15,491	15,500
<b>Total NAVAL .. .. .</b>	<b>68,235</b>	<b>71,010</b>	<b>76,909</b>	<b>76,622</b>	<b>76,500</b>
<b>AIR SERVICES.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	18,553	22,226	25,767	26,097	26,500
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE .. .. .</b>	<b>288,505</b>	<b>302,787</b>	<b>319,879</b>	<b>320,779</b>	<b>321,500</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.</b>					
<b>Other Services—</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	37	78	121	119	120
Interest on Transferred Properties .. .. .	31,129	31,129	31,129	31,129	31,200
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS .. .. .</b>	<b>31,166</b>	<b>31,207</b>	<b>31,250</b>	<b>31,248</b>	<b>31,320</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF WORKS.</b>					
Interest on Loans .. .. .	76,718	91,716	105,999	110,124	110,000
Interest on Transferred Properties .. .. .	4,171	4,171	4,171	4,171	4,200
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF WORKS .. .. .</b>	<b>80,889</b>	<b>95,887</b>	<b>110,170</b>	<b>114,295</b>	<b>114,200</b>
<b>Carried forward .. .. .</b>	<b>1,140,697</b>	<b>1,330,722</b>	<b>1,598,993</b>	<b>1,996,325</b>	<b>2,327,390</b>

## ALLOCATION OF INTEREST (OTHER THAN ON WAR LOANS)

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>PART I.—DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
Brought forward ..	1,140,097	1,330,722	1,698,993	1,996,325	2,327,390
<b>DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.</b>					
Interest on Loans ..	3,460	4,070	4,425	4,356	4,500
Interest on Transferred Properties ..	9,324	9,324	9,324	9,324	9,500
Total DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ..	12,784	13,394	13,749	13,680	14,000
<b>DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS.</b>					
Interest on Loans ..	13,908	26,201	31,212	30,181	31,000
<b>DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT.</b>					
Interest on Loans—					
Grafton-South Brisbane Railway ..	128,211	173,651	219,870	215,971	230,000
Other ..	69,659	79,591	86,502	84,878	85,000
Lighthouses—					
Interest on Loans ..	22,996	24,441	25,972	30,137	30,500
Interest on Transferred Properties ..	35,856	35,856	35,856	35,856	36,000
TOTAL DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT ..	256,722	313,539	368,200	366,842	391,500
TOTAL INTEREST ON ACCOUNT OF DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH ..	1,424,111	1,683,856	2,012,154	2,407,028	2,753,890

## PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.

<b>COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS.</b>					
Trans Australian Railway—					
Interest on Loans ..	119,152	122,463	126,898	127,830	130,000
Central Australia Railway—					
Interest on Loans taken over from the Government of South Australia ..	36,966	35,746	34,713	33,803	34,700
Interest on other Loans ..	66,903	114,310	176,771	174,210	170,000
North Australia Railway—					
Interest on Loans taken over from the Government of South Australia ..	33,352	33,282	33,282	22,005	10,740
Interest on Loans ..	87,618	114,510	117,236	140,921	132,000
Federal Territory Railway—					
Interest on Loans ..	1,180	1,449	1,591	1,550	1,500
New Railway Construction—					
Interest on Loans ..	62,445	40,978			
TOTAL INTEREST ON ACCOUNT OF COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS (carried forward) ..	407,640	462,728	490,491	500,319	478,940

## ALLOCATION OF INTEREST (OTHER THAN ON WAR LOANS).

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£

## PART II.—BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.

Brought forward ..	407,640	462,728	490,491	500,319	478,940
<b>POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>					
Interest on Loans ..	1,115,144	1,392,762	1,619,995	1,648,754	1,669,738
Interest on Advance from Commonwealth Bank ..	79,309	10,307			
Interest on Transferred Properties ..	290,262	290,262	290,262	290,262	290,262
TOTAL INTEREST ON ACCOUNT OF POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT ..	1,484,715	1,693,331	1,910,257	1,939,016	1,960,000
TOTAL INTEREST ON ACCOUNT OF BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS ..	1,892,361	2,156,059	2,400,748	2,439,335	2,428,940

## PART III.—TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Federal Capital Territory—					
Interest on Loans ..	178,435	214,764	254,236	352,777	310,000
Northern Territory—					
Interest on Loans taken over from the Government of South Australia ..	8,338	8,320	8,321	6,411	2,689
Interest on Loans ..	15,328	13,469	13,539	24,290	24,000
Papua—					
Interest on Loans ..	4,894	4,910	5,293	6,650	5,500
New Guinea—					
Interest on Loans ..	586	1,574	1,711	2,002	2,000
TOTAL INTEREST ON ACCOUNT OF TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH ..	205,581	243,037	283,100	391,130	344,189

## SUMMARY.

Part I.—Departments and Services other than Business Undertakings and Territories of the Commonwealth ..	1,424,111	1,683,856	2,012,154	2,407,028	2,753,890
Part II.—Business Undertakings ..	1,892,361	2,156,059	2,400,748	2,439,335	2,428,940
Part III.—Territories of the Commonwealth ..	205,581	243,037	283,100	391,130	344,189
TOTAL INTEREST ON LOANS OTHER THAN WAR ..	3,522,053	4,082,952	4,696,002	5,237,493	5,527,019

## ALLOCATION OF SINKING FUNDS (OTHER THAN ON WAR LOANS).

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>DEPARTMENTS AND SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S ESTABLISHMENT .. .. .	61	61	61	40	60
PARLIAMENT .. .. .		2,126	2,167	1,380	2,420
PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT .. .. .	48,179	48,179	48,917	30,041	52,420
DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS .. .. .	455	455	455	320	560
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE— Military and Munitions Supply .. .. .	19,985	20,464	21,303	13,380	23,350
Navy .. .. .	6,066	6,179	6,893	4,390	7,660
Air Services .. .. .	2,991	2,526	2,778	1,780	3,100
	28,432	29,109	30,872	19,550	34,110
DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS .. .. .	3,146	3,149	3,155	2,040	3,650
DEPARTMENT OF WORKS .. .. .	8,168	8,990	10,521	6,680	11,650
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH .. .. .	1,451	1,485	1,514	950	1,650
DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS .. .. .	1,898	2,067	3,050	1,910	3,330
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT (not including Commonwealth Railways) .. .. .	30,166	32,904	37,074	24,200	42,250
<b>Total Sinking Funds on Account of Departments and Services other than Business Undertakings and Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .</b>	<b>121,936</b>	<b>129,125</b>	<b>136,586</b>	<b>87,411</b>	<b>152,000</b>

## BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.

COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS—					
Trans-Australian Railway .. .. .	13,034	13,195	13,690	12,647	15,000
Central Australia Railway .. .. .	11,887	16,231	21,718	15,457	25,000
North Australia Railway .. .. .	16,302	16,747	16,960	9,609	17,500
Federal Territory Railway .. .. .	157	163	171	76	500
New Railway Construction .. .. .	6,031	4,178			
<b>Total COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS .. .. .</b>	<b>47,411</b>	<b>50,519</b>	<b>52,478</b>	<b>37,769</b>	<b>58,000</b>
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT .. .. .	475,009	518,050	550,125	742,559	770,000
<b>Total Sinking Fund on Account of Business Undertakings .. .. .</b>	<b>522,420</b>	<b>568,579</b>	<b>612,604</b>	<b>780,358</b>	<b>828,000</b>

## TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY .. .. .	8,280	8,280	8,567	18,286	19,000
NORTHERN TERRITORY .. .. .	2,391	2,391	2,391	3,888	4,000
PAPUA .. .. .	403	403	460	146	500
NEW GUINEA .. .. .	75	141	141	107	500
<b>Total Sinking Fund on Account of Territories of the Commonwealth .. .. .</b>	<b>11,149</b>	<b>11,215</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>22,427</b>	<b>24,000</b>
<b>Total Sinking Funds .. .. .</b>	<b>655,505</b>	<b>708,919</b>	<b>760,869</b>	<b>889,896</b>	<b>1,004,000</b>

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT,

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>GOVERNOR-GENERAL.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Salary .. .. .	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	8,900
Governor-General's Office—					
Salaries .. .. .	1,983	642	414	343	350
Contingencies .. .. .	4,378	4,476	2,946	2,256	2,050
Miscellaneous .. .. .		2,000	2,000	500	
Repairs, Fittings, Furniture, Lighting, &c., .. .. .	10,152	21,576	15,329	11,064	10,177
Government Houses .. .. .	792	792	792	792	790
Interest .. .. .	61	61	61	40	60
Sinking Fund .. .. .					
Legal Costs—Admiralty House .. .. .					
<b>Total GOVERNOR-GENERAL .. .. .</b>	<b>27,368</b>	<b>39,547</b>	<b>31,577</b>	<b>24,985</b>	<b>22,327</b>
<b>PARLIAMENT.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of Parliament .. .. .	81,941	73,940	78,039	75,764	64,400
Miscellaneous .. .. .	15,300	15,900	15,300	15,300	11,858
Salaries of Ministers .. .. .					
Allowances to Senators and Members of the House of Representatives .. .. .	109,530	109,261	109,263	109,516	88,000
Printing .. .. .	37,888	24,388	35,003	31,644	27,300
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture .. .. .	3	1,354	345	345	600
Public Works Committee .. .. .	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,600
Public Accounts Committee .. .. .	1,355	999	1,965	1,362	1,600
Travelling Expenses of Members and others .. .. .	28,074	26,725	26,699	25,006	25,000
Rent .. .. .		203	244		
Electoral Office—Election Expenses, Redistribution of States into Electoral Divisions, &c. .. .. .	120,361	127,429	129,516	114,056	106,816
Commonwealth Elections and Referenda .. .. .		118,831	106,932	1,717	93,000
Maintenance of Members' Rooms, Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, and Hobart .. .. .	4,455	4,622	4,972	4,982	5,100
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. .. .	3,402	3,844	3,695	3,297	3,700
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	1,538	1,851	2,255	2,326	2,500
Special Annuity Act .. .. .	156	156	156	156	156
Special Allowance to widow of the late Senator E. J. Russell .. .. .	156	156	156	156	156
Parliamentary Visit to Papua and New Guinea .. .. .	984				
Royal Commissions .. .. .	12,787	8,105	1,389	31,812	32,000
Interest .. .. .		2,126	3,167	1,380	2,420
Sinking Fund .. .. .					
Funeral expenses of late Members of Commonwealth Parliament .. .. .		617	100		
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations .. .. .</b>	<b>419,930</b>	<b>557,763</b>	<b>555,701</b>	<b>420,915</b>	<b>467,706</b>
<b>New-Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .		638,500	689		
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .			5,334		
<b>Total PARLIAMENT .. .. .</b>	<b>419,930</b>	<b>1,196,263</b>	<b>561,724</b>	<b>420,915</b>	<b>467,706</b>

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on the Estimates of the Department .. .. .	294,885	271,806	259,468	234,225	204,885
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	93,767	88,875	93,940	200,570	96,644
Audit Office (excluding Audit of Defence, Customs, Business Undertakings, and Territories of the Commonwealth) ..	33,127	35,067	36,121	33,234	28,365
Unforeseen .. .. .	165	244	122	27	..
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings and Furniture, &c. .. .. .	5,003	5,229	2,364	261	400
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	24,589	14,310	12,094	6,721	6,624
Pensions and Retiring Allowances ..	4,026	2,857	2,802	1,894	1,020
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	2,046	2,577	3,376	3,504	3,400
Salary of High Commissioner .. .. .	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,250
Salary of Auditor-General .. .. .	1,750	1,750	1,750	1,750	1,397
Commonwealth Public Service Board of Commissioners .. .. .	6,500	6,416	5,904	4,407	1,550
Salaries of Commissioners, Development and Migration Commission .. .. .	8,097	9,905	12,147	..	..
Science and Industry Research—Remuneration of Members of Council ..	2,599	2,217	3,580	3,231	2,600
Interest .. .. .	735,941	859,320	929,209	938,866	965,000
Sinking Fund .. .. .	48,179	48,179	46,917	30,941	52,420
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b> ..	<b>1,269,274</b>	<b>1,351,752</b>	<b>1,411,824</b>	<b>1,461,731</b>	<b>1,368,465</b>
Scientific and Industrial Investigations ..	250,000	..	..	..	..
New Works, Buildings, Sites, &c.—	..	..	..	..	..
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	237	195	..	..	Cr. 165,000
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	Cr. 163,216	Cr. 86,784	Cr. 165,000	Cr. 165,000	..
<b>Total PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT</b> ..	<b>1,356,295</b>	<b>1,265,163</b>	<b>1,246,824</b>	<b>1,290,731</b>	<b>1,201,465</b>

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department .. .. .	680,707	601,171	604,425	653,688	615,500
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	54,215	65,842	33,243	30,933	26,860
Salaries of Commissioner and Second Commissioner of Land Tax .. .. .	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,500	2,713
Income Tax Board of Review .. .. .	4,739	4,699	4,654	4,401	4,000
Land Valuation Board .. .. .	804	2,118	2,045	2,083	2,800
Royal Commissions .. .. .	9,323	8,099	92	..	..
National Insurance Advisory Committee ..	1,356	178	..	..	..
Supervision of Works .. .. .	10	2	..	1	..
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	2,340	2,290	664	1,325	1,000
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	13,531	13,382	13,137	6,995	7,191
Pensions and Retiring Allowances ..	1,741	2,635	2,267	2,567	2,306
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	3,043	3,868	4,723	5,991	4,970
Interest .. .. .	669	8,168	171,762	555,822	869,870
Exchange .. .. .	..	..	98,397	147,737	713,000
Unforeseen .. .. .	..	91	71	137	300
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b> ..	<b>777,083</b>	<b>716,543</b>	<b>938,940</b>	<b>1,415,170</b>	<b>2,240,510</b>
Invalid and Old-age Pensions .. .. .	9,790,346	10,124,233	10,791,325	11,710,953	10,850,000
Maternity Allowance .. .. .	678,920	661,520	642,990	630,852	400,000
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY</b> ..	<b>11,246,349</b>	<b>11,502,302</b>	<b>12,373,255</b>	<b>13,756,776</b>	<b>13,490,510</b>
New Works, Buildings, Sites, &c.—	..	72	..	..	..
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	..	72	..	..	..
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY</b> ..	<b>11,246,349</b>	<b>11,502,374</b>	<b>12,373,255</b>	<b>13,756,776</b>	<b>13,490,510</b>
<b>ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department .. .. .	154,370	179,794	184,791	180,140	156,500
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	15,045	2,684	1,850	1,093	800
Salaries of Justices of the High Court ..	21,500	21,328	17,928	17,371	18,500
Court of Conciliation and Arbitration—	..	..	..	..	..
Salaries of Deputy Presidents .. .. .	2,000	2,000	1,468	..	..
Salaries of Chief Judge and Judges ..	11,035	10,500	10,500	8,208	8,000
Salary of Judge of Bankruptcy Court ..	..	..	..	2,292	2,500
Salary Public Service Arbitrator .. ..	2,000	2,000	1,838	628	1,550
Salary of Industrial Registrar .. .. .	850	850	712	839	680
Salaries of Peace-Officers .. .. .	3,717	2,162	674	7	..
Pensions of Justices .. .. .	..	..	1,411	1,500	1,200
Pensions and Retiring Allowances ..	5	..	60	263	300
Unforeseen .. .. .	7	3	..	..	..
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	7,824	2,473	2,176	1,402	1,000
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	12,180	21,638	20,437	17,222	16,753
Government contributions under the Superannuation Act .. .. .	1,260	1,312	1,648	2,234	2,000
Supervision of Works .. .. .	4	1	..	..	..
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b> ..	<b>231,697</b>	<b>246,745</b>	<b>245,491</b>	<b>233,199</b>	<b>209,783</b>
New Works, Buildings, &c.—	..	600	..	..	..
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	..	600	..	..	..
<b>Total ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT</b> ..	<b>231,697</b>	<b>247,345</b>	<b>245,491</b>	<b>233,199</b>	<b>209,783</b>



TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS (NOT INCLUDING TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH).</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department .. .. .	180,235.	182,331	129,833	126,893	109,084
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	53,090	9,448	2,606	1,031	1,200
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	10,219	21,670	17,716	6,302	6,238
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	6,350	2,766	2,128	1,628	1,250
Supervision of Works .. .. .	12	21	1	9	10
Interest .. .. .	2,735	2,724	2,702	2,711	2,710
Sinking Fund .. .. .	455	455	455	320	550
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. .. .	2,404	2,441	3,197	3,676	2,820
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	3,373	3,778	4,331	5,695	4,775
Unforeseen .. .. .	35	80	3		
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations ..</b>	<b>208,918</b>	<b>175,714</b>	<b>162,872</b>	<b>148,264</b>	<b>128,647</b>
Petroleum Prospecting .. .. .			18,890	10,000	1,000
Geophysical Survey .. .. .	20,000				
New Works, Buildings, Sites, &c.— Paid from Revenue .. .. .	890	30,113			
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS</b>	<b>229,808</b>	<b>205,827</b>	<b>181,772</b>	<b>158,264</b>	<b>129,647</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.</b>					
<b>CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION, MILITARY AND MUNITIONS SUPPLY.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department .. .. .	1,309,069	1,296,264	1,478,724	1,386,996	1,175,504
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .			250		
Audit .. .. .	6,272	6,686	9,647	6,302	4,830
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies .. .. .	22,810	23,088	23,890	5,243	5,773
Supervision of Works .. .. .	112	340	111	189	190
Unforeseen .. .. .			9	28	
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	6,231	5,070	6,514	4,744	5,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	22,132	25,507	41,012	20,306	20,800
Overhaul of and Repairs to Boats and Launches .. .. .	500	968	423	306	400
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. .. .	1,282	1,193	1,117	1,174	1,300
Carried forward .. .. .	1,368,468	1,363,116	1,561,697	1,425,288	1,213,797

TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—<i>continued.</i></b>					
<b>CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION, MILITARY AND MUNITIONS SUPPLY—<i>continued.</i></b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—<i>continued.</i></b>					
Brought forward .. .. .	1,368,468	1,363,116	1,561,697	1,425,288	1,213,797
Exchange .. .. .				42,933	74,000
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	15,269	19,160	22,782	36,162	23,000
Interest .. .. .	201,717	209,561	217,303	218,060	218,500
Sinking Fund .. .. .	19,955	20,404	21,203	13,380	23,350
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations— Hon. New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.— Paid from Revenue .. .. .</b>	<b>1,605,429</b>	<b>1,612,241</b>	<b>1,822,865</b>	<b>1,735,823</b>	<b>1,552,647</b>
<b>Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .</b>	<b>138,123</b>	<b>125,759</b>	<b>104,332</b>	<b>38,925</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION, MILITARY AND MUNITIONS SUPPLY</b>	<b>1,800,275</b>	<b>1,738,803</b>	<b>1,959,071</b>	<b>1,781,681</b>	<b>1,580,043</b>
<b>NAVAL.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department .. .. .	2,014,484	1,891,504	2,026,955	1,677,378	1,411,637
Audit .. .. .	2,465	2,462	6,729	2,557	2,280
Unforeseen .. .. .			48		
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	1,192	1,308	8,605	2,101	800
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	39,309	42,412	25,561	22,520	19,500
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies .. .. .	16,133	15,008	14,860	7,187	5,475
Supervision of Works .. .. .	43	52	54	34	20
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. .. .	1,292	1,251	1,251	1,208	1,100
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	1,252	1,200	1,556	3,077	2,000
Interest .. .. .	68,235	71,010	76,909	76,623	76,500
Sinking Fund .. .. .	6,056	6,179	6,893	4,390	7,560
Exchange .. .. .				38,698	67,000
Legal Costs—Ownership, Garden Island .. .. .	557	2,047			
Naval Conferences .. .. .	1,109		2,112		
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations ..</b>	<b>2,152,217</b>	<b>2,034,443</b>	<b>2,174,533</b>	<b>1,834,773</b>	<b>1,593,972</b>
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.— Paid from Revenue .. .. .</b>	<b>104,525</b>	<b>72,910</b>	<b>9,973</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>4,950</b>
<b>Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .</b>	<b>82,303</b>	<b>36,907</b>	<b>93,230</b>	<b>6,224</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total NAVAL</b>	<b>2,319,045</b>	<b>2,144,260</b>	<b>2,277,736</b>	<b>1,841,905</b>	<b>1,598,922</b>
Carried forward .. .. .	4,119,320	3,883,063	4,236,807	3,623,589	3,178,965

TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—<i>continued.</i></b>					
Brought forward .. .. .	4,119,320	3,883,063	4,236,807	3,623,659	3,178,955
<b>AIR SERVICES.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Air Services .. .. .	377,176	407,033	497,393	482,985	467,650
Rent of Aerodromes, &c. . . . .	672	916	702	797	1,300
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies .. . . .	15,877	9,867	13,160	9,338	6,637
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. . . . .	13,504	12,808	15,334	15,005	13,900
Interest .. .. .	18,553	22,226	25,767	26,097	26,800
Sinking Fund .. .. .	2,391	2,525	2,776	1,780	3,100
Inquiry—Long distance flights .. . . .		2,300			
Expedition to recover bodies of deceased aviators .. . . .		117		11,170	19,000
Exchange .. .. .					
Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations .. . . .	428,173	457,823	555,132	547,172	527,987
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	8,971	55,015	55,006	9,901	43,400
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	107,143	40,530	32,740	22,382	
Total Air Services .. . . .	544,287	553,368	642,878	579,435	541,387
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year .. . . .	4,063,007	4,436,431	4,879,085	4,203,024	3,720,352
Ordinary Votes and Appropriations .. . . .					56,491
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE (excluding War Expenditure)</b>	<b>4,063,007</b>	<b>4,436,431</b>	<b>4,879,085</b>	<b>4,203,024</b>	<b>3,663,801</b>
<b>SPECIAL DEFENCE PROVISION,</b>					
Developmental Programme .. . . .	995,911	947,678			
Naval Construction .. .. .	2,000,000				
Reserve for Defence .. .. .	120,000				
Development of Civil Aviation .. . . .	200,000				
	4,215,911	947,678			
<b>DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department .. . . .	632,084	639,982	638,893	613,306	498,000
Other Miscellaneous Services .. . . .	4,865	2,046	4,350	7,353	160
Iron and Steel Products Bounty .. . . .	243,626	305,583	260,387	144,012	12,000
Shale Oil Bounty .. .. .	428				
Sulphur Bounty .. .. .	57,877	62,009	55,018	48,520	40,000
Wine Export Bounty .. .. .	482,845	76,454	83,210	96,879	85,000
Cotton Industries Bounty .. . . .	105,800	98,568	118,967	157,933	140,000
Flax and Lined Bounty .. .. .					5,000
Gold Bounty .. .. .					100,000
Unforeseen .. .. .	110				
Royal Commissions .. .. .	2,178				
Audit .. .. .	10,045	9,421	2,323	10,332	9,190
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies .. . . .	5,631	7,062	7,760	1,012	2,065
Supervision of Works .. .. .	16	46	34	34	10
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	6,302	6,935	6,438	2,904	3,030
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. . . . .	12,963	8,352	5,413	3,065	4,000
Overhaul of and Repairs to Launches .. . . .	1,456	1,150	1,794	985	1,250
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. . . .	20,304	20,600	19,769	19,544	18,210
Government Contributions under the Superannuation Act .. . . .	14,618	17,075	20,563	20,856	20,479
Carried forward .. .. .	1,601,196	1,244,333	1,224,954	1,124,735	941,384

TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS—<i>continued.</i></b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—<i>continued.</i></b>					
Brought forward .. .. .	1,601,196	1,244,333	1,224,954	1,124,735	941,384
Tarif inquiry .. .. .		426			
Conference on Customs restrictions .. . . .	450				
Interest .. .. .	31,166	31,207	31,250	31,248	31,320
Sinking Fund .. .. .	3,146	3,149	3,165	2,040	3,500
Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations .. . . .	1,635,858	1,279,115	1,259,359	1,158,023	976,264
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	11,973	5,245	8,705		1,170
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	2	862	769	7	
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS</b>	<b>1,647,933</b>	<b>1,285,222</b>	<b>1,268,833</b>	<b>1,158,030</b>	<b>977,434</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF WORKS.</b>					
(Not including Business Undertakings or Commonwealth Territories.)					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure provided for on Estimates of the Department of Works .. . . .	20,768	23,075	20,246	69,919	47,463
Miscellaneous services .. .. .	1,406	1,784	1,565	1,023	1,250
Unforeseen .. .. .			32		
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	2,407	2,013	1,695	564	510
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. . . . .	2,978	2,620	3,405	2,176	4,000
Interest .. .. .	80,889	95,887	110,170	114,236	114,200
Sinking Fund .. .. .	8,168	8,990	10,521	6,850	11,650
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. . . .	925	925	925	925	930
Government Contributions under the Superannuation Act .. . . .	1,316	1,499	1,862	2,235	2,026
Public Works Staff—Excluding Proportion for other Departments .. . . .	4,041	3,332	4,440	8,403	4,813
Supervision of Works .. .. .	2	14	3	14	10
Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations .. . . .	122,890	140,139	154,864	206,239	186,862
Less amount estimated to remain unexpended at close of year .. . . .					7,120
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					179,732
Paid from Revenue .. .. .					125,000
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	250,633	250,000	200,000	122,000	
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF WORKS</b>	<b>373,523</b>	<b>390,139</b>	<b>354,864</b>	<b>328,239</b>	<b>304,732</b>

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
<b>Expenditure provided for on the Estimates of the Department</b>					
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	143,793	137,620	134,652	127,783	109,500
Interest .. .. .	74,906	101,217	92,895	61,793	51,025
Sinking Fund .. .. .	12,784	13,394	13,749	13,680	14,000
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	1,461	1,485	1,614	969	1,660
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	2,873	3,296	4,184	3,415	3,521
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies .. .. .	21,041	17,830	13,353	5,502	4,050
Supervision of Works .. .. .	5,426	10,158	11,350	3,863	1,876
Overhaul of and Repairs to Launches .. .. .	1	10	18	26	10
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	6,124	5,010	2,962	2,976	2,470
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. .. .	635	834	1,176	1,221	1,300
Royal Commission .. .. .	5,303	249		88	
Unforeseen .. .. .		9			
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b>	<b>274,337</b>	<b>291,112</b>	<b>275,233</b>	<b>221,297</b>	<b>188,411</b>
Purchase of Radium .. .. .	100,000				
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	9,013	20,961	24,380	6,981	15,300
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	4,773	10,207	3,748	10,646	
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH</b>	<b>388,123</b>	<b>322,280</b>	<b>303,361</b>	<b>238,924</b>	<b>204,711</b>
<b>DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
<b>Expenditure provided for on the Estimates of the Department</b>					
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	99,309	100,573	112,945	119,809	99,000
Interest .. .. .	5,324	5,635	18,325	13,071	7,400
Sinking Fund .. .. .	13,908	26,201	31,212	30,181	31,000
Canned Fruit Bounty .. .. .	1,898	2,667	3,050	1,910	3,330
Dried Fruits Export Control .. .. .	569				
Dairy Produce Export Control .. .. .	3,937	3,819	4,990	5,500	5,500
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	27,523	42,753	46,152	38,779	27,500
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, &c. .. .. .	21,284	22,374	22,598	24,309	20,000
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	3,150	2,930	2,420	1,958	1,222
Supervision of Works .. .. .	1,067	483	306	358	500
Portion of Salaries .. .. .	311	324	365	403	300
Wine Overseas Marketing .. .. .	250	250			
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b>	<b>178,640</b>	<b>208,012</b>	<b>242,663</b>	<b>248,411</b>	<b>212,252</b>
Assistance to Marketing of Primary Production .. .. .		50,000	50,000	31,000	19,500
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	80,000	230,938	50,000		
Advances for the purchase of Wire Netting .. .. .					
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS</b>	<b>258,640</b>	<b>488,850</b>	<b>342,663</b>	<b>279,411</b>	<b>231,752</b>

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS AND TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—continued.</b>					
<b>DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
<b>Expenditure provided for on the Estimates of the Department</b>					
Miscellaneous Services .. .. .	340,846	337,216	310,396	259,638	231,800
Government contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	2,206	4,402	3,197	12,581	576
Overhaul of and repairs to boats and launches .. .. .	14,469	8,497	11,842	4,269	3,800
Pensions and retiring allowances .. .. .	1,546	1,643	1,700	1,700	1,700
Government contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	150	150	150	150	150
Interest .. .. .	256,722	313,639	368,200	366,842	381,500
Sinking Fund .. .. .	30,156	32,904	37,974	24,200	42,230
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	4,361	5,403	4,962	1,623	2,363
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, &c. .. .. .	3,026	3,791	791	355	200
Development and Migration Commission—Portion of Salaries .. .. .	2,449	3,052			
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b>	<b>663,330</b>	<b>710,599</b>	<b>739,132</b>	<b>676,966</b>	<b>671,738</b>
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	108	10,527	980	3,481	94,626
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .					
Immigration .. .. .	281,353	132,815	57,705	68,000	
Grafton-South Brisbane Railway .. .. .	1,202,000	675,000	586,000	68,000	
War Service Homes .. .. .	752,583	1,673,451	999,964	154,806	
Other .. .. .	23,475	17,673	18,520	89,500	
<b>Total DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT</b>	<b>2,908,449</b>	<b>3,220,065</b>	<b>2,402,321</b>	<b>991,853</b>	<b>766,364</b>
<b>BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.</b>					
<b>COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
<b>Salary of Commonwealth Railways Commission .. .. .</b>					
Contribution to Railway Accident and Insurance Fund .. .. .	2,889	3,000	2,350	2,065	1,629
Commonwealth Railways—Miscellaneous .. .. .	6,300	1,088	998	875	1,302
Audit .. .. .	1,144	739	1,038	857	1,000
Government Contributions under Superannuation Act .. .. .	605	735	650	660	460
Exchange .. .. .	2,767	3,716	4,587	5,437	5,528
Traffic—Australian Railway .. .. .				38,281	65,000
Working Expenses .. .. .	236,176	301,621	294,990	251,677	238,500
Interest .. .. .	119,153	132,453	126,898	127,839	130,000
Sinking Fund .. .. .	19,034	18,159	18,600	12,647	15,000
Working Expenses .. .. .	165,306	198,213	198,108	157,076	128,500
Interest .. .. .	103,869	150,050	211,484	208,013	204,700
Sinking Fund .. .. .	11,897	16,231	21,718	15,457	25,000
North Australia Railway—					
Working Expenses .. .. .	57,567	54,697	56,155	55,606	52,000
Interest .. .. .	312,000	347,792	350,618	362,326	442,740
Sinking Fund .. .. .	16,308	16,747	16,800	5,959	17,500
Federal Territory Railway—					
Working Expenses .. .. .	6,688	10,504	8,458	6,344	7,000
Interest .. .. .	1,180	1,449	1,591	1,550	1,500
Sinking Fund .. .. .	167	168	171	76	500
New Railway Construction—					
Interest .. .. .	62,445	40,978			
Sinking Fund .. .. .	6,031	4,178			
<b>Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations</b>	<b>3,987,788</b>	<b>4,130,756</b>	<b>3,741,035</b>	<b>3,056,806</b>	<b>2,930,860</b>
(Carried forward)					

TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS—<i>continued.</i></b>					
<b>COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i></b>					
Brought forward .. .. .	996,768	1,087,560	1,109,405	1,096,806	1,030,860
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	..	..	..	..	57,000
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	1,216,583	878,691	255,995	61,657	..
Total Commonwealth Railways ..	2,213,351	1,966,251	1,365,400	1,118,463	1,087,860
<b>POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>					
<b>Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
Expenditure under the control of the Department .. .. .	10,003,931	10,037,910	10,068,902	9,641,910	5,192,831
Audit .. .. .	11,149	11,593	12,150	12,930	9,350
Unforeseen .. .. .	140	107	87	102	100
Public Works Staff—Salaries and Contingencies .. .. .	68,500	68,000	68,000	21,289	17,500
Supervision of Works .. .. .	299	399	248	329	250
Rent of Buildings .. .. .	40,625	39,568	38,371	31,115	31,000
Repairs, Maintenance, Fittings, Furniture, &c. .. .. .	110,483	88,287	90,774	37,674	65,150
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .. .. .	102,173	110,605	110,030	110,480	109,300
Government Contributions under the Superannuation Act .. .. .	93,431	112,546	136,095	156,822	149,400
Interest .. .. .	1,484,715	1,693,331	1,910,237	1,939,016	1,950,000
Sinking Fund .. .. .	475,009	518,060	560,125	742,569	770,000
Exchange .. .. .	..	..	..	300,115	530,000
Betterment Tax, General Post Office, Sydney .. .. .	638	319	319	319	319
Royal Commission—Wireless .. .. .	1,883	..	..	..	..
Total Ordinary Votes and Appropriations	12,392,976	12,680,725	13,025,358	12,994,870	11,825,200
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue Fund .. .. .	874	9,347	..	..	550,000
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	3,704,927	3,093,870	2,771,712	1,288,114	..
Total POSTMASTER - GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT	16,098,777	15,693,942	15,797,070	14,282,984	2,375,200
Total BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS ..	18,312,128	17,660,193	17,102,470	15,401,447	13,463,06

TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH (NOT INCLUDING BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS).</b>					
<b>Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
<b>FEDERAL CAPITAL TERRITORY.</b>					
General Services .. .. .	95,984	20,727	54,825	129,272	128,270
Education .. .. .	..	..	14,993	22,338	19,830
Industrial Board .. .. .	..	..	33	427	..
Law Courts and Titles Office .. .. .	..	..	..	688	2,105
Public Works staff .. .. .	..	..	7,547	18,000	16,000
Repairs and Maintenance, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	33,016	30,400
Water Supply and Sewerage .. .. .	..	..	13,840	21,570	21,000
Electric Supply .. .. .	..	..	..	28,561	28,000
Health .. .. .	..	..	4,220	17,495	17,150
Commonwealth Police .. .. .	3,873	7,577	7,532	5,339	5,313
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	..	1,948	1,700
Audit .. .. .	307	..	..	1,210	1,090
Interest .. .. .	178,435	214,764	254,236	352,777	310,000
Sinking Fund .. .. .	8,289	8,280	8,587	18,286	19,000
Total Federal Capital Territory	286,879	251,348	365,813	650,827	599,878
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	8,759	52,247	101,624	35,325	90,500
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	998,607	555,000	218,653	263,077	..
Total Federal Capital Territory	1,284,145	858,595	716,090	949,229	690,378
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY (excluding transferred Departments and Railways).</b>					
<b>Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—</b>					
General Services .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Public Works Staff .. .. .	95,237	105,781	100,873	103,870	111,221
Interest on Loans .. .. .	6,250	5,725	4,304	2,253	6,150
Sinking Fund .. .. .	21,666	21,789	21,860	30,701	26,689
Audit .. .. .	2,391	2,391	2,391	3,888	4,000
Repairs and Maintenance .. .. .	420	420	420	420	350
Total Northern Territory	132,768	145,380	138,925	149,152	161,680
<b>New Works, Buildings, Sites, &amp;c.—</b>					
Paid from Revenue .. .. .	25,553	16,695	12,825	10,918	14,735
Paid from Loan Fund .. .. .	22,900	40,800	23,000	16,103	..
Total Northern Territory	181,211	202,875	174,250	176,173	176,415
Carried forward .. .. .	1,475,356	1,061,470	890,340	1,125,402	866,793

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT—continued.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH (NOT INCLUDING BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS)—continued.</b>					
Brought forward ..	1,475,356	1,061,470	890,340	1,125,402	866,793
<b>PAPUA.</b>					
Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—					
General Services ..	53,562	52,000	44,000	47,000	42,000
Audit ..	88	88	100	132	43
Interest ..	4,684	4,010	5,293	5,550	5,500
Sinking Fund ..	403	403	460	146	500
Bounties ..	10	10		41	
New Works, Buildings, Sites, &c.—	58,947	57,411	49,853	52,959	48,043
Paid from Revenue ..	2,000				
Paid from Loan Fund ..			7,500	7,500	
<b>NEW GUINEA.</b>	60,947	57,411	57,353	60,469	46,043
Ordinary Votes and Appropriations—					
Interest ..	586	1,574	1,711	2,002	2,000
Sinking Fund ..	75	141	141	107	500
Grant to be used in the interest of Native Races ..	10,000	10,000	10,000	5,000	
Royal Commission—Mining Leases ..	2,634				
Bounties ..	195	1,631	1,059	945	1,300
New Works, Buildings, Sites, &c.—	13,490	13,346	12,911	8,052	3,700
Paid from Loan Fund ..		20,000		7,000	
<b>Total New Guinea ..</b>	13,490	33,346	12,911	15,054	3,700
<b>NORFOLK ISLAND.</b>					
Grant for expenses of Administration, &c. ..	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000	3,500
<b>Total TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH ..</b>	1,553,793	1,156,227	964,604	1,204,925	922,036

## WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES.

Under Ordinary Votes and Appropriations ..	29,006,212	30,097,751	30,099,806	29,506,218	24,750,000
Expenditure from Loan Fund ..	Cr. 23,741	Cr. 12,972	Cr. 2,669	Cr. 2,206	
<b>Total WAR AND REPATRIATION SERVICES ..</b>	28,982,471	30,084,779	30,097,137	29,504,012	24,750,000

## TOTAL COST OF EACH DEPARTMENT.

## SYNOPSIS OF FOREGOING STATEMENT.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Estimate, 1931-32.
	£	£	£	£	£
<b>SERVICES OTHER THAN BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS, TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH, AND PAYMENTS TO OR FOR THE STATES.</b>					
Ordinary services from Revenue ..	25,051,019	21,604,885	22,073,441	22,714,583	21,553,450
New Works from Revenue ..	192,440	196,441	131,587	28,202	116,842
New Works from Loan Fund ..	2,719,172	3,745,768	1,987,342	347,575	
	27,962,631	25,547,084	24,102,370	23,090,360	21,670,292
<b>War and Repatriation expenditure—</b>					
From Revenue ..	29,006,212	30,097,751	30,099,806	29,506,218	24,750,000
From Loan Fund ..	Cr. 23,741	Cr. 12,972	Cr. 2,669	Cr. 2,206	
<b>Total Services, other than Business Undertakings, Territories, &amp;c.</b>	56,945,102	55,631,863	54,289,507	52,594,372	46,420,292
<b>BUSINESS UNDERTAKINGS.</b>					
Ordinary services from Revenue ..	13,389,744	13,768,285	14,134,763	14,051,676	12,856,060
New Works from Revenue ..	874	9,347			607,000
New Works from Loan Fund ..	4,921,510	3,882,561	3,027,707	1,349,771	
<b>Total Business Undertakings ..</b>	18,312,128	17,660,193	17,162,470	15,401,447	13,463,060
<b>TERRITORIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.</b>					
Ordinary services from Revenue ..	496,074	471,485	571,502	865,002	816,801
New Works from Revenue ..	36,312	68,942	113,949	46,243	105,235
Loan Fund ..	1,021,407	615,800	279,153	293,680	
<b>Total Territories of the Commonwealth ..</b>	1,553,793	1,156,227	964,604	1,204,925	922,036
<b>Total Expenditure of the Commonwealth ..</b>	76,811,023	74,448,283	72,416,581	69,200,744	60,895,388
<b>REDEMPTIONS FROM REVENUE AND LOAN FUND ..</b>	23,885,930	6,803,391	5,156,906	9,651,774	

## TOTAL WAR AND REPATRIATION EXPENDITURE.

(Details of Expenditure for 1929-30 and 1930-31. are shown on pages 35, 36, and 49.)

	Expenditure from War Loan Fund on War and Repatriation Service	Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue Fund.		Total
		War and Repatriation Service, including War Pensions.	Interest and Sinking Fund.	
	£	£	£	£
1914-15 .. .. .	14,100,000	896,190	115,145	15,111,335
1915-16 .. .. .	37,423,568	1,718,887	2,069,491	41,201,946
1916-17 .. .. .	53,114,237	2,439,271	5,989,058	61,541,566
1917-18 .. .. .	55,028,180	4,049,955	7,813,286	66,891,421
1918-19 .. .. .	59,547,080	9,966,927	11,283,174	80,800,181
1919-20 .. .. .	43,294,764	8,976,793	15,774,938	68,046,495
1920-21 .. .. .	24,148,501	10,242,345	23,043,888	57,434,734
1921-22 .. .. .	7,576,977	10,261,471	21,076,693	38,914,141
1922-23 .. .. .	1,762,694	9,298,560	20,801,912	31,863,166
1923-24 .. .. .	691,247	8,161,230	20,608,876	29,461,353
1924-25 .. .. .	Cr. 32,051	8,232,556	20,250,105	28,460,710
1925-26 .. .. .	Cr. 7,613	8,473,717	20,698,133	29,164,237
1926-27 .. .. .	23,938	8,614,901	20,495,082	29,333,021
1927-28 .. .. .	Cr. 23,741	8,788,037	20,218,175	28,988,471
1928-29 .. .. .	Cr. 12,972	9,026,749	21,071,002	30,084,779
1929-30 .. .. .	Cr. 2,669	9,520,750	20,579,056	30,097,137
1930-31 .. .. .	Cr. 2,206	10,468,748†	19,037,470	29,504,012
Discounts and expenses of flotation of Loans, including redemption and conversion loans .. .. .	5,948,874			5,948,874
Indebtedness to Government of the United Kingdom for payments made, services rendered and goods supplied during the war .. .. .	43,398,098			43,398,098
War Gratuities .. .. .	27,040,258	452,295		27,492,548*
Totals to 30th June, 1931 .. .. .	378,017,159	129,788,582	270,918,464†	778,724,235
Total cost of War to 30th June, 1931, exclusive of Interest and Sinking Fund .. .. .	502,805,741			

\* In addition War Gratuity Funds amounting to £16,941 had not been redeemed at 30th June, 1931.  
† Figures: £230,007,598. Sinking Fund: £3,251,415.  
‡ Includes exchange amounting to £1,149,246.

## POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

(Exclusive of Central Office and Radio Service.)

NUMBER OF OFFICERS and total Salaries provided in Estimates, also Average Salary per Officer.

	Year.	Number of Officers.	Total Salaries provided.	Average Salary per Officer.
			£	£
New South Wales .. .. .	1925-27	9,981	2,432,475	243·7
	1927-28	10,212	2,619,033	256·5
	1928-29	10,302	2,632,241	261·3
	1929-30	10,381	2,755,299	265·4
	1930-31	10,152	2,762,892	272·2
Victoria .. .. .	1925-27	6,923	1,641,011	237·0
	1927-28	7,057	1,789,669	250·8
	1928-29	7,160	1,832,548	255·9
	1929-30	7,129	1,877,749	263·4
	1930-31	6,992	1,910,255	273·2
Queensland .. .. .	1925-27	3,805	944,523	248·2
	1927-28	3,725	962,304	258·3
	1928-29	3,568	943,151	264·5
	1929-30	3,426	947,160	276·5
	1930-31	3,285	948,706	288·9
South Australia, North Australia, and Central Australia	1925-27	2,776	652,135	234·9
	1927-28	2,970	712,996	240·1
	1928-29	2,852	734,602	257·6
	1929-30	2,775	744,454	268·3
	1930-31	2,717	748,355	275·4
Western Australia .. .. .	1925-27	1,803	463,400	257·0
	1927-28	1,864	498,740	267·6
	1928-29	1,812	500,661	276·3
	1929-30	1,806	509,468	282·1
	1930-31	1,770	510,751	288·6
Tasmania .. .. .	1925-27	896	217,719	243·0
	1927-28	891	233,294	261·8
	1928-29	888	238,919	269·0
	1929-30	868	244,255	281·4
	1930-31	842	242,098	287·5
Total	1925-27	26,184	6,351,263	242·6
	1927-28	26,719	6,796,036	254·4
	1928-29	26,580	6,942,122	261·2
	1929-30	26,385	7,078,385	268·3
	1930-31	25,768	7,123,141	276·5

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

STATEMENT A.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FROM 1901-2 TO 1931-32.

NOTE.—Funny postage was introduced into Victoria on 1st April, 1901, and was extended to the whole Commonwealth and the British Dominion on 1st May, 1931. On 23rd October, 1918, a War Postage Tax of 1d. was imposed, but the revenue from this source was not credited to Post Office Revenue. On 2nd October, 1920, the War Postage Tax was discontinued and the ordinary postage increased to 2d. On 1st October, 1923, the ordinary postage was reduced to 1½d. and it was restored to 2d. on 4th August, 1930.

Table with columns for years 1901-2 to 1931-32 and rows for Ordinary Revenue, Repayment of State, Contributions of Officers, Capital Expenditure, Total Receipts, Expenditure on New Works and Buildings, Receipts over Expenditure, Expenditure on New Works, Buildings, and Sites, and Total New Works, Buildings, and Sites.

STATEMENT B. DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE.

Table with columns for years 1902-27, 1927-28, 1928-29, 1929-30, 1930-31, and (Estimate) 1931-32, and rows for Salaries, Commissions, Mails, Wireless, Rent, Maintenance, Supervision of Works, Interest, Sinking Fund, Exchange, Pensions, Government contributions, Miscellaneous, Less amount estimated to remain unexpended, Expenditure (not including New Works), and Total Expenditure.

COMPARISON OF DEFENCE, WAR, AND REPATRIATION EXPENDITURE. (For Details of War and Repatriation Expenditure see pages 36, 37, 45, and 46.)

Large table comparing Military and Air Services expenditure from 1901-2 to 1931-32. It includes sub-sections for Military and Air Services, with columns for various expenditure categories like War and Defence, Loans, and Special Provisions.

\* As separate accounts were not always kept, the Military receipts for these years include some amounts which properly belong to the Air Services.
† Includes £2,450,000 absorbed from surplus at 30th June, 1927.
‡ £ 0 10 amount £26,000 is estimated to remain unexpended at the close of the year.

—In the year 1900-1 the approximate Defence Expenditure made by the State was:
1900-1 1,000,000
1901-2 1,000,000
1902-3 1,000,000
1903-4 1,000,000
1904-5 1,000,000
1905-6 1,000,000
1906-7 1,000,000
1907-8 1,000,000
1908-9 1,000,000
1909-10 1,000,000
1910-11 1,000,000
1911-12 1,000,000
1912-13 1,000,000
1913-14 1,000,000
1914-15 1,000,000
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1918-19 1,000,000
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1922-23 1,000,000
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1925-26 1,000,000
1926-27 1,000,000
1927-28 1,000,000
1928-29 1,000,000
1929-30 1,000,000
1930-31 1,000,000
1931-32 1,000,000





## EXPENDITURE ON ADDITIONS, NEW WORKS, BUILDINGS, ETC.

	1961-62 1962-67.	1967-68.	1968-69.	1969-70.	1970-71.	Total 1961-71.	Total 1961-71. Proposed Programme.
<b>Governor-General—</b>							
Kirribilli House, Sydney	15,529					15,529	15,529
<b>Parliament—</b>							
Parliament House, Canberra			385,500			385,500	644,523
Parliament House, Melbourne—Additional accommodation	2,786					2,786	2,786
<b>Total Parliament</b>	2,786		385,500			388,286	647,309
<b>Prisons—</b>							
Construction of new prisons	15,189,513*					15,189,513	14,444,513
London Office—Site and buildings	3,001,500					3,001,500	1,001,500
Contribution—Construction of roads by States	249,686					249,686	249,686
Subscription to capital of Refinery Company in association with <i>Oil Refineries Act 1960</i>	375,001					375,001	375,001
Williamstown, shipbuilding. Yard—building, plant, machinery and pumping plant	81,558†					81,558	81,558
Shipbuilding Yards, Maryborough	3,494,180					3,494,180	1,484,180
Purchase of 2000-ton crane	5,167					5,167	5,167
Parliament House, Melbourne—Site	7,940	237				8,177	7,772
Council for Scientific and Industrial Research— Equipment, &c.			395			395	772
<b>Total Prime Minister's Department</b>	8,556,187	Cr. 1,829,979	Cr. 86,569	Cr. 1,663,000	Cr. 1,663,000	17,671,101	18,427,288
<b>Departments of the Treasury—</b>							
Government Stationery and Note Printing Office— Machinery, plant, and materials	68,783†		72			68,855	68,855
Note Printing Branch—Site, and line for electric current	7,646					7,646	7,646
Machinery for coinage	2,103					2,103	2,103
King's Warehouse, Melbourne—Alterations for Stamp and Note Printing	10,945					10,945	10,945
Stamp and Note Printing	295					295	295
Taxation Office, Brisbane	84,772		72			84,844	84,844
<b>Total Department of the Treasury</b>	84,772		72			84,844	84,844
<b>Attorney-General's Department—</b>							
Law Courts, Canberra—Accommodation	283		600			883	600
High Court, Melbourne—Additional accommodation	3,251					3,251	3,251
Purchase of 2000-ton crane			600			600	600
<b>Total Attorney-General's Department</b>	3,534		600			4,134	4,134

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<b>Department of Home Affairs—</b>							
Solar Observatory	2,312					2,312	2,312
Wreck Station, Willis Island	9,547					9,547	9,547
Meteorological Bureau, and other items	46,959	890	30,113			47,859	47,859
Yar Memorial, Canberra						30,113	30,113
<b>Total Department of Home Affairs</b>	58,896	890	30,113			89,701	103,138
<b>Department of Defence—</b>							
Military and Munitions Supply—							
Warlike Stores and Munitions, including Field and Machine Guns, &c.	4,769,610					4,769,610	4,769,610
Warlike Stores and Munitions, including Field and Machine Guns, &c.						31,288	31,288
Food, fuel, other expenses in connexion with Warlike Stores and Munitions	1,151,577	60,050	43,000			1,254,627	1,311,648
Expenses in connexion with Warlike Stores and Munitions	1,664,750	50,992	49,614			1,765,356	1,796,774
Expenses of Sites for Defence and Munitions Supply purposes	516,948	9,831	231			527,010	527,010
Mobilisation and Ordnance Stores, Drill Halls, Barracks, Rifle Ranges, Fortifications, and other items	1,949,977	27,973	33,817			1,991,767	2,045,790
Royal Military College—Cost of Establishment	215,273					215,273	215,273
<b>Total Military</b>	9,071,894	101,611,375	126,582	136,188	1,45,858	101,992,024	101,992,024
<b>Naval—</b>							
Naval Base Works and Establishments, Buildings, Workshops, Machinery, Plant, Stores, &c.	4,259,943†					4,259,943	4,620,376
Fleet Construction	11,671,563	2,900,000	109,817			14,571,363	14,571,363
Purchase of Sites and Properties	159,449					159,449	159,449
Supply of 2000-ton crane. Works towards construction of Floating Dock at Walsh Island	67,500					67,500	135,000
<b>Total Naval</b>	16,190,475	3,666,828	109,817	103,203	7,135	19,482,408	19,792,225
<b>Air Services—</b>							
Buildings, Hangars, Equipment, Plant, &c.	956,006	115,041	94,566			1,065,613	1,065,613
Purchase of Properties and Sites	47,785	1,073	979			49,837	49,837
Special provision for equipment	200,000					200,000	200,000
<b>Total Air Services</b>	1,103,791	116,114	95,545			1,315,450	1,315,450
<b>Total Department of Defence</b>	2,717,641	37,509,390	331,924	327,185	85,237	46,746,314	46,746,314

\* Includes net charge of \$8,115.00 on War Loan Fund—11 paid from War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund—1 Not including expenditure made from Trust Fund.

† Includes net charge of \$1,962,930 on War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund.

‡ Includes net charge of \$1,962,930 on War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund—16 paid from War Loan Fund.



## STATEMENT SHOWING EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1931, UNDER LOANS RAISED FOR WORKS, REDEMPTION, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1930.	Expenditure during Year ended 30th June, 1931.	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1931.
	£	£	£
<b>PARLIAMENT.</b>			
Parliament House, Canberra .. .. .	643,834		643,834
<b>GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S ESTABLISHMENT.</b>			
Kirribilli House, Sydney .. .. .	15,000		15,000
<b>THE PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT.</b>			
Cockatoo Island Dockyard, Machinery and Plant, Yard and Floating Plant .. .. .	565,044		565,044
Cockatoo Island Dockyard, Engineering and other works ..	146,412		146,412
London Offices .. .. .	880,190		880,190
Subscription to capital of Commonwealth Oil Refineries Limited in accordance with Oil Agreement Act 1920 ..	343,751		343,751
Williamstown Shipbuilding Yard—Buildings, Plant and Machinery .. .. .	5,140		5,140
Williamstown Shipbuilding Yard—Pumping Plant .. .. .	17,115		17,115
Construction of ships .. .. .	8,559,060	Cr. 165,000	8,394,060
Contribution of Commonwealth towards construction of roads by States .. .. .	249,686		249,686
Loan to the Territory of New Guinea for Works .. .. .	33,496	7,000	40,496
Loan to Papua for Public Works .. .. .	47,500	7,500	55,000
Construction of Railway, Port Moresby to Astrolabe and construction of Wharves at Port Moresby and Samarai ..	28,556		28,556
Purchase of Wharf, Railway, Rolling-stock, Buildings, Material, and Equipment—Papua .. .. .	45,000		45,000
Total PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT .. .. .	10,918,956	Cr. 150,500	10,768,456
<b>DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS.</b>			
Federal Capital Territory— Works, Services, and Acquisition of Land in Federal Capital Territory .. .. .	7,087,417	113,077	7,200,494
Erection of Houses .. .. .		150,000*	150,000
Solar Observatory, Canberra—Erection of .. .. .	2,212		2,212
Acquisition of land at Fairy Meadow, New South Wales ..	31,717		31,717
Purchase of Properties and Sites .. .. .	6,973		6,973
Northern Territory .. .. .	95,100	16,103	111,203
Total DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS .. .. .	7,222,419	279,180	7,501,599
<b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.</b>			
<b>MILITARY.</b>			
Reserve of Rifles .. .. .	197,300		197,300
Reserve of Cartridges for Small Arms Ammunition .. .. .	18,000		18,000
Purchase of Property and Sites .. .. .	101,959		101,959
To be paid to the credit of Trust Fund Small Arms Ammunition Account for reserves of Small Arms Ammunition ..	100,000		100,000
Construction of Drill Halls, Mobilization Stores, Ordnance Stores, Rifle Ranges, Fortifications, Barracks and other Accommodation and Engineering Works .. .. .	426,626	458	427,084
Total MILITARY .. .. .	843,885	458	844,343
Carried forward .. .. .	18,800,203	128,680	18,928,883

\* Expended in 1927-28 from special loan provided by Commonwealth Bank for housing.

## STATEMENT SHOWING EXPENDITURE TO 30th JUNE, 1931, UNDER LOANS RAISED FOR WORKS, REDEMPTION, AND OTHER PURPOSES—continued.

	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1930.	Expenditure during Year ended 30th June, 1931.	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1931.
	£	£	£
Brought forward .. .. .	18,800,203	128,680	18,928,883
<b>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE—continued.</b>			
<b>NAVAL.</b>			
Construction of Fleet .. .. .	355,397		355,397
Flinders Naval Depot—Machinery and plant .. .. .	71,684		71,684
Naval Bases, Works, and Establishments .. .. .	1,253,643	6,229	1,259,872
Acquisition of land for Naval purposes .. .. .	23,300		23,300
Oil fuel storage facilities .. .. .	48,000		48,000
Subsidy to New South Wales towards construction of a Floating Dock at Walsh Island .. .. .	135,000		135,000
Total NAVAL .. .. .	1,887,024	6,229	1,893,253
<b>AIR SERVICES.</b>			
Purchase of Properties and Sites— Royal Australian Air Force .. .. .	22,985	1	22,986
Civil Aviation .. .. .	26,807		26,807
Construction of Buildings, Hangars, Workshops, Barracks, and Earthworks and preparation of aerial routes and landing grounds— Royal Australian Air Force .. .. .	441,269	8,705	450,024
Civil Aviation .. .. .	13,371	13,596	26,967
Total AIR SERVICES .. .. .	504,422	22,362	526,784
<b>MUNITIONS SUPPLY BRANCH.</b>			
Acquisition of Small Arms Ammunition Factory, Footscray ..	38,305	19,153	57,458
Machinery and plant for manufacture of munitions .. ..	280,939	18,072	299,011
Buildings and works generally in connexion with new munitions production .. .. .	828,141	642	828,783
Purchase of properties and sites .. .. .	1,150		1,150
Total MUNITIONS SUPPLY BRANCH .. .. .	1,148,535	38,467	1,187,002
Total DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE .. .. .	4,983,666	67,516	4,451,382
<b>THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.</b>			
Land for Trade and Customs purposes .. .. .	2,372	7	2,379
<b>DEPARTMENT OF WORKS.</b>			
Land for Commonwealth Offices, Sydney .. .. .	24,964		24,964
Commonwealth Offices, Sydney—towards cost .. .. .	108		108
Commonwealth Offices, Brisbane—towards cost .. .. .	1,107		1,107
Commonwealth Offices, Adelaide—towards cost .. .. .	47,289		47,289
Expenditure under River Murray Waters Act 1915-23 .. ..	1,983,625	122,000	2,105,625
Total DEPARTMENT OF WORKS .. .. .	2,057,093	122,000	2,179,093
Carried forward .. .. .	25,243,534	318,203	25,561,737

STATEMENT SHOWING EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1931, UNDER LOANS RAISED FOR WORKS, REDEMPTION, AND OTHER PURPOSES—continued.

	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1930.	Expenditure during Year ended 30th June, 1931.	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1931.
	£	£	£
Brought forward .. .. .	25,248,534	318,203	25,561,737
<b>DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.</b>			
Serum and Health Laboratories .. .. .	75,220		75,220
Acquisition of properties and sites .. .. .	10,361		10,361
Soldiers' Mental Hospital, Dundoon .. .. .		10,646	10,646
Total DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH .. .. .	85,581	10,646	96,227
<b>DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS.</b>			
Advances to States and Northern Territory for purchase of wire and wire netting .. .. .	610,838		610,838
<b>DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT.</b>			
<b>COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS.</b>			
Trans-Australian Railway .. .. .	6,631,911	30,387	6,662,298
Central Australia Railway (including payment to State of South Australia of amount expended from Revenue towards construction of railway) .. .. .	2,447,668	30,185	2,477,853
North Australia Railway .. .. .	1,596,649	910	1,597,559
Federal Territory Railway .. .. .	28,580	175	28,755
Total COMMONWEALTH RAILWAYS .. .. .	10,704,808	61,657	10,766,465
<i>Other—</i>			
Construction of vessels for Lighthouse purposes .. .. .	244,876	85,001	329,876
Acquisition of and alterations to vessels for Lighthouse purposes .. .. .	16,405		16,405
New Lighthouses (including upkeep of vessels for construction work) and optical and other apparatus for lightships .. .. .	205,176	2,966	208,142
Alterations of Lighthouse services .. .. .	74,843	1,533	76,376
Land for Lighthouse purposes .. .. .	10,422		10,422
Establishing means of communication .. .. .	2,679		2,679
Grafton-South Brisbane Railway .. .. .	4,303,000	68,000	4,371,000
Immigration—Advances of Passage Money, Landing Money, and medical fees of assisted Immigrants .. .. .	1,680,835		1,680,835
Capital required for the working of the "Plant and Stores Suspense Account" established by the Commonwealth Railways Act 1917 .. .. .	200,000		200,000
War Service Homes .. .. .	7,159,618	154,906	7,314,524
Total DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT .. .. .	13,897,853	312,406	14,210,259
Total DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT .. .. .	24,602,661	374,063	24,976,724
<b>POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>			
Construction and extension of Telegraphs and Telephones; also construction of conduits and laying wires underground .. .. .	28,776,771	1,248,197	30,024,968
Post Office Buildings .. .. .	2,666,936	34,805	2,701,741
Land for Post and Telegraph purposes .. .. .	541,051	3,385	544,436
Acquisition for Commonwealth purposes of property in Perth, Western Australia, and expenses incidental thereto .. .. .	152,205		152,205
Subscription to Capital of Amalgamated Wireless Ltd. .. .. .	300,000		300,000
Townsville Wireless Site .. .. .	372		372
Wireless Telegraphy .. .. .	34,296		34,296
Provision of radio stations and equipment .. .. .	20,214	1,727	21,941
Total POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT .. .. .	32,491,844	1,288,114	33,779,958
Carried forward .. .. .	83,034,458	1,991,026	85,025,484

STATEMENT SHOWING EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1931, UNDER LOANS RAISED FOR WORKS, REDEMPTION, AND OTHER PURPOSES—continued.

	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1930.	Expenditure during Year ended 30th June, 1931.	Total Expenditure to 30th June, 1931.
	£	£	£
Brought forward .. .. .	83,034,458	1,991,026	85,025,484
Deduct Repayment of Loans—Administration of Papua .. .. .	1,580		1,580
Total Loan Expenditure for Works and other Purposes .. .. .	83,032,878	1,991,026	85,023,904
<b>REDEMPTION OF LOANS TAKEN OVER FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.</b>			
Northern Territory Loans .. .. .	2,358,212	650,100	3,008,312
Port Augusta Railway Loans .. .. .	1,093,280		1,093,280
Total .. .. .	3,451,492	650,100	4,101,592

\* Reconciliation with Public Debt (Works—page 69)—

Expenditure as above .. .. .	285,023,904
Less expenditure in respect of Grafton-South Brisbane railway for which debt has been assumed by States .. .. .	1,620,246
Transferred Properties .. .. .	83,103,058
South Australian Debt taken over in respect of Northern Territory and Port Augusta—Oodnadatta Railway .. .. .	6,170,548
Balance of Loan Fund (including outstanding instalments—£40,307) .. .. .	10,093,100
Discount and expenses of flotation of loans .. .. .	2,847,024
Total .. .. .	122,223,846
Deduct sundry redemptions .. .. .	11,885,628
Public Debt for Works at 30th June, 1931 .. .. .	£110,338,218

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE LOAN FUND.

Expenditure.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Receipts.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£

LOANS RAISED FOR COMMONWEALTH PURPOSES.

	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	PROCEEDS ACCOUNT	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£
Loans raised in London—	117,670	146,939	Cr. 6,837	Cr. 4,230	Balance brought forward	3,222,669	4,230,631	6,941,282	8,230,695
Expenses of flotation ..	22	87	Dr. 1	Dr. 1	Loans raised in London—	6,784,203	8,428,351	Dr. 388,372	Dr. 343,805
Less interest on overdue instalments ..	117,746	146,203	Cr. 5,839	Cr. 4,230	Registered Stock ..	..	..	1,684,610	1,400,014
					Debentures ..	..	..	..	8,644,890
Loans raised in New York—	185,884	..	..	..	Loans raised in New York ..	6,848,048	..	Dr. 11,267	..
Expenses of flotation ..	Dr. 7,093	..	..	..	Loans raised in Australia—	20,842,678	9,402,898	6,802,849	10,201,840
Less profit on conversion of dollars into sterling ..	183,877	..	..	..	Peace Savings Certificates ..	17,063	..	15,715	..
					Treasury Bills—Short dated ..	1,155,000	..	..	10,356,894
Loans raised in Australia—	594,242	342,652	97,747	61,286	Advances from Commonwealth Bank—London	888,000	..	7,786,016	..
Expenses of flotation ..	8	4	184	524	Australia ..	20,293,644	7,846,260	14,762,281	22,342,691
Less interest on overdue instalments ..	594,234	342,629	97,563	60,731	Advances from Commonwealth Bank—Australia	36,492,023	22,186,831	20,028,543	40,575,246
Repayment of Advances from Commonwealth Bank, London ..	2,754,000	629,000	..	7,769,016					
Balance carried down to Expenditure Account ..	35,922,164	21,090,048	20,601,816	32,762,770					
	30,492,023	22,186,831	20,602,546	40,575,246					

EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT.

Loans Expended (for details see page 45 and 46)	7,616,641	8,190,347	6,291,533	1,988,820	1968 proceeds brought down from Loan Proceeds Account	35,922,164	21,090,048	20,601,816	32,762,770
Advances to Commonwealth Bank in London	96,662	615,028	1,746,222	..					
Temporary Advances to most accumulated deficit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund as 30th June, 1931 ..	..	..	92,100	..					
Balance carried down to Loan Fund Redemption Account ..	28,200,491	12,244,673	13,391,461	9,713,470					
	36,924,164	21,090,048	20,601,816	32,762,770					

LOAN REDEMPTION ACCOUNT.

War Gratuity Bonds redeemed and War Gratuities paid in cash ..	16,823	6,687	6,112	5,648	Balance brought down from Expenditure Account ..	28,200,491	12,244,673	13,391,461	9,713,470
4 per cent. Loan matured 15th December, 1925 ..	3,800	..	..	..					
6 per cent. Loan matured 15th September, 1925 ..	2,487	..	..	..					
6 per cent. Loan matured 31st May, 1927 ..	291,637	3,320	..	..					
4 1/2 per cent. Loan matured 15th September, 1929 matured 15th December, 1927 ..	..	421	..	..					
War Gratuity Bonds matured 15th September, 1929 ..	20,713,000	82,680	..	..					
War Gratuity Bonds matured prior to 15th January, 1929 ..	6,302,620	..	..	..					
War Savings Stamps ..	170	12,240	..	..					
Peace Savings Certificates ..	67,184	48,164	..	..					
Loans redeemed in London ..	1,005,000	..	1,400,116	1,400,116					
Treasury Bills raised from General Trust Funds ..	958,340	..	880	680,100					
Norfolk Territory Loans ..	4,432	..	..	..					
6 per cent. Loan matured 15th March, 1930 ..	..	69,640	..	..					
6 per cent. Loan matured 15th December, 1930 ..	..	3,679,849	..	7,026,070					
Balance carried forward ..	4,326,631	5,811,282	8,236,825	31,698					
	28,200,491	12,244,673	13,391,461	9,713,470					

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE LOAN FUND—continued.

Expenditure.	1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Receipts.		1927-28.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Expenditure on Education and Conviction—					Balance from 30th June ..		174,989			2,392,917
Loans raised in Australia ..	37,966	32,464	99,938	73,179	Loans raised in Australia—					
Loans raised in London ..	307,083	284,093	101,830	6,805	Inscribed Stock and Bonds ..		491,111		22,029,276	23,180,759
Less interest on overdue instalments of Subscriptions ..	206	56	110		Loans raised in London—		2,959,517		2,959,517	5,931,908
Loans raised on New York ..	296,870	285,537	101,729	5,682	Registered Stock ..		8,901,395		6,033,341	343,605
Less profit on conversion of dollars into sterling ..	989,411				Debentures ..		14,790,824		8,128,061	3,729,015
Less profit on conversion of dollars into sterling ..	Dr. 11,733				Loans raised in New York ..		10,757,032		5,741,984	11,940,290
Dr. 11,733	301,584				Advances from Commonwealth Bank ..		65		631,239	3,696,884
Dr. 11,733					and expenses of formation of Conviction and Redemption Loan in London ..		28,919,932	29,137,037	44,334,001	61,759,582
Dr. 11,733	2,007,574	48,846,769	61,559,239	1,100,000	Payment to and for the States—Public Works and Redemption ..		29,094,221	29,127,037	46,736,918	63,009,619
Dr. 11,733	2,009,231	48,846,769	61,559,239	1,100,000	Development and Migration ..					
Dr. 11,733	29,094,231	48,846,769	61,559,239	1,100,000	Balance ..					

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE TRUST FUND DURING THE YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1931.

	Balance brought forward from 30th June, 1930.		Year ended 30th June, 1931.				Balance carried forward to 1st July, 1931.	
	£	s. d.	Expenditure.		Receipts.		£	s. d.
Admiralty ..	18,125	2 11	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Advances to States for the benefit of settlers ..	62,693	19 8	18,761	10 6	17,076	18 3	17,040	10 8
Air Officers' Training ..	48	14 6	346	6 9	8,961	15 9	71,309	8 8
Amunition Factory ..	9,880	12 2	5,631	15 10	19,200	0 0	13,616	18 8
Assistance to Export of Canned Fruits ..			105,400	9 10	103,680	18 3	8,161	0 7
Assistance to Tasmanian Berry Growers ..					4,000	0 0	4,000	0 0
Australian Institute of Tropical Medicine ..	1,696	15 3	1,679	7 1	1,700	0 0	3,324	2 6
Australian Soldiers' Repatriation—Administrative Expenses ..	16,832	11 7	1,002,288	2 4	1,004,083	12 11	16,628	2 2
Repatriation of Soldiers ..	5,384	1 2	4,773	13 7			590	7 7
Hostels, Vocational Training Establishments, and Offices ..	20,000	0 0	1,188	15 10			19,801	4 2
Australian War Memorial ..	98	14 4	39	7 9	629	9 10	691	16 5
Bankruptcy Estates ..	1,433	0 0					1,433	0 0
Bieler Rifle Teams ..	9,237	14 7	28,430	5 9	20,960	13 9	7,768	2 7
British, Australian and New Zealand Antiarctic Research Expedition ..	598	18 6	14,062	0 9	14,949	18 2	1,486	15 11
Canberra Officers' Homes ..	808	2 1	249	11 9	218	12 7	777	2 11
Central Australia—Aboriginals ..	39,707	3 4	21,014	17 5			18,692	5 11
Civil Aviation ..	10,000	0 0	114,275	18 0	124,275	13 0	20,000	0 0
Clothing Factory ..								
Coal Mining Industry and Employment Assistance ..			917	4 4	124,500	0 0	123,582	15 8
Cockatoo Island Dockyard ..	3,288	18 6	0	6 0	694	10 5	3,983	2 11
Commonwealth Government Shipbuilding Suspense ..	262	11 2					262	11 2
Commonwealth Literary Fund ..	967	15 1	1,026	19 11	400	0 0	349	15 2
Commonwealth Railways—Medical and Provident Fund ..	422	0 9	3,422	1 7	3,780	1 0	780	0 2
Commonwealth Stores Suspense ..	9,514	0 3	53,269	7 4	50,809	1 9	7,063	14 8
Compensation under Lands Acquisition Act 1906 ..	184	8 6					184	8 6
Customs Officers' Overtime ..	702	15 7	15,925	6 9	15,992	7 6	869	16 2
Defalcations—Post Office ..	5	6 7	495	8 6	491	10 0	31	8 1
Defence Clothing Material ..	14,406	4 2	14,049	11 8	18,571	7 5	18,927	19 11
Defence Laboratory ..	429	8 6	10,856	0 2	11,080	6 9	653	10 1
Defence Reserve ..	19,460	12 6	16,668	12 10			2,792	19 8
Defence—Small Arms ..	34,559	7 3	16,761	16 0	8,615	10 1	26,413	1 4
Small Arms Ammunition ..	37,036	13 7	28,843	7 7	9,245	11 8	17,639	17 8
Stores London Liabilities ..	586,410	5 11	225,256	9 11	63,869	17 9	425,023	13 9
Deferred Pay—Air Force ..	22,963	12 11	1,917	4 10	6,970	0 8	28,016	8 9
Naval ..	614,579	5 8	86,044	3 10	170,197	11 8	698,732	13 6
Disposal of Obsolete Warships ..	11,904	14 8	662	3 1	10,646	6 7	11,846	6 7
Explosives Factory ..	9,042	14 10	65,978	14 7	66,687	18 8	19,751	18 11
Federal Aid Roads ..	681,053	9 9	2,131,420	13 5	1,900,000	0 0	459,632	16 4
Federal Capital Territory Hotels ..	1,730	11 9	104,719	18 1	103,092	6 10	103	0 6
Federal Capital Territory Transport ..	1,612	4 5	30,302	3 11	29,035	19 6	247	0 6
Geophysical Survey ..	2,329	3 6	610	12 2	2,717	2 4	4,435	13 8
Government Printer ..	13,846	1 0	102,706	16 7	110,688	11 3	21,225	15 8
Gun Ammunition and Equipment ..	2,947	17 0	1,874	1 5	1,390	17 8	2,764	13 3
Immigration ..	938	18 6	5,799	10 6	10,000	0 0	16,799	10 6
Imperial Pensions ..	246,057	11 11	16,787,604	17 0	250,071	12 9	4,952	19 4
Interest Suspense ..					16,233,689	11 1	475,584	14 1
International Postal and Money Order ..	70,610	18 11	969,694	11 10	931,969	9 2	32,765	16 3
Invalid and Old-age Pensions ..	6,477	2 6	11,710,953	1 6	11,710,953	1 6		
Law Libraries ..			312	16 11			6,164	5 7
Loans between States ..			1,100,000	0 0	1,100,000	0 0		
Carried forward ..	2,344,012	8 8	34,012,964	11 4	34,288,678	17 5	2,619,626	14 9



## TRUST FUND—SUPERANNUATION FUND.

## RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.		1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
Pension payments ..	204,901	249,640	303,731	Balance brought forward ..	1,940,139	2,414,705	2,961,303
Refund of contributions on resignation ..	23,557	27,020	37,433	Contributions by officers ..	420,448	429,673	440,400
Death Benefits ..	..	..	16,490	Contributions from the Consolidated Revenue Fund ..	169,890	205,467	218,373
Interest on advance from Treasury ..	4,192	13,308	10,807	Interest on Investments ..	116,057	140,751	181,859
Repayment of Advances by Treasury ..	..	..	63,000	Gratuities and refunds transferred to Board under Section 48 ..	201	171	1,235
				Balance of advances made by Treasury ..	..	..	63,800
Total Expenditure ..	232,740	290,054	431,037		707,300	830,662	871,858
Balance at 30th June ..	2,414,705	2,964,303	3,404,024		2,647,445	3,254,367	3,835,091
	2,647,445	3,254,367	3,835,091				

## PARTICULARS OF INVESTMENTS OF THE SUPERANNUATION FUND AT 30TH JUNY, 1931.

Investment.	Face Value of Investment.	Cost of Investment.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.
	£	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	204,390	292,011 17 3	5	15.9.1948	14,719 10 0
	2,350	2,350 0 0	5½	15.7.1939	123 7 6
	261,600	257,962 10 0	5½	15.9.1942	13,734 0 0
	600,000	598,875 0 0	5½	15.2.1943	31,500 0 0
	26,100	25,169 11 3	5½	15.12.1931	1,435 10 0
	523,540	522,131 17 9	5½	15.12.1941	28,794 14 0
	205,730	205,730 0 0	6	15.3.1937	12,843 16 0
	201,400	201,482 17 6	6	31.5.1934	12,084 0 0
	420,000	420,000 0 0	6	15.11.1938	25,200 0 0
	25,000	25,000 0 0	5½	1.7.1931	1,375 0 0
Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust—Inscribed Stock ..	163,000	163,000 0 0	5½	1.1.1932	8,416 0 0
Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board Stock ..	250,000	250,000 0 0	5½	16.1.1933	13,750 0 0
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works	250,000	250,000 0 0	5½	11.8.1933	14,375 0 0
Premiums on life assurance policies taken over by the Board ..	175,000	175,000 0 0	£5 11 9	1.4.1944	9,778 2 6
		7,487 4 9	*	..	*
		3,385,199 18 6	..	..	187,628 0 0

\* Compound interest at 4 per centum per annum on premiums from the respective dates of payment will be collected upon maturity of the various life assurance policies.

## TRUST FUND AUSTRALIAN SOLDIERS' REPATRIATION ACCOUNT.

Expenditure.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Receipts.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
Repatriation—				Balance from 30th June ..	29,228	17,684	22,107
Expenses in providing employment (subsistence) fares, tools, and equipment) ..	2,165	2,090	2,638	Transfer from Appropriation—			
Vocational Training ..	1,629	837	413	For Repatriation of Soldiers and expenses in connexion therewith ..	849,935	883,000	914,958
Small Businesses ..	638	421	124	Repayment of Loans to Soldiers	27,898	21,220	10,705
Flax ..	20	..	..	Sale of Property ..	485	138	421
Soldiers' Subsistence and other expenses ..	1,329	860	390	Gifts Revoked ..	5,945	5,885	6,376
Passages beyond the Commonwealth ..	88	78	..	Interest on Loans ..	3,328	2,684	2,244
Living Allowances ..	184,617	205,741	227,393	Insurance Premiums recovered ..	111	83	31
Educational Grants for Children ..	1,405	902	678	Miscellaneous Receipts ..	66,384	67,855	60,348
Medical Treatment ..	223,788	223,298	241,941				
Funeral Expenses ..	13,014	13,864	16,297				
Expenses of Allotment, including Legal Expenses in connexion with securities ..	225	160	56				
Maintenance of Institutions including Wages, Salaries, and general upkeep ..	201,114	230,055	220,837				
Grants to Local Committees ..	2	1	2				
Losses by fire on Departmental insurance of furniture ..	49	35	..				
Expenditure under reciprocal arrangements with other Countries (to be recovered) ..	19,070	16,347	18,422				
Miscellaneous ..	1,688	255	395				
	700,167	704,340	728,784				
Capital Expenditure on Hostels and other Institutions and Administrative Offices ..	8,858	5,343	4,774				
Administrative and Other Expenses—							
Salaries ..	193,895	190,125	180,212				
Contingencies ..	57,309	81,803	84,292				
Total Expenditure ..	231,204	271,628	273,804				
Total Expenditure ..	960,229	981,620	1,007,002				
Balance to 1st July ..	17,684	22,107	19,218				
	977,913	1,003,817	1,026,280		977,913	1,003,817	1,026,280

\* Includes Administrative expenses of War Pensions Office.

## TRUST FUND REPATRIATION OF AUSTRALIAN SOLDIERS' CONTRIBUTIONS ACCOUNT.

Expenditure.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	Receipts.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
Education of children of deceased and of permanently and totally incapacitated soldiers—				Balance brought forward ..	16,857	15	3,438
Ordinary payments ..	164,784	175,268	164,439	Contributions received from the Public and Interest on Investments ..	19,303	23,611	25,311
Contributions to assist soldiers and their dependants not eligible under the Repatriation Act ..	166	162	421	Educational Grant appropriated by Parliament ..	128,400	156,000	140,827
Contributions to provide benefits for men in departmental institutions ..	260	203	200				
General-Pain Scholarship ..	70	70	..				
Bloomfield Scholarship ..	15	..	16				
Newcastle War Class Scholarship ..	..	625	146				
Total Expenditure ..	165,245	176,188	165,221				
Balance ..	15	3,438	4,353				
	165,260	179,626	169,574		165,260	179,626	169,574



TRUST FUND WAR SERVICE HOMES ACCOUNT.

Expenditure	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.	Receipts	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
Acquisition of land and erection of dwellings	1,731,309	1,030,401	164,203	Transfer from Loan Fund	1,073,451	969,964	156,960
Administrative and other expenses:				Transfer from Appropriation for War Service Homes Expenditure	98,208	93,833	92,900
Salaries	38,561	35,209	35,006	Repayments of Principal	499,339	498,778	355,191
Contingencies	24,868	97,434	56,907	Repayments of advances other than to applicants	200,160	203,473	139,695
Miscellaneous	Cr. 18		6	Interest	874,603	905,141	859,775
	93,209	93,833	92,509	Interest from property let or leased	10,608	12,310	9,280
				Sinking Fund Deposits	5,655	3,824	Dr. 3,087
				Sale of Property	53,983	38,233	2,954
				Miscellaneous		Dr. 3,049	
				Total	3,006,984	2,743,950	1,906,602
				Deficit—Amount paid to the National Debt Commission, being repayments of advances and receipts in respect of purchase money	709,806	702,344	491,680
				Interest and rent from property let or leased transferred to revenue	885,008	917,451	896,064
Total expenditure	1,824,418	1,124,234	240,712		1,694,814	1,610,895	1,389,850

TRUST FUND WAR SERVICE HOMES INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

Expenditure	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.	Receipts	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
Administrative Expenses	4,648	4,320	4,910	Balance brought forward	121,069	134,129	149,131
Adjustment of Claims	6,336	5,658	7,092				
Contributions to Fire Brigade Boards	1,240	1,094	1,138	Insurance Premiums	25,262	26,583	28,338
Total expenditure	12,224	11,061	13,140		146,331	160,712	177,469
Balance	134,129	149,131	162,329				
	146,351	160,712	175,469				

TRUST FUNDS

PARTICULARS OF INVESTMENTS AT 30TH JUNE 1931.

Investment	Face Value	Amount	Rate of Interest	Date of Maturity	Annual Amount of Interest	
					£	s. d.
<b>Bankruptcy Estates Fund—</b>						
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	600,000 0 0	629,951 0 0	5 1/2	15.12.1941		16 10 0
<b>General Trust Funds—</b>						
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	638,710 0 0	632,710 0 0	3 1/2	1.4.1932		22,354 17 0
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	1,300,000 0 0	1,289,606 6 6	5 1/2	15.12.1931		71 10 0
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	500,000 0 0	491 13 4 5	5 1/2	15.9.1943		25 0 0
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	4,740,000 0 0	4,740 0 0	5 1/2	15.9.1935		248 17 0
<b>Government Securities—</b>						
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock (Anne McKenzie Oration Fund)	1,010 0 0	994 17 0	5 1/2	15.9.1942		58 0 6
Commonwealth Treasury Bills	5,297,000 0 0	5,297,000 0 0	3	30.6.1932		158,910 0 0
Victorian Government Securities	1,500 0 0	1,269 0 0	3	15.11.1938		30 0 0
Victorian Government Securities	1,400 0 0	1,241 17 6 3	3	1.1.1932		42 0 0
Queensland Government Securities Silver Bullion (at cost)	389,000 0 0	385,000 0 0	10 1/3	31.5.1934		23,401 5 0
Bronze Bullion (at cost)		125,254 3 0				
Nickel Bullion (at cost)		5,307 5 5				
		2,398 14 5				
		6,404,704 17 2				205,196 9 6
<b>National Debt Sinking Fund—</b>						
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	111,290 0 0	111,290 0 0	3 1/2	1.4.1932		3,895 3 0
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	401,770 0 0	401,553 13 10	5	1.4.1972		20,088 10 0
Temporary Loan to New South Wales Government	126,725 3 1	126,725 3 1	6	Maturity fixed		7,603 10 2
Temporary Loan to Tasmanian Government	2,600 0 0	2,600 0 0	4 1/2			112 10 0
<b>Special Investments in respect of American Loans</b>	680,434 3 7	670,766 18 1	Various	Various		36,968 1 6
<b>On account of Western Australia—</b>						
Premiums on Endowment Policy of £140,000		78,697 10 0				
<b>Special Investments in respect of London Loans</b>	1,038,835 17 11 1/2	994,159 13 0	Various	Various		42,877 0 0
		2,385,793 0 3				
<b>Officers' Assurance Fund—</b>						
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	120 0 0	120 1 6	5 1/2	15.12.1941		6 12 0
	10 0 0	9 16 0	5 1/2	16.11.1934		10 6
		139 17 6				7 2 6
<b>Superannuation Fund—</b>						
Commonwealth Government Inscribed Stock	420,000 0 0	420,000 0 0	5	15.11.1933		25,200 0 0
	292,011 17 3	292,011 17 3	6	15.9.1918		14,710 10 0
	2,850 0 0	2,850 0 0	5 1/2	15.7.1939		133 7 6
	267,962 10 0	267,962 10 0	5 1/2	15.9.1942		13,734 0 0
	600,000 0 0	596,876 0 0	5 1/2	15.2.1943		31,600 0 0
	25,100 0 0	25,108 11 3	5 1/2	15.12.1930		1,435 10 0
	523,540 0 0	522,131 17 9	5 1/2	15.12.1941		28,794 14 0
	205,780 0 0	205,780 0 0	5	15.3.1937		12,543 10 0
<b>Geelong Waterworks and Sewerage Trust Inscribed Stock</b>	201,482 17 6	201,482 17 6	6	15.12.1941		12,091 10 0
	25,000 0 0	25,000 0 0	5 1/2	1.7.1934		1,375 0 0
	153,000 0 0	153,000 0 0	5 1/2	1.1.1932		8,115 0 0
<b>Metropolitan Tramways Board Inscribed Stock</b>	250,000 0 0	250,000 0 0	5 1/2	15.1.1935		13,750 0 0
	250,000 0 0	250,000 0 0	5 1/2	11.8.1953		14,375 0 0
<b>Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works</b>	175,000 0 0	175,000 0 0	5 1/2	1.4.1944		9,778 2 6
<b>Premiums on Life Assurance Policies taken over by the Board</b>						
		7,487 1 0				
		3,385,199 18 6				187,628 0 0
Carried forward		12,238,083 18 5				604,392 16 8

\* Compound interest at 4 per cent. per annum on premiums from the respective dates of payment will be collected upon maturity of the various life assurance policies.



COINAGE—continued.

STATEMENT C.

COIN ORDERED AND SUPPLIED, 1930-31.

	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Threepences.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
Coin ordered from Royal Mint, Melbourne .. .. .	£ 115,800	£ 50,000	£ ..	£ ..	£ 1,800	£ 900	£ 168,020
Coin supplied to Treasury and Royal Mints, Australia .. .. .	£ 45,000	£ ..	£ ..	£ ..	£ ..	£ ..	£ 45,000
Balance of Coin still to be supplied as at 30th June, 1930 .. .. .	£ 70,900	£ 50,000	£ ..	£ ..	£ 1,800	£ 900	£ 123,620

STATEMENT D.

RECEIPTS AND ISSUES OF AUSTRALIAN COIN IN 1930-31, AND BALANCE AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Threepences.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
<b>COMMONWEALTH TREASURY, MELBOURNE.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance of Coin in hand at 30th June, 1930 .. .. .	167,400	48,400	62,400	45,000	7,330	4,610	325,140
Coin minted at Melbourne .. .. .	45,000	..	..	..	..	..	45,000
.. .. .	202,400	48,400	62,400	45,000	7,330	4,610	370,140
Coin issued .. .. .	102,000	45,000	..	..	..	..	227,000
Balance of Coin in hand at 30th June, 1931—Melbourne .. .. .	10,400	3,400	62,400	45,000	7,330	4,610	133,140

STATEMENT E.

PARTICULARS OF ISSUES IN EACH STATE, 1930-31.

	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Threepences.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
<b>New South Wales</b> .. .. .	£ 100,000	£ 25,000	£ ..	£ ..	£ ..	£ ..	£ 125,000
<b>Victoria</b> .. .. .	10,000	..	..	..	..	..	10,000
<b>Queensland</b> .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>South Australia</b> .. .. .	20,000	20,000	..	..	..	..	40,000
<b>Western Australia</b> .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Tasmania</b> .. .. .	2,000	..	..	..	..	..	2,000
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	192,000	45,000	..	..	..	..	237,000

STATEMENT F.

TOTAL OF ISSUES IN EACH STATE AND TO NEW ZEALAND FOR TWENTY YEARS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1931.

	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Threepences.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
<b>New South Wales</b> .. .. .	£ 1,684,850	£ 544,100	£ 260,700	£ 216,200	£ 130,260	£ 47,125	£ 3,073,025
<b>Victoria</b> .. .. .	784,050	339,400	230,800	254,800	87,644	41,830	1,678,574
<b>Queensland</b> .. .. .	608,000	218,200	112,500	92,675	40,420	7,880	980,685
<b>South Australia</b> .. .. .	385,000	282,500	94,700	87,525	39,120	8,550	694,385
<b>Western Australia</b> .. .. .	179,700	121,800	57,100	52,750	18,030	6,450	446,430
<b>Tasmania</b> .. .. .	105,000	62,300	18,700	12,000	4,090	890	194,890
<b>New Zealand</b> .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4,100	..	4,100
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	3,647,000	1,818,300	654,300	617,000	321,663	111,715	7,076,778*

\* Up to 30th June, 1931, British silver coin silver shillings was withdrawn from circulation. This coin is replaced by Australian silver coin.

Sydney Mint .. .. .	219,005
Melbourne Mint .. .. .	677,916
Perth Mint .. .. .	79,640
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>1,156,561</b>

PUBLIC DEBT OF THE COMMONWEALTH AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

SUMMARY.

	Total.	Australia.	London.	New York.
<b>COMMONWEALTH.</b>	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
War .. .. .	277,780,225 13 8	187,035,845 3 10*	90,744,380 0 10†	..
Works and other purposes .. .. .	110,938,319 7 1	37,098,176 2 0	66,604,425 11 11	17,155,717 13 2
Total for Commonwealth purposes .. .. .	388,718,544 0 9	224,134,021 5 10	157,438,806 1 9	17,155,717 13 2
Debt of the States .. .. .	767,316,371 14 0	342,774,862 14 11	394,105,816 5 2	30,435,672 13 11
<b>Total Public Debt</b> .. .. .	<b>1,156,034,916 14 9</b>	<b>566,898,904 0 9</b>	<b>551,544,622 6 11</b>	<b>47,591,390 7 1</b>

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total War Loans in Australia .. .. .	250,142,000 0 0	..
War Savings Certificates .. .. .	6,482,813 11 6	..
Loans raised for payment of War Gratuity .. .. .	17,747,573 18 10	..
<b>Total War Loan ratings in Australia</b> .. .. .	<b>250,142,000 0 0</b>	<b>..</b>
As to Loans raised for redemption of War Loans .. .. .	..	274,522,777 10 4
War Gratuity Bonds outstanding .. .. .	..	71,007,482 14 10
War Savings Stamps outstanding .. .. .	..	10,040 19 10
.. .. .	..	14,893 18 3
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>346,482,055 3 3</b>	<b>..</b>

Deduct redemptions, &c.—

	£ s. d.
Stock and Bonds .. .. .	116,738,547 4 1
War Savings Certificates .. .. .	6,408,007 5 0
Peace Savings Certificates .. .. .	1,434,003 11 11
Treasury Bills .. .. .	174,220 0 0
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>123,761,708 1 6</b>

Deduct indebtedness on account of Loans raised in Australia for the States for Soldier Land Settlement, &c.

Net Commonwealth War Debt in Australia .. .. . 187,035,845 3 10

Highly Indebtedness under the Funding Arrangements Act 1921, made up as follows:—

Total of Funding Arrangements made with Government of the United Kingdom .. .. .	92,480,158 15 10
Payments in reduction of indebtedness .. .. .	12,765,939 0 0
<b>Amount of indebtedness at 30th June, 1931</b> .. .. .	<b>79,724,220 15 10</b>

ALLOCATION OF ANNUAL INTEREST.

	Total.	Australia.	London.	New York.
<b>COMMONWEALTH.</b>	£	£	£	£
War .. .. .	15,009,984	10,486,847	4,671,307	..
Works and other purposes .. .. .	5,377,376	1,324,706	3,216,501	836,169
<b>Total Commonwealth</b> .. .. .	<b>20,387,360</b>	<b>11,811,553</b>	<b>7,887,808</b>	<b>836,169</b>
States .. .. .	37,711,250*	17,003,227	18,468,430	1,650,600
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>58,148,610</b>	<b>28,814,780</b>	<b>26,356,238</b>	<b>2,386,769</b>

\* Includes contributions payable by Commonwealth and British Government towards interest on Migration Loans.



**PUBLIC DEBT TRANSACTIONS 1930-31.**

**COMMONWEALTH PURPOSES.**

(Short-dated loans raised and redeemed within the year are omitted.)

	War	Other	Total
Debt outstanding at 30th June, 1930	232,390,532	90,666,830	372,957,362
New Debt created in 1930-1931—			
Loans raised in London—			
Deposits		8,644,800	8,644,800
Loans raised in Australia—			
Inscribed Stock and Bonds	2,016,375	2,247,457	9,263,832
Installment Stock		150,000	150,000
Short-dated Treasury-bills		8,900,000	8,900,000
Treasury-bills raised by Investment of General Trust Funds		1,500,000	1,500,000
Peace Savings Certificates	13,672		13,672
Adjustment of transactions of previous years in respect of—			
Development and Migration Loans in 1930-1931		Cr. 350,617	Cr. 350,617
Expenditure in 1930-1931 on Grafton-South Brisbane Railway		Cr. 31,764	Cr. 31,764
	7,030,047	21,060,476	28,090,523
Debt redeemed in 1930-1931—			
Released out of Loan Fund—			
War Gratuity Bonds and War Loans	7,027,334		7,027,334
Northern Territory Loans		650,100	650,100
Redeemed out of National Debt Sinking Fund—			
Sundry Loans and War Savings Certificates, Peace Savings Certificates, &c.	3,006,313	38,160	3,134,473
Redeemed out of Revenue—			
Installment Stock		727	727
Indebtedness to British Government under Funding Arrangements	1,570,362		1,570,362
Adjustment in respect of Miscellaneous Loans to States not funded into Commonwealth Stock and Bonds	Dr. 653,656		Dr. 653,656
	11,640,353	688,987	12,329,340
Net Increase or Decrease in Public Debt during 1930-1931—			
Increase		20,371,489	15,701,183
Decrease	4,610,306		
Debt outstanding at 30th June, 1931	277,780,226	110,938,319	388,718,545

**ALLOCATION OF WORKS DEBT AT 30TH JUNE, 1931.**

EXPENDITURE REPRESENTED BY ASSETS.		£	£
Post Office—			
Telegraphs and Telephone Works, Buildings and Equipment	33,779,958		
Transferred Properties	5,806,241		
			39,586,199
War Service Homes			7,314,624
Commonwealth-Oil Refinery Shares			343,751
Balance of purchase price of ships			1,320,000
Loans to Papua and New Guinea			93,916
Wire-netting Advances			610,838
Railways, including new railway construction—			
Trans-Australian	6,662,287		
Federal Territory	28,755		
North Australia—		£	
Loans taken over from South Australia	1,100,805		
Works Expenditure...	1,597,500		
			2,698,365
Central Australia—			
Loans taken over from South Australia	2,239,462		
Works Expenditure	2,477,853		
			4,717,315
Grafton-South Brisbane—in course of construction	4,371,000		
Less States' proportion for which debt of £1,986,055 has been assumed	1,920,346		
			2,450,754
			16,557,486
Dockyards and Shipbuilding Yards			488,850
Public Buildings, including Transferred Properties, except Post Office and Defence Properties			4,867,563
Federal Capital Territory			7,384,423
Defence Factories, Bases and Sites, including transferred properties			6,291,642
River Murray Works			2,105,625
Working Capital for Plant and Stores Suspense Account			300,000
Recoverable Migration Expenditure			122,362
Northern Territory			111,203
Loan Installments, outstanding			46,307
Balance in respect of Loans raised for Works, &c. (excluding advances from Commonwealth Bank)			10,020,862
			106,464,551
Total Assets			
EXPENDITURE NOT REPRESENTED BY ASSETS.			
Ships Expenditure			7,074,060
Dockyards, &c.			244,861
Defence Expenditure			877,381
Migration Expenditure			1,558,472
Roads			249,686
New Guinea Wharfs, &c.			77,529
Administration Charges of the Northern Territory, for which debt was taken over from South Australia			2,830,281
			12,912,270
Total not Represented by Assets			
			119,376,821
Add discount and expenses of flotation of Loans			2,847,024
			122,223,845
Deduct: Redemptions to 30th June, 1931—			
From Revenue (Notes Fund)		7,780,524	
From Revenue and Sinking Fund in respect of South Australia Loans taken over		686,886	
From National Debt Sinking Fund		2,819,116	
			11,286,526
Works, &c. Debt at 30th June, 1931			110,938,319

Commonwealth and States—Public Debt—War and Other Debt, 1912 to 1931.

Table with columns: At 30th June, WAR DEBT, WORKS AND OTHER EXPENSES, TOTAL DEBT OF ACCOUNT OF THE COMMONWEALTH, DEBT OF STATES, TOTAL PUBLIC DEBT. Rows: 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931.

Note.—The figures for 1912 and 1927 include as debt of the States an amount of £5,000,000, and for later years an amount of approximately £7,000,000, in respect of loans for Siltier Land Settlement pending ratification of agreements for the On 31st July, 1929, London debt of the States amounting to £10,924,322 was taken over by the Commonwealth in adjustment of its indebtedness to the States for Transferred Property.

Commonwealth and States Public Debt per Head of Population, 1912 to 1931. (Based on population at 30th June each year.)

Table with columns: 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931. Rows: Commonwealth, States, Total.

(a) Based on average population of the States at 30th June in each year.

Commonwealth and States—Interest Payable on Public Debt—War and Other Debt, at 30th June, 1912 to 1931.

Table with columns: At 30th June, INTEREST ON WAR DEBT, INTEREST ON DEBT FOR WORKS AND OTHER EXPENSES, TOTAL INTEREST ON ACCOUNT OF COMMONWEALTH DEBT, INTEREST ON DEBTS OF THE STATES (a), TOTAL INTEREST PAYABLE ON TOTAL PUBLIC DEBT. Rows: 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931.

Table with columns: At 30th June, INTEREST ON WAR DEBT, INTEREST ON DEBT FOR WORKS AND OTHER EXPENSES, TOTAL INTEREST PAYABLE. Rows: 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931.

(a) Based on average population of the States at 30th June in each year.

(a) Based on average population of the States at 30th June in each year.

Average Rates of Interest Payable on Commonwealth and State Public Debt at 30th June, 1912 to 1931.

Year.	COMMONWEALTH.						STATES.						Total.					
	W.A.		WORKS AND OTHER PURPOSES.		TOTAL.		OVERSEAS.		AUSTRALIA.		TOTAL.		OVERSEAS.		AUSTRALIA.		TOTAL.	
	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.	Overseas.	Australia.
1912	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1913	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1917	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1918	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1919	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1920	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1921	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1922	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1923	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1924	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1925	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1926	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1927	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1928	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1929	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1930	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1931	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

LOANS FOR SETTLING RETURNED SOLDIERS ON THE LAND.

(Including Loans made to the States and Loans made by the Commonwealth direct to soldiers settling in Federal Territories.)

	1914-17 to 1926-27.	Total Loans.	Repayments.	Loans Outstanding 30.6.31.
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .. .. .	9,826,203	9,826,203	50,219	6,905,984
Victoria .. .. .	11,986,178	11,986,178	174,101	11,794,975
Queensland .. .. .	2,717,697	2,717,697	17,114	2,700,583
South Australia .. .. .	2,837,780	2,837,780	24,776	2,833,005
Western Australia .. .. .	5,493,782	5,493,782	32,650	5,491,322
Tasmania .. .. .	2,168,303	2,168,303	38,740	2,129,563
	35,061,041	35,061,041	307,629	34,601,412
Papua .. .. .	3,125	3,125	3,122	..
Northern Territory .. .. .	8,065	8,065	8,065	..
Federal Capital Territory .. .. .	32,659	32,659	31,513	1,040
	35,045,690	35,045,690	350,232	34,605,458

LOANS TAKEN OVER FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY AND OUTSTANDING AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

Loan Act No.	Principal and Interest payable in—	Loan Outstanding.	Rate of Interest.	Date or Dates on which Principal is Redeemable.
354 of 1884	London	£ 40,000	4	1 April, 1935. At option of Treasurer after 1st October, 1916
362 of 1885	"	140,000	—	1 April, 1935. At option of Treasurer after 1st April, 1917
449 of 1888	Australia	148,100	3½	1 January, 1939
549 of 1892	"	2,008	3½	1 July, 1938
753 of 1900	"	27,216	3	On or after 1 July, 1916, at option of Treasurer
999 of 1910	Australia	2,000	3½	15 April, 1938
	"	800	3½	15 January, 1936. At option of Treasurer after 16th January, 1926
	Total	362,024		

Note.—Interest is payable half-yearly according to date of maturity except on £27,216, the interest dates for which are 1st June and 1st December.

## SUMMARY.

Rate.	Principal.	Annual Interest.	Principal Redeemable as under—	Annual Interest.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
3 per cent.	27,216 0 0	818 9 7		
3½ per cent.	161,908 0 0	5,818 15 7	London ..	£ 220,100 0 0
3½ per cent.	2,900 0 0	108 15 0	Australia ..	32,924 0 0
4 per cent.	180,500 0 0	7,530 0 0		
	362,024 0 0	13,442 0 2		13,442 0 2

## INDEBTEDNESS OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY TAKEN OVER BY THE COMMONWEALTH.

Receipts and Expenditure from the establishment of the Territory to 31st December, 1910.—

Expenditure (exclusive of Interest on Loans and works paid from Loan)—

	£	£
Maintenance of the Territory, including all local Administration, Public Works, and Surveys .. .. .	2,034,238	
Payment to the State of South Australia for management in Adelaide .. .. .	85,296	
Working Expenses, Pine Creek Railway, excluding interest .. .. .	347,326	
Allowances to Officers on retirement or death .. .. .	16,120	
		2,462,980
Receipts—		
Customs Duties .. .. .	844,326	
Revenue from other taxation, Public Works, Services, Territorial and other receipts .. .. .	863,983	
Pine Creek Railway Revenue .. .. .	314,659	
		2,022,968

Deficiency in connexion with the Administration of the Territory, exclusive

of Interest on Loans .. .. .	460,012	
Interest on Loans, including discounts and floating charges .. .. .	2,110,576	
Loan Expenditure—		
Darwin to Pine Creek Railway .. .. .	1,100,805	
Port Darwin jetty .. .. .	72,550	
Harbor improvements, Port Darwin .. .. .	11,374	
		1,184,729
Unexpended balance of funds paid over to the Commonwealth on the transfer of the Territory .. .. .		175,969
Total Northern Territory indebtedness taken over by the Commonwealth .. .. .		3,931,086
Amount of debt redeemed to 30th June, 1930—		
Out of Revenue .. .. .	460,625	
Out of Loan .. .. .	3,108,312	
Out of Sinking Fund .. .. .	125	
		3,569,062
South Australian Securities outstanding at 30th June, 1931 .. .. .		362,024

LOANS TAKEN OVER FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA ON ACCOUNT OF THE PORT AUGUSTA-ODDNADATTA RAILWAY AND OUTSTANDING AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

Loan Act No.	Principal and Interest payable in—	Loan outstanding.	Rate of Interest.	Date or Dates on which Principal is Redeemable.
896 of 1905	London	£ s. d.	%	
		38,707 11 9	3½	15 July, 1933
		679 7 1	3½	15 January, 1934
		198 19 2	3½	15 July, 1937
		674 14 5	3½	15 July, 1937
		433 6 4	3½	15 January, 1938
		7,852 13 7	3½	15 July, 1938
		771 19 10	3½	15 October, 1938
		54 0 9	3½	15 January, 1939
		372,145 11 4	3½	1 July, 1936. At option of Treasurer after 1 July, 1926*
491 of 1890	Adelaide	6,341 12 0	3½	1 January, 1936
449 of 1888	London	10,423 10 5	3½	1 January, 1939
384 of 1884	London	43,051 1 5	4	1 April, 1935. At option of Treasurer after 1 October, 1916
763 of 1900	London	26 15 7	3	On or after 1 July, 1916, at option of Treasurer
707 of 1898	Adelaide	5,018 16 7	3	On or after 1 July, 1916, at option of Treasurer
362 of 1885	London	433,727 2 8	4	1 April, 1936. At option of Treasurer after 1 April, 1917
		921,046 2 11		

Note.—Interest is payable half-yearly according to date of maturity, except on £20,018 i.e. 7d., the interest dates for which are 1st June and 1st December.

## SUMMARY.

Rate.	Principal.	Annual Interest.	Principal redeemable as under.	Annual Interest.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3 per cent.	6,046 12 2	181 7 4	London 608,685 14 4	34,310 13 9
3½ per cent.	389,049 12 11	13,616 14 9	Australia 12,300 8 7	402 10 5
3½ per cent.	40,172 13 0	1,343 19 6		
4 per cent.	473,778 4 1	19,071 2 7		
	921,046 2 11	34,713 4 2		

## CAPITAL INDEBTEDNESS OF THE PORT AUGUSTA-ODDNADATTA RAILWAY TRANSFERRED TO THE COMMONWEALTH.

	£	£
Land and compensation .. .. .	2,785	
Ways, Works, Buildings, &c. .. .. .	22,114,018	
Less value of building reverted to the State of South Australia .. .. .	549	
		2,113,469
Interest during construction .. .. .		48,016
Discounts and floating charges on loans .. .. .		75,462
Total indebtedness in respect of the Railway taken over by the Commonwealth .. .. .		2,236,947
Amount redeemed to 30th June, 1930—		
From Revenue .. .. .	159,678	
From Loan .. .. .	1,093,280*	
From Sinking Fund .. .. .	65,258	
		1,318,416
South Australian Securities outstanding at 30th June, 1931 .. .. .		921,046

\* In addition, an amount of £34,476, expended by the State of South Australia from Revenue, was repaid to the State from Loan Fund.



## LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30th JUNE, 1931 —IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER.

NOTE.—Short-dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Raising.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
		£	£	Per cent.		£	
1911-12	Works and other purposes		700,000	3½	1.4.22-72	100	Inscribed Stock purchased out of General Trust Funds and Sinking Funds. £466,899 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory and Port Augusta-Oodnadatta Railway Loans
1912-13			1,300,000	3½	"	100	
1913-14	Works and other purposes		2,100,000	3½	"	100	Inscribed Stock purchased out of Australian Notes Fund, which in addition took over £376,000 Stock purchased out of Trust Funds. £135,927 was applied to redemption of Port Augusta-Oodnadatta Railway loans
1914-15	Works and other purposes		480,000	3½	"	100	Inscribed Stock and Treasury Bills—£2,392,215 purchased out of Australian Notes Fund (of which £371,118, applied to War purposes, was repaid from Revenue in 1916-17) and £37,100 out of Sinking Funds. In addition the Australian Notes Fund took over £230,680 of General Trust Fund investments. £15,077 was applied to the redemption of Port Augusta-Oodnadatta Railway loans
				1,944,319	4	Not fixed	
1914-16	War purposes	14,842,105					From Government of the United Kingdom. Included in Funding Arrangements in 1920-21.
1915-16	Works and other purposes		2,859,341	4	Not fixed	100	Treasury Bills—£2,721,381 purchased out of the Australian Notes Fund and £137,960 out of General Trust Funds and Sinking Funds. £400,923 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory and Port Augusta-Oodnadatta Railway loans
1915-16	War purposes		13,389,440	4½	15.12.25	100	
1915-16	"		21,655,680	4½	"	100	
1915-16	"	21,932,164					From Government of the United Kingdom. Included in Funding Arrangements in 1920-21.
1915-17	Loan for the States	4,000,000		5½	1.8.20-22	100	Raised by the Commonwealth for all States excepting New South Wales in pursuance of the agreement of 6th November, 1915, between the Commonwealth and the States
1916-17	"	3,500,000		5½	1.6.22-27	98	
1916-17	War purposes		23,587,640	4½	15.12.25	100	
1916-17	"		21,884,000	4½	"	100	
1916-17	"	11,000,000					From Government of the United Kingdom. Included in Funding Arrangements in 1920-21

## LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30th JUNE, 1931— —IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER—continued.

NOTE.—Short-dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Raising.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
		£	£	Per cent.		£	
1917-18	War purposes		21,213,780	4½	15.12.27	100	
1917-18	"	1,307,789		"	"	"	Increased indebtedness in respect of loans from Government of the United Kingdom. Included in Funding Arrangements in 1920-21
1917-18	"		36,293,330	4½	15.12.27	100	
1917-18	"		6,650,840	5	"	"	
1917-18	Works and other purposes		1,803,447	4	Not fixed	100	Purchased out of Australian Notes Fund
1917-18	Loans for the States	4,750,000		5½	1.6.22-27	99½	Raised by the Commonwealth for all States excepting New South Wales in pursuance of the agreement of 6th November, 1915, between the Commonwealth and the States
1917-18	"	4,500,000		5½	"	98½	
1918-19	War purposes		44,072,650	5	15.9.1923	100	
1918-19	Works and other purposes		1,429,891	4	Not fixed	100	Treasury Bills purchased out of General Trust Funds, which in addition took over £2,432,109 of the Australian Notes Fund investments. £339,408 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory loans
1919-20	War purposes		25,025,370	5	15.12.1927	100	
1919-20	Works purposes		1,286,786	4	Not fixed	100	Treasury Bills—£1,260,096 purchased out of the Australian Notes Fund and £17,690 out of the Sinking Funds
1919-20	War purposes		857,933	4	"	100	Treasury Bills purchased out of the Australian Notes Fund; repaid from Revenue in 1920-21
1920-21	"		26,312,560	6	15.12.1930	100	
1920-21	Works and other purposes		4,101,726	4	Not fixed	100	Treasury Bills—£2,045,643 purchased out of the Australian Notes Fund and £2,056,083 out of General Trust Funds. £223,814 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory loans
1920-21	War purposes	5,000,000		6	1.3.31-41	95	
1920-21	"	2,000,000		5½	6 months	100	
1920-21	Funding Arrangements covering the War indebtedness to the Government of the United Kingdom	23,480,157		6			Includes loans from the Government of the United Kingdom, £49,032,058 previously shown in the years in which raised
1921-22	War purposes		10,066,940	6	15.12.1930	96	
1921-22	"	5,000,000		6	1.3.31-41	95	£2,000,000 was applied to the redemption of Treasury Bills raised in 1920-21

LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30TH JUNE, 1931—  
IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER—continued.

Note.—Short-dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Making.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
1921-22	Works and other purposes <sup>1</sup>	5,000,000		6	1.3.31-41	97	£23,251,028 of the proceeds were applied in redeeming Treasury Bills purchased out of the General Trust Funds and Sinking Funds
1921-22	" " "	5,000,000		5	1.6.35-45	96	
1922-23	" " "		4,000,000	4	Not fixed	100	Treasury Bills purchased out of General Trust Funds to redeem States Loan raised in 1917-17
1923-24	Conversion and Redemption Loans raised for redemption of the 5 per cent. 1923 War Loan		32,797,099	5	Various		In addition there was applied to the redemption of the 6 per cent. 1923 War Loan— National Debt £ Sinking Fund 570,000 Revenue Surplus 4,463,460 The balance was redeemed from loan moneys in hand and from other loan raisings
1923-24	For the Commonwealth, £2,462,540 For States for Redemption, £4,167,287 " " Immigration, £880,173	7,500,000		5	1.3.35-45	99	(Included in the amount raised was £80,173 for Development and Migration Loans to States and £4,167,287 to redeem Treasury Bills raised in 1922-23 for redemption of States loan
1923-24	Conversion and redemption Loans raised for the Redemption of War Gratuity Bonds		16,987,594 760,000	6½	Various		In addition there was applied to the redemption of War Gratuity Bonds at maturity— Loan moneys in hand at 30th June, 1923 £1,481,016 Revenue Surplus 452,295
1923-24	Works and other purposes		2,005,000	4	Not fixed	100	Treasury Bills purchased out of General Trust Funds
1923-24	" " "	10,000,000		5	1.6.35-45	100	£23,763 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory and Port Augusta Railway loans
1924-25	" " "		300,000	6	31.5.1927	100	Public Trustee Investment
1924-25	" " "		6,000,000	4½	1.7.40-50	97½	£1,609,955 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory and Port Augusta Railway loans
1924-25	For the States, £10,300,000		7,656,360	6	15.3.1930	98½	Raised by the Commonwealth or the States. The amount of £128,270 over-subscribed was taken by the Commonwealth and applied to debt redemption
1924-25	For the Commonwealth, £128,270		2,777,910	6	15.3.1935		
1924-25	Works and other purposes		375,000	†	Not fixed	100	Public Trustee Investment
1924-25	Redemption Loan for the States		3,102,760 1,807,090	6	15.3.1930 15.3.1935	99	Raised by the Commonwealth for the States of Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania. The proceeds were applied to meet maturing obligations. The figures shown include £214,710 of State Securities converted into Commonwealth Securities
1924-25	Redemption Loan		2,022,680	5	On or Before 31.3.1926		

<sup>1</sup> Rates according to Bank of England discount rate.

LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30TH JUNE, 1931—  
IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER—continued.

Note.—Short dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Making.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
1925-26	For the Commonwealth £10,402,754 For the States 5,008,733						
		15,411,487		5	15.7.52-55	99½	Raised in New York by the Commonwealth for Works and other purposes and for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, and Western Australia. £78,602 was applied to the redemption of Northern Territory and Port Augusta Railway Loans
1925-26	For the Commonwealth £2,853,129 For the States for Works 1,825,000 For the States for Immigration 103,602 For the States for Grafton - South Brisbane Railway 418,269						
		5,000,000		5	1.7.45-75	99½	Raised by the Commonwealth for Works and other purposes and for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia and Western Australia
1925-26	Conversion and Redemption Loan		27,075,970 12,890,580 27,406,050	5½	15.12.1931 15.12.1936	100	For conversion and redemption of 4½ per cent. 1925 loan and for redemption of other securities
1925-26	For the States		2,349,680 884,550 3,040,510	5½	15.12.1931 15.12.1939 15.12.1941		
1925-26	For the States		1,640,000	5½	1941	100	Raised for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania
1925-26	For the Commonwealth £3,979,253 For the States for Immigration 1,600,613 For the States for Grafton - South Brisbane Railway 418,934						
		6,000,000		5	1.7.45-75	99½	Raised for works and other purposes and for loans to States for Immigration. £90,388 was applied to the redemption of Port Augusta Railway Loans
1926-27	For the Federal Capital Commission £1,199,130 For the States 5,916,000						
			2,985,490 1,451,750	5½	15.2.33 15.2.38	100	Raised for the Federal Capital Commission and for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania
			2,077,950		15.2.43		
1926-27	Conversion Loan		9,967,470 5,042,295 10,038,260	5½	15.2.33 15.2.38 15.2.43	100	Conversion of 4½ and 5 per cent. loan maturing 15.12.1927
1926-27	For the Federal Capital Commission £824,960 For the States 3,463,000						
			2,557,400 751,520	5½	15.2.33 15.2.38	100	Raised for the Federal Capital Commission and for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania
			979,040		15.2.43		
1926-27	Conversion Loan		1,852,460 854,150 850,330	5½	15.2.33 15.2.43	100	Conversion of 6 per cent. War Gratuity loan maturing 31.5.1927
1926-27	Conversion Loan		300,000	5½	15.2.43		

<sup>1</sup> Raised in New York.

LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30TH JUNE, 1931—  
IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER—continued.

NOTE.—Short-dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Rating.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
		£	£	Per cent.		£	
1926-27	Redemption Loan ..		375,000 956,340	4	1.8.27 30.11.27	100	Short dated Treasury Bills issued to the Public and Treasury Bills purchased out of General Trust Fund. Proceeds applied to the redemption of 6 per cent. 1927 loan.
1926-27	Redemption and Conversion Loan for the States ..	11,711,000	1,039,100	5 5½	1.7.45-76 15.2.1943	98 100	
	For the Commonwealth ..	1,375,262					
	For the States for Works ..	4,543,000					
1927-28	For the States for Migration ..	819,823					
	For the States for Grafton-South Brisbane Railway ..	261,915					
			7,000,000	5	1.7.45-76	98	Raised for Works and other purposes, for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania, and for loans to States for Migration
1927-28	For the Commonwealth ..	2,889,140					
	For the States for Works ..	5,330,320					
			3,219,460*	5	1.9.47-57	98	Raised in New York by the Commonwealth for Works and other purposes, and for the States of Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania
1927-28	Conversion and Redemption Loan ..		28,981,530 3,943,110 3,238,120	5½	15.2.1933 15.2.1938 15.2.1943	98½	For conversion and redemption of 4½ per cent. and 5 per cent. 1927 loans.
	For the Commonwealth ..	2,636,413					
1927-28	For the States for Works ..	3,414,000					
	For the States for Migration ..	949,587					
			7,000,000	5	1.7.45-76	97½	Raised for Works and other purposes, for the States of Queensland, South Australia, and Tasmania, and for loans to States for Migration
	For the Commonwealth ..	2,358,448					
	For the States for Works ..	4,620,000					
1927-28	For the States for Migration ..	735,338					
	For the States for Grafton-South Brisbane Railway ..	285,214					
			8,000,000	5	1.7.45-76	98	Raised for Works and other purposes, for the States of New South Wales, Victoria, and Queensland, and for loans to States for Migration
1927-28	For the Commonwealth ..	4,340,902					
	For the States for Works ..	5,933,423					
			10,274,324*	4½	1.5.1956	92½	Raised in New York by the Commonwealth for Works and other purposes, and for the States of New South Wales, Queensland, and Victoria
1928-29	Conversion and Redemption Loan ..		18,685,650 3,735,460	5½	15.9.35 15.9.42	98½	For the conversion and redemption of the 5 per cent. Loan maturing on 15th September, 1928.

\* Raised in New York.

LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30TH JUNE, 1931—  
IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER—continued.

NOTE.—Short-dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Rating.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
		£	£	Per cent.		£	
	For the Commonwealth ..	4,540,769					
1928-29	For the States for Migration ..	2,151,046					
	For the States for Grafton-South Brisbane Railway ..	308,195					
			7,000,000	5	1.7.45-76	98	Raised for Works and other purposes, and for Loans to States for Development and Migration and for Grafton-South Brisbane Railway
	For the Commonwealth ..	2,700,473					
1928-29	For the States for Works ..	5,000,000					
	For the States for Grafton-South Brisbane Railway ..	289,528					
			8,000,000	5	1.7.45-76	98	Raised for Commonwealth Works and other purposes, and for Loans to the States of New South Wales, Queensland, and South Australia
1928-29	For the States ..		7,637,430	5½	15.7.39	100	Raised for the States of New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, and Tasmania for Public Works and for the redemption of maturing securities
1928-29	Conversion Loan ..		1,396,330	5½	15.7.39	100	For the conversion and redemption of 6 per cent. Loan matured 31st May, 1929. Securities not converted redeemed from National Debt Sinking Fund
1928-29	For the States—"Over the Counter" Sales and Conversions at State Treasuries ..		30,354,251	Various	Various	98½-100	For the conversion and redemption of State Securities and for Public Works
1928-29	For the Commonwealth ..		778,210 304,480	5½	15.9.35 15.9.42	98½-100	For Federal Capital Commission
1928-29	Conversion and Redemption Loan ..		12,403,734	5	1.7.45-76	97	For the conversion and redemption of Queensland Government 5½ per cent. Inscribed Stock matured 1st July, 1929
1929-30	For the Commonwealth ..	£ 175,244					
	For the States ..	4,824,766					
			5,000,000	26	28 3.9.1930 approx.		Short-dated Treasury Bills raised for Commonwealth and States of New South Wales, Victoria, and Western Australia for Works
1929-30	For the Commonwealth ..	1,720,980					
	For the States ..	8,262,000					
			10,002,980	5½	15.11.34	98	Issued for the Commonwealth and States of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania for Public Works and for redemption of maturing securities
1929-30	Conversion and Redemption Loan :-						
	For the Commonwealth ..	£ 38,179,803					
	For the States ..	10,041,247					
			48,221,050*	6	15.3.37	100	For the conversion and redemption of Commonwealth 6 per cent. 1930 Loans

\* Conversion .. £49,494,830  
Cash Subscriptions .. 7,273,220  
£48,221,610

LOANS RAISED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UP TO 30TH JUNE, 1931—  
IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER—continued.

Note.—Short-dated Loans Issued and Redeemed in the same Financial Year are omitted from this Statement.

Date of Raising.	Service.	Amount Raised.		Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Price.	
		London.	Australia.				
1929-30	For the States—"Over the Counter" Sales and Conversions at State Treasuries.	£ ..	24,167,922	Per cent. Various	88-100	Various	For the conversion and redemption of State securities and for "Public Works."
1929-30	For the States.	..	2,300,000	5½	Various	..	Short-dated Treasury Bills raised for States of Victoria and South Australia for Works, &c.
1929-30	Conversion and Redemption Loan.	3,781,700	..	5½	1934-36	97	For conversion and redemption of Queensland Government 3½ per cent. inscribed stock matured 1st July, 1930.
1929-30	For the Commonwealth For the States.	£ .. 10,326,500	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	12,441,810	6	15.11.38	100	For works and other purposes and for the States of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania.
1930-31	For the Commonwealth	..	150,000	5½	7.10.45*	100	Instalment stock to cover Loan by Commonwealth Bank for housing purposes in Federal Capital Territory.
1930-31	For the Commonwealth	..	420,000	6	15.11.38	100	Investment by Superannuation Board for Works and other purposes.
1930-31	Conversion and Redemption Loan For the Commonwealth For the States	£ .. 19,333,512 11,864,698	25,488,200 4,364,230 249,880 96,000	6 5½ 5½ 6	15.12.32 15.12.40 15.12.50 31.8.35	100	For the conversion and redemption of Commonwealth 6 per cent. Loan matured 15th December, 1930, and for the States of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania.
1930-31	For the States	2,950,000 5,000,000	..	5 4	2.8.31 30.9.31	..	Short dated Treasury Bills raised for States of New South Wales, Victoria and Western Australia.
1930-31	For the Commonwealth For the States	£ .. 8,900,000 9,420,000	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	18,320,000	Various	..	..	Short-dated Treasury Bills
1930-31	For the Commonwealth For the States	£ .. 175,244 4,824,766	5,000,000	5	2.9.31	..	Short-dated Treasury Bills raised for Commonwealth and States of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, and Western Australia.
1930-31	For the States—"Over the Counter" Sales and Conversions at State Treasuries	..	22,756,087	Various	Various	Par.	For the conversion and redemption of State securities and for Public Works

\* Payment of interest and repayment of principal to be made by 70 half-yearly instalments.

PARTICULARS OF FLOTATION OF LOAN IN AUSTRALIA FOR THE  
COMMONWEALTH AND THE STATES DURING 1929-30.

Authority—The Financial Agreement Validation Act 1929, and the Loan Act 1929—

Date of raising	16th June, 1930
Date of closing subscriptions	28th July, 1930
Rate of interest	6 per cent.
When interest payable	Half-yearly 15th May 15th November
Currency	9 years
When principal repayable	15th November, 1938
Price of issue	£100
Subscriptions payable in accordance with any of the following options:—	
(1) Payment in full on application	*
(2) 10 per cent. on application	*
85 per cent. at any time up to	1st September, 1930
(3) 10 per cent. on application	1st July, 1930
25 per cent.	1st August, 1930
25 per cent.	1st September, 1930
40 per cent.	£10,000,000
Amount invited in prospectus	32,049
Number of subscribers	£12,441,810
Total subscribed	£12,441,810 0 0
Gross proceeds	£ ..
Expenses of flotation—	£ ..
Brokers and commission	31,532 17 3
Advertising and publicity	8,305 17 7
Printing and stationery	1,133 14 8
Postage and sundry expenses	1,629 2 3
	42,301 11 9
Net proceeds	12,399,508 8 3
Net proceeds per cent.	99 13 3
Expenses per cent.	0 6 9
Interest returned to investor (including redemption)	6 0 0
Interest cost to Commonwealth	6 1 0

\* Between 16th June, 1930, and 28th July, 1930.

PARTICULARS OF FLOTATION OF 6 PER CENT. LOAN RAISED IN AUSTRALIA  
IN 1929-30 FOR CONVERSION AND REDEMPTION OF 6 PER CENT.  
COMMONWEALTH LOANS MATURING 15TH MARCH, 1930, AND 15TH  
DECEMBER, 1930.

Authority— <i>Loans Conversion and Redemption Act 1921</i> —	
Date of raising	3rd February, 1930
Date of closing subscriptions	"
Rate of interest	6 per cent.
When interest payable	Half-yearly— 15th March 15th September
Currency	7 years
When principal repayable	1937
Subscriptions payable in accordance with any of the following options—	
(1) Payment in full on application	"
(2) 10 per cent. on application	"
90 per cent. at any time up to	14th March, 1930.
Price at which floated	Par.
Number of cash subscribers	20,893
Number of conversion applications	49,676
Total	64,569
	£ s. d.
Amount of cash subscriptions	7,724,850 0 0
Amount of conversions	40,496,200 0 0
Total Subscriptions and Conversions	48,221,050 0 0
Gross proceeds	48,221,050 0 0
Expenses of flotation—	
Brokerage	41,035 4 6
Commission	53,410 2 0
Advertising and other publicity	9,711 16 5
Stationery and printing	1,776 7 4
Postage, telegrams and distribution	2,354 8 8
Sundry other expenses	267 13 6
Total Expenses	108,555 12 5
Deduct Interest on overdue instalments	183 12 1
Net Expenses	108,372 0 4
Net proceeds	48,112,677 19 8
Net proceeds per cent.	99 15 6
Expenses per cent.	0 4 6
Interest returned to investor (including redemption)	6 0 0
Interest cost	6 0 0

\* Applications to be received on and after 3rd February, 1930, the right being reserved to the Treasurer to close the loan at any time.

PARTICULARS OF FLOTATION OF COMMONWEALTH LOAN IN LONDON IN  
APRIL, 1930, FOR CONVERSION AND REDEMPTION OF £3,781,700 OF  
QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT 3½ PER CENT. INSCRIBED STOCK MATURED  
1st JULY, 1930.

Date of closing of subscriptions—			
Cash applications			30th April, 1930.
Conversion applications			6th May, 1930.
Authorized by Act No. 4 of 1929			20th Loan
Rate of Interest			5½ per cent.
When interest payable			Half-yearly— 1st July 1st January
Currency			6 years*
When principal repayable			1st July, 1936*
Dates on which instalments payable—			
5 per cent. on application			30th April, 1930
52 per cent.			1st July, 1930
Price at which floated			£97
			£ s. d.
Amount invited in prospectus			3,781,700 0 0
Amount of cash subscriptions			2,088,197 16 4
Amount of conversions			1,693,522 3 8
Total subscriptions and conversions			3,781,700 0 0
Less Discount on cash subscriptions—3 per cent.		£62,643 16 9	
Conversion bonus—3 per cent.		50,807 3 3	
			113,451 0 0
Gross proceeds			3,668,249 0 0
Interest returned to investor (including redemption)—			
If redeemed at latest date of maturity—per cent.			6 2 2
If redeemed at earliest date of maturity—per cent.			6 7 5
Discount on instalments prepaid			2,115 7 9
Expenses of flotation—			
Bank's commission and charges, &c. in connection with conversion applications			4,611 8 11
Underwriting Commission			37,817 0 0
Brokerage			9,454 5 0
Commission to brokers			4,222 11 5
Advertising, printing inscription registers, postage and sundry expenses			6,295 11 4
Total expenses			62,400 16 8
Less Interest on Overdue Instalments		£36 12 10	
Interest on cash receipts		770 6 4	
			806 19 2
			61,593 17 6
Expenses per cent.			1 12 7
Net Proceeds (without deducting discount on instalments prepaid)			13,606,655 2 6
Net proceeds per cent.			95 7 5
Interest cost to Commonwealth (including redemption)—			
(a) If redeemed at latest date of maturity			6 9 0
(b) If redeemed at earliest date of maturity			6 17 3

\* The Government has the option of redemption in whole or in part, at par, on and after 1st July, 1934, on giving three months' notice.  
† The balance of £177,190 6s. 3d. which was required for redemption purposes was provided by the Queensland Government.

NATIONAL DEBT SINKING FUND.

SUMMARY of Transactions in respect of COMMONWEALTH DEBT from inception of Fund to 30th JUNE, 1931.

The National Debt Sinking Fund was established by the National Debt Sinking Fund Act 1923-24 and came into operation on 11th August, 1923. By that Act the Lewis Sinking Fund, Northern Territory Sinking Fund and Port Augusta Railway Sinking Fund were merged into the National Debt Sinking Fund. All moneys standing to the credit of these funds have transferred to, and all investments of these funds become subject to the provisions of Section 5(a) of the National Debt Sinking Fund Act. The Treasurer is required to pay into the Fund each year in accordance with the following moneys:

- 1. For a period of 50 years commencing in 1923-24...
2. For a period of 50 years commencing in 1923-24...
3. For a period of 50 years commencing in 1923-24...
4. In addition the Treasurer may, under Section 6, pay into the National Debt Sinking Fund out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund such further amount as he may determine.

Table with columns for Sections 5(a) and (b), War Service Home Loans Result, Total Debt, Repayment Schedule, Interest on Investments, Contributions by various departments, and Total. Includes a sub-table for Total Amounts provided for Debt Redemption 1925-24 to 1930-31.

\* Includes accrued interest on Commonwealth Stock purchased on the market by the Commission.

Table showing Total receipts of National Debt Sinking Fund in respect of Commonwealth Debt £26,055,124 8 9 from 11th August, 1923, to 30th June, 1931. Includes sub-tables for Redemptions 1924-25 to 1930-31 and Balance at 30th June, 1931.

NATIONAL DEBT SINKING FUND.

SUMMARY of Transactions in respect of STATES' DEBITS from the inception of Fund to 30th JUNE, 1931.

In the years 1925-26 and 1926-27 contributions have been paid into the National Debt Sinking Fund by the various States in respect of loans raised by the Commission for the States. Under the provisions of this Act the following contributions are to be paid into the Fund during each year:
1. For a period of 65 years commencing in July, 1927, on the net debt of each State existing at 30th June, 1927...
2. For a period of 65 years on each loan raised after 1st July, 1927, provided the loan is not raised for redemption or conversion purposes...

Table showing Receipts and Total Receipts for 1929-30 and 1930-31, categorized by State: New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, Western Australia, and Tasmania. Includes sub-tables for Funds applied to Redemptions purposes and Total Receipts 1930-31.

1. Of this sum £149,225 18 10 is temporarily advanced to the States and is repayable on 1st August, 1931.
2. Balance at 30th June, 1931.

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## AMOUNTS DUE TO THE COMMONWEALTH BY OTHER ADMINISTRATIONS AND AUTHORITIES

30th June, 1931.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Government of New South Wales— Interest, &c. paid by Commonwealth on behalf of New South Wales not recovered at 30th June, 1931.				3,834,148	13	
Government of Victoria— Bundoora Park Estate, Preston				3,250	0	0
Government of Tasmania— Advances—Public Works, Redemption, &c. Loans to Apple Growers	272,890	13	6	285,490	13	6
Administration of Papua— Loan for General Works Loan for Roads Loan for Port Moresby Reservoir Loan for Wharfs, Port Moresby and Samarai	33,306	9	0	71,308	3	2
Administration of New Guinea— Indebtedness on account of ex-enemy vessels purchased by the Commonwealth Loan for Public Works Deficit in Revenue Account during military occupation	17,070	6	0	37,740	3	8
Australian Commonwealth Shipping Board— Debentures Interest	608,860	0	0	682,892	2	2
British Phosphate Commissioners— Advances under Nauru Island Agreement				1,415,898	12	0
Other Administrations and Authorities— Geelong Returned Soldiers and Sailors' Woollen and Worsted Co-operative Manufacturing Company Limited—Loan Loans to returned soldiers for land settlement, Federal Capital Territory and Northern Territory Young Men's Christian Association, Melbourne and Hobart—Loan for Naval Hostels Controller and Accountant-General, Post-office, London—Advance for War Pensions Commonwealth Bank, London—Advance for War Pensions White Star Line	25,000	0	0	1,386,840	9	11
				7,747,563	17	9

## PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES

AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1931.

PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

Table showing Public Debts of the States at 30th June 1931. Includes Gross Debts, Sinking Fund Balances, Net Debts, and Average Rate of Interest for Australia, London, and New York.

PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES AT 30th JUNE, 1931. AMOUNTS MATURING EACH FINANCIAL YEAR ACCORDING TO LATEST DATE OF MATURITY.

Table showing Public Debts of the States at 30th June 1931, specifically amounts maturing each financial year according to latest date of maturity. Includes categories like Overage of Interminable, Terminable at option of Government, and Half-yearly drawings.

PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES (GROSS), 1918-19 TO 1930-31.

Table showing Public Debts of the States (Gross) from 1918-19 to 1930-31. Columns include Total, New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania.

NOTE.—The above statements include approximately £7,000,000 on account of Loans for Soldier Land Settlement pending ratification of agreements for the liability to be taken over by the Commonwealth.

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## OLD-AGE PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "B."

## AGE, SEX, AND CONJUGAL CONDITION OF OLD-AGE PENSIONERS ADMITTED DURING 1930-31.

(Age taken as at date of commencement of Pension.)

At Age of—	Number of Men.				Number of Women.				Total Number of Men and Women.
	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Total.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Total.	
60	63	193	54	310	469	2,155	1,947	3,971	4,281
61	83	190	32	295	192	927	444	1,563	1,858
62	75	190	35	300	133	829	329	1,284	1,584
63	88	203	47	338	106	713	275	1,094	1,432
64	136	366	75	577	105	594	225	924	1,501
65	899	2,068	582	3,589	100	616	251	967	2,506
66	490	975	305	1,770	90	443	202	735	2,505
67	342	823	209	1,374	72	417	201	690	2,064
68	209	739	191	1,139	54	331	176	561	1,700
69	167	634	169	960	51	256	161	468	1,428
70	138	535	167	840	52	259	144	455	1,295
71	102	528	132	762	29	175	133	337	1,099
72	82	289	101	472	25	127	114	269	741
73	60	271	111	442	22	113	105	240	682
74	46	195	70	311	13	83	71	167	478
75	34	142	54	230	16	46	66	128	358
76	24	124	58	206	10	43	65	118	324
77	21	67	44	132	3	30	62	95	217
78	20	43	34	97	4	23	43	70	167
79	9	38	21	68	3	26	41	70	188
80	7	37	32	76	1	15	37	53	129
81	3	22	13	38	3	7	32	42	80
82	6	27	20	53	8	20	28	56	111
83	2	15	11	28	2	4	22	28	46
84	1	8	12	20	1	7	13	16	36
85	2	8	6	16	1	5	10	14	30
86	1	3	5	9	1	3	10	14	23
87	1	2	6	9	1	6	7	13	20
88	1	2	2	5	1	5	7	13	20
89	1	2	2	5	1	7	7	15	22
90	1	3	4	8	1	5	6	12	20
91	1	1	3	5	1	4	4	9	15
92	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	5	9
93	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	5	9
94	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	5	9
95	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	5	9
96	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	5	9
97	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	5	9
	3,090	8,721	2,606	14,416	1,582	8,223	4,623	14,428	28,844

## INVALID PENSIONS.

TABLE "C."

## DISPOSAL OF CLAIMS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR 1930-31.

NOTE.—The Commonwealth commenced to pay Invalid Pensions on 15th December, 1910.

	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total for Australia.
Claims awaiting determination on 30th June, 1930	269	224	164	113	99	50	919
Claims received during the twelve months ended 30th June, 1931	6,383	3,662	2,116	945	873	467	14,446
	6,652	3,886	2,280	1,058	972	517	15,365
<b>Deduct—</b>							
Claims rejected	2,017	989	843	269	371	174	4,663
Claims awaiting determination on 30th June, 1931	277	135	132	85	62	5	696
	2,294	1,124	975	354	433	179	5,359
Total pensions granted	4,358	2,762	1,305	704	539	338	10,006
<b>Add—</b>							
Transfers from other States	179	131	73	69	32	48	532
Invalid Pensions current on 30th June, 1930	25,740	18,641	9,166	4,017	3,284	2,456	63,304
	30,277	21,534	10,544	4,790	3,865	2,842	73,842
<b>Deduct—</b>							
Deaths	1,263	857	481	224	198	127	3,140
Cancellations; and Transfers to other States	928	752	356	112	103	108	2,359
	2,191	1,609	837	336	301	235	5,499
INVALID PENSIONS CURRENT ON 30th JUNE, 1931	28,086	19,925	9,707	4,454	3,534	2,607	68,343
Invalid Pensions current on 30th June, 1930	25,740	18,641	9,166	4,017	3,284	2,456	63,304
Increase during the twelve months	2,346	1,284	541	437	270	151	5,039

TABLE "D"

## AGE, SEX, AND CONJUGAL CONDITION OF INVALID PENSIONERS ADMITTED DURING 1930-31.

(Age taken as at date of commencement of Pension.)

At Age of—	Number of Men.				Number of Women.				Total Number of Men and Women.
	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Total.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Total.	
16	313			313	298			298	611
17	87			87	112	1		113	200
18	79			79	79	3		82	161
19	56	2		58	85	3		88	146
20	97	3		100	77	3		80	160
21	74	3		77	80	7		87	164
22	47	3		50	63	10		73	123
23	53	5		58	69	9		78	136
24	43	8		51	49	7		56	106
25	51	11	1	63	50	10	1	61	124
26	48	21		69	43	13		56	125
Carried forward	917	561	11	1,489	1,006	66	1	1,073	2,046

INVALID PENSIONERS—continued

TABLE "D"—AGE, SEX, AND CONJUGAL CONDITION OF INVALID PENSIONERS ADMITTED—continued.

At Age of—	Number of Males				Number of Females				Total Number of Males and Females
	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Total.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Total.	
Brought forward	917	86	1	974	1,005	66	1	1,072	2,046
27 ..	49	21	1	64	31	13	2	46	110
28 ..	33	10	2	54	27	14	3	44	96
29 ..	34	22	1	57	39	22	2	63	120
30 ..	40	36	1	76	41	21	2	62	138
31 ..	31	32	1	64	26	18	2	46	110
32 ..	35	31	1	66	28	17	4	49	116
33 ..	24	30	2	56	21	16	2	39	95
34 ..	30	30	1	61	27	26	3	56	117
35 ..	50	60	1	80	55	23	4	82	159
36 ..	21	45	1	67	30	26	6	62	119
37 ..	18	45	1	64	26	27	6	59	119
38 ..	23	43	2	68	30	21	1	52	110
39 ..	29	54	2	85	28	25	3	56	117
40 ..	29	49	2	80	28	39	10	77	157
41 ..	29	43	1	73	31	37	8	76	149
42 ..	38	68	6	112	34	35	20	89	201
43 ..	26	66	1	93	26	26	15	67	160
44 ..	31	59	1	90	27	37	16	80	170
45 ..	12	56	5	73	27	38	22	87	162
46 ..	26	76	5	107	14	55	25	94	201
47 ..	25	72	2	99	18	55	23	96	196
48 ..	29	69	4	102	25	66	33	124	226
49 ..	29	95	7	131	21	74	28	123	254
50 ..	43	86	6	135	31	73	34	138	275
51 ..	41	84	6	131	35	83	48	166	297
52 ..	40	105	8	153	18	68	54	138	291
53 ..	35	105	8	148	25	83	43	150	298
54 ..	51	100	12	163	31	91	69	191	354
55 ..	50	96	10	156	31	100	66	197	353
56 ..	53	93	9	155	28	127	84	239	396
57 ..	49	115	13	177	27	122	88	237	412
58 ..	67	146	21	234	37	114	91	242	476
59 ..	64	163	21	248	30	135	82	247	485
60 ..	24	36	3	63	14	34	14	62	150
61 ..	5	29	8	42	3	19	13	41	82
62 ..	7	26	7	40	5	23	19	47	87
63 ..	17	27	6	50	16	17	33	83	94
64 ..	18	31	7	56	15	14	38	84	94
65 ..	11	22	6	39	1	12	12	25	64
66 ..	7	20	4	31	2	11	10	23	54
67 ..	4	34	6	44	3	8	4	15	69
68 ..	4	16	5	25	1	8	16	25	50
69 ..	1	19	6	26	1	14	7	21	47
70 ..	1	13	2	16	1	9	8	18	42
71 ..	1	10	3	14	6	4	10	24	44
72 ..	3	10	5	18	8	5	15	33	53
73 ..	1	10	5	16	1	2	5	8	24
74 ..	3	5	8	16	1	5	4	10	24
75 ..	4	5	2	11	1	3	4	8	19
76 ..	4	4	4	12	2	4	6	12	26
77 ..	2	2	4	8	2	2	4	8	18
78 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	2	4	10
79 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
80 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
81 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
82 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
83 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
84 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
85 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
86 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
87 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
88 ..	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	7
Totals	2,168	2,563	249	5,000	1,943	1,991	1,072	5,006	10,006

INVALID AND OLD-AGE PENSIONERS.

SEX AND CONJUGAL CONDITION OF ALL PENSIONERS ADMITTED DURING 1930-31.

(As per Tables "B" and "D.")

Category	Sex and Marital Status				Total
	Single	Married	Widowed	Total	
Old-age Pensioners—Men	3,090	8,721	2,605	14,416	14,416
Women	1,562	8,223	4,623	14,408	14,408
Totals	4,652	16,944	7,228	28,844	28,844
Invalid Pensioners—Men	2,168	2,563	249	5,000	5,000
Women	1,943	1,991	1,072	5,006	5,006
Totals	4,111	4,554	1,321	10,006	10,006
Grand Totals	8,783	21,518	8,549	38,850	38,850

TABLE "F"

TOTAL NUMBER OF CLAIMS, DEATHS, AND CANCELLATIONS. (Figures based on Annual Statements.)

State	Old-age Pensions			Invalid Pensions			
	Granted	Rejected	Deaths	Granted	Rejected	Deaths	Cancelled
New South Wales	146,654	17,921	57,274	14,348	52,741	17,490	16,371
Victoria	112,959	8,360	54,153	8,807	39,721	10,305	14,200
Queensland	48,359	3,994	21,914	4,069	18,890	7,733	6,211
South Australia	34,468	2,376	15,608	2,712	9,066	2,371	3,176
Western Australia	20,356	2,436	7,597	2,298	7,611	3,944	2,629
Tasmania	17,843	1,247	7,942	1,740	6,488	2,168	2,955
Totals	380,639	41,934	174,488	39,974	134,417	44,018	44,952

Note.—The Commonwealth compensated to pay Invalid Pensions on 16th December, 1931.

TABLE "G"

NUMBER OF PENSIONERS ON 30th JUNE, 1931.

State	Old-age Pensioners			Invalid Pensioners			Total Old-age and Invalid Pensioners	Number of Old-age Pensioners in each 10,000 of Population*	Number of Invalid Pensioners in each 10,000 of the Population*	Number of Old-age and Invalid Pensioners in each 10,000 of the Population*
	Males	Women	Total	Males	Women	Total				
New South Wales	28,008	37,020	65,028	12,488	15,848	28,336	93,128	256.10	111.08	371.17
Victoria	26,188	20,817	46,995	8,841	11,084	19,925	66,920	270.20	111.26	389.46
Queensland	10,001	12,385	22,386	4,068	5,042	9,110	32,083	235.98	102.37	338.35
South Australia	8,295	9,803	18,148	1,708	2,761	4,469	20,602	276.23	75.82	351.16
Western Australia	4,847	5,614	10,461	1,673	1,891	3,564	14,015	243.71	84.60	332.21
Tasmania	3,470	4,682	8,152	1,142	1,405	2,607	10,768	389.05	118.18	498.13
Totals	72,837	90,320	163,157	30,172	38,171	68,343	240,620	265.87	105.63	371.40

\* Population taken as at 31st December, 1930.

INVALID AND OLD-AGE PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "H."

LIABILITY AT 30th JUNE, 1931

	Old-age.		Invalid.		Total.	
	Fortnightly Liability.	Liability for 26 Fortnights (approximately one year).	Fortnightly Liability.	Liability for 26 Fortnights (approximately one year).	Fortnightly Liability.	Liability for 26 Fortnights (approximately one year).
New South Wales	124,072	3,225,872	54,846	1,425,996	178,918	4,651,868
Victoria	95,602	2,485,652	38,713	1,006,538	134,315	3,492,190
Queensland	42,673	1,109,498	18,964	493,064	61,637	1,602,562
South Australia	30,258	786,708	8,659	225,154	38,917	1,011,842
Western Australia	20,006	520,130	6,921	179,946	26,926	700,076
Tasmania	16,862	439,412	5,069	131,768	20,450	531,180
<b>Totals</b>	<b>327,372</b>	<b>8,527,272</b>	<b>133,171</b>	<b>3,462,446</b>	<b>461,143</b>	<b>11,989,718</b>

TABLE "I."

AVERAGE FORTNIGHTLY RATE OF PENSIONS AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

NOTE.—The maximum fortnightly rate is Forty shillings.

	Old-age.		Invalid.		Old-aged Invalid.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	1 18 1-88	1 19 0-60	1 18 5-06	1 18 5-06	1 18 5-06	1 18 5-06
Victoria	1 18 2-90	1 18 10-30	1 18 5-01	1 18 5-01	1 18 5-01	1 18 5-01
Queensland	1 18 1-69	1 19 0-86	1 18 5-07	1 18 5-07	1 18 5-07	1 18 5-07
South Australia	1 17 5-71	1 18 10-60	1 17 9-36	1 17 9-36	1 17 9-36	1 17 9-36
Western Australia	1 18 2-97	1 18 11-40	1 18 5-10	1 18 5-10	1 18 5-10	1 18 5-10
Tasmania	1 17 7-78	1 18 10-84	1 17 11-85	1 17 11-85	1 17 11-85	1 17 11-85
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>1 18 1-16</b>	<b>1 18 11-65</b>	<b>1 18 4-14</b>	<b>1 18 4-14</b>	<b>1 18 4-14</b>	<b>1 18 4-14</b>

TABLE "J."

PENSIONERS RECEIVING THE MAXIMUM PENSION OF £62 PER ANNUM AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

	Old-age.			Invalid.		
	Total Number of Pensioners.	Number Receiving £62 per annum.	Percentage Receiving £62 per annum.	Total Number of Pensioners.	Number Receiving £62 per annum.	Percentage Receiving £62 per annum.
New South Wales	65,032	51,517	79-37	28,096	25,398	90-40
Victoria	49,999	39,600	79-20	19,926	17,491	87-78
Queensland	22,376	17,494	78-05	9,707	8,732	89-96
South Australia	16,148	11,852	73-46	4,454	3,928	88-19
Western Australia	10,461	8,222	78-60	3,554	3,127	87-98
Tasmania	8,161	6,028	73-86	2,607	2,302	88-30
<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>172,177</b>	<b>134,583</b>	<b>78-16</b>	<b>68,343</b>	<b>60,978</b>	<b>89-22</b>

INVALID AND OLD-AGE PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "K."

PENSIONERS IN BENEVOLENT ASYLUMS

	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total for Australia.
Number of pensioners in Benevolent Asylums at 30th June, 1930	1,594	1,226	953	681	697	185	5,236
Number of pensioners admitted to Benevolent Asylums since 30th June, 1930, whose pensions were cancelled and to whom new pensions of £6. 6s. per week were granted	310	676	359	196	166	44	1,650
Number of pensioners admitted to Benevolent Asylums and granted pensions of £6. 6s. per week	2	...	31	9	123	1	166
Number of £6. 6s. per week pensions granted to inmates of Benevolent Asylums who would have been eligible for pensions if resident outside the institutions	340	178	29	95	1	5	640
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>1,977</b>	<b>1,372</b>	<b>881</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>7,098</b>
Deduct—Deaths	204	264	296	103	129	33	1,028
Cancelations	238	400	224	165	168	23	1,208
<b>Total</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>764</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>2,236</b>
NUMBER OF £6. 6s. PER WEEK PENSIONS PAYABLE TO INMATES OF BENEVOLENT ASYLUMS AT 30th JUNE, 1931	1,804	1,223	943	623	690	170	5,402
Annual liability at 30th June, 1931, for pensions to inmates of Benevolent Asylums	£ 72,570 4	£ 77,489 0	£ 58,483 18	£ 38,908 15	£ 34,507 0	£ 7,260 0	£ 210,177 0

TABLE "L."

TOTAL EXPENDITURE IN 1930-31

(Not including cost of administration.)

	Amounts paid to Pensioners (including payments to Pensioners in Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals).	Amounts paid to Pensioners in Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for maintenance of Pensioners.	Total payments to Pensioners and Unemployed Asylums and Hospitals.
New South Wales	£ 4,415,691	£ 41,050	£ 4,456,660
Victoria	3,309,626	40,377	3,448,803
Queensland	1,601,621	33,879	1,635,400
South Australia	977,132	14,028	991,168
Western Australia	678,250	10,542	688,792
Tasmania	622,602	6,342	628,944
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,540,828</b>	<b>161,125</b>	<b>11,710,953</b>

TABLE "M."

COST OF ADMINISTRATION IN 1930-31.

	£	Brought forward	£
Salaries (including temporary assistance)	54,833	...	73,431
Office cleaning	799	...	30
Postage and telegrams	6,424	...	1,709
Office requisites, excluding writing paper and envelopes	389	...	63
Writing paper and envelopes, including cost of printing and embossing thereon	781	...	31
Accounts, raised, and other books, including cost of material, printing, and binding	65	...	83
Other printing	2,124	...	16,780
Travelling expenses	35	...	...
Incidental and petty cash expenditure	1,225	...	...
Medical examinations	6,057	...	310
Carried forward	73,431	...	93,077

INVALID AND OLD-AGE PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "N."  
SUMMARY.

Financial Year Ended...	Number of Pensioners.		Total.	Amount Paid in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital.	Amount of Excesses for Pensioners not in Hospital.	Total to Pensioners in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital.	Cost of Pensioners in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital.	One of the Excesses in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital.	Annual Excess on Last Financial Year.	Average Availability for Last Financial Year.	Number of Pensioners in each 10,000 of the Population.
	Old-age.	Invalid.									
20th June 1910	65,492	68,492	133,984	1,433,430	1,433,430	1,433,430	37,146	2 11 10	1,624,454	19 1	180
1911	75,202	82,963	158,165	1,847,440	1,847,440	1,847,440	39,244	2 2 6	2,054,354	19 1	171
1912	79,071	89,834	168,905	2,144,212	2,144,212	2,144,212	41,794	1 18 11	2,216,724	19 0	173
1913	82,740	94,852	177,592	2,502,570	2,502,570	2,502,570	44,703	1 12 5	2,449,434	19 6	175
1914	87,840	100,465	188,305	2,977,985	2,977,985	2,977,985	47,371	1 12 5	2,807,558	19 6	184
1915	90,892	103,417	194,309	3,519,939	3,519,939	3,519,939	49,418	1 15 4	2,990,352	19 5	184
1916	91,733	105,232	196,965	4,152,222	4,152,222	4,152,222	51,401	1 10 9	3,211,200**	19 4	186
1917	93,672	108,453	202,125	4,899,468*	4,899,468*	4,899,468*	54,393	1 10 7	3,568,022**	24 3†	192
1918	95,387	111,232	206,619	5,753,977*	5,753,977*	5,753,977*	61,305	1 8 8	3,968,022**	24 3	199
1919	97,059	114,299	211,358	6,730,866*	6,730,866*	6,730,866*	69,280	1 12 2	4,407,015**	24 2	191
1920	99,170	117,621	216,791	7,846,304*	7,846,304*	7,846,304*	74,120	1 13 1	5,095,496**	29 1†	189
1921	102,415	121,968	224,383	9,100,336*	9,100,336*	9,100,336*	82,271	1 14 1	5,403,224**	28 9	192
1922	107,585	127,816	235,401	10,493,326*	10,493,326*	10,493,326*	92,710	1 15 5	5,918,439**	28 9	191
1923	107,585	127,816	235,401	12,037,926*	12,037,926*	12,037,926*	104,166	1 15 5	6,462,188**	33 9	191
1924	113,054	128,554	241,608	13,949,626*	13,949,626*	13,949,626*	117,516	1 15 4	7,146,357**	33 9	197
1925	117,516	133,234	250,750	16,235,356	16,235,356	16,235,356	133,234	1 7 0	8,863,156**	33 7	200
1926	126,918	142,453	269,371	19,034,638*	19,034,638*	19,034,638*	151,641	1 4 2	9,344,956**	33 6	212
1927	133,234	151,641	284,875	22,400,000*	22,400,000*	22,400,000*	178,641	1 4 3	9,781,652**	33 5	218
1928	139,307	158,936	298,243	26,383,976*	26,383,976*	26,383,976*	207,246	1 4 3	10,333,074**	33 5	224
1929	145,733	166,416	312,149	31,150,626*	31,150,626*	31,150,626*	247,326	1 5 11	11,037,626**	33 4	229
1930	152,146	174,177	326,323	37,400,000*	37,400,000*	37,400,000*	303,077	1 5 11	12,067,626**	33 4	236
1931	158,560	181,125	339,685	45,100,000*	45,100,000*	45,100,000*	370,000	1 5 11	13,400,000**	33 4	244

The Column headed "Number of Pensioners" shows the number of pensioners on the 30th June of each year. The Column headed "Amount Paid in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital" shows the amount paid in excess of the maximum allowable for pensioners not in hospital. The Column headed "Amount of Excesses for Pensioners not in Hospital" shows the amount of excesses for pensioners not in hospital. The Column headed "Total to Pensioners in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital" shows the total to pensioners in excess of the maximum allowable for pensioners not in hospital. The Column headed "Cost of Pensioners in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital" shows the cost of pensioners in excess of the maximum allowable for pensioners not in hospital. The Column headed "One of the Excesses in Excess of the Maximum Allowable for Pensioners not in Hospital" shows one of the excesses in excess of the maximum allowable for pensioners not in hospital. The Column headed "Annual Excess on Last Financial Year" shows the annual excess on last financial year. The Column headed "Average Availability for Last Financial Year" shows the average availability for last financial year. The Column headed "Number of Pensioners in each 10,000 of the Population" shows the number of pensioners in each 10,000 of the population.

TABLE "A"—STATEMENT OF CLAIMS PAID AND REJECTED DURING THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1931.  
MATERNITY ALLOWANCES.

OASES IN WHICH ALLOWANCES WERE PAID—	New South Wales.		Queensland.	Victoria.		South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	Mothers attended by doctors.	Mothers not attended by doctors.							
Mothers attended by doctors	44,074	30,679	15,936	9,168	23	7,170	3,820	110,570	
Mothers not attended by doctors	7,586	4,869	2,884	659	28	1,759	1,579	15,679	
Totals	51,660	32,244	18,790	9,720	51	8,909	4,778	126,149	
OASES IN WHICH CLAIMS WERE REJECTED—	Children not viable Allowances not claimed within three months after the births Mothers aboriginal natives of Australia, Papua, or the Islands of the Pacific Cases withdrawn:—not completed Mothers not inhabitants or intending inhabitants of the Commonwealth Child born outside Australia Mother's whereabouts unknown Mothers deceased, applicants not entitled Mothers being aliens Not a suitable case for payment								
Totals	277	204	144	57	2	78	8	770	

\* "Sail births" includes births not attended by doctors where child lived less than twelve hours.

TABLE "B"—EXPENDITURE, 1930-31.

	£
New South Wales	253,300
Less refunds ..	86
Victoria	268,215
Less refunds ..	3
Queensland	161,202
South Australia	99,950
Western Territory	48,600
Northern Territory	255
Tasmania	44,945
Less refunds ..	23,885
Total	£830,652

TABLE "C"—COST OF ADMINISTRATION, 1930-31.

Salaries (including temporary assistance) ..	8,134
Printing and telegrams ..	1,495
Post office requisites, books, paper, and envelopes ..	567
Services of Registrars ..	3,709
Commission to post office on money orders ..	1,049
Rent ..	312
Incidental and petty cash expenditure ..	42
Travelling expenses ..	7
Law costs ..	7
Expenses and maintenance ..	7
Furniture and fittings ..	..
Total ..	£15,322

MATERNITY ALLOWANCES—continued.  
TABLE "D"—TOTAL NUMBER OF CLAIMS PAID AND RETROVED.

Year Ended 30th June—	Paid.														Totals		
	N.A.W.	Vic.	Quead.	S.A.	N.Z.	W.A.	Tas.	Arnhem.	N.S.W.	W.C.	W.V.	Quek.	S.A.	N.Z.		W.A.	Tas.
1913*	31,044	22,740	18,130	7,546	15	5,386	6,611	27,425	291	114	74	61	61	1	1	69	619
1914	21,239	20,000	19,710	12,743	23	5,180	5,933	27,476	321	116	74	61	61	1	1	67	709
1915	24,438	24,279	20,205	15,670	31	5,312	5,972	33,855	253	110	120	90	90	1	1	77	799
1916	22,806	24,371	19,124	11,241	42	5,702	6,670	31,949	307	107	106	90	90	1	1	77	804
1917	21,008	22,196	19,378	11,341	62	5,657	5,384	28,890	133	122	83	32	32	6	6	14	680
1918	24,983	23,979	19,317	11,164	70	6,007	6,214	32,016	155	99	122	39	39	1	1	10	690
1919	26,878	26,779	20,674	12,294	41	5,443	6,088	32,173	228	116	100	90	90	1	1	16	821
1921	25,413	26,377	20,603	12,181	45	5,018	6,548	33,140	224	115	91	81	81	1	1	18	822
1922	23,710	25,721	19,680	11,640	39	5,207	5,936	32,140	224	115	91	81	81	1	1	18	822
1923	24,700	20,000	19,660	11,485	34	5,408	6,171	33,561	204	104	81	71	71	1	1	18	822
1924	22,438	24,332	19,660	11,148	44	5,888	6,548	32,561	190	108	100	84	84	1	1	14	822
1927	22,438	24,332	19,660	11,148	44	5,888	6,548	32,561	190	108	100	84	84	1	1	14	822
1928	22,438	24,332	19,660	11,148	44	5,888	6,548	32,561	190	108	100	84	84	1	1	14	822
1929	22,438	24,332	19,660	11,148	44	5,888	6,548	32,561	190	108	100	84	84	1	1	14	822
1930	22,438	24,332	19,660	11,148	44	5,888	6,548	32,561	190	108	100	84	84	1	1	14	822
1931	22,438	24,332	19,660	11,148	44	5,888	6,548	32,561	190	108	100	84	84	1	1	14	822
Totals	587,816	649,768	366,862	216,768	708	165,373	181,143	2,475,475	7,883	2,677	2,739	393	393	27	27	1,105	15,308

SUMMARY.

Year Ended 30th June—	Claims Paid.	Claims Rejected.	Amount Paid to Maternity Allowancees.	Cost of Administration.	Cost of Administration in every 100th proportion.
1913*	88,475	619	412,516	1,717	1.9
1914	134,988	709	674,900	1,821	1.1
1915	151,946	840	684,975	1,900	1.2
1916	132,406	904	667,908	1,736	1.3
1917	124,018	404	667,908	1,736	1.16
1918	156,172	621	631,428	1,830	1.2
1919	180,102	622	682,985	1,896	1.16
1921	187,657	420	700,780	1,978	1.08
1922	187,657	420	684,700	1,841	1.0
1923	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1924	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1925	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1926	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1927	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1928	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1929	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1930	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
1931	187,657	420	670,175	1,670	0.9
Totals	2,475,475	7,883	10,822,916	27,000	1.1

\* Figures of Maternity Allowancees consisted of from 10th October, 1931.

WAR PENSIONS.

TABLE "A".

DISPOSAL OF CLAIMS DURING THE YEAR 1930-1931.

Description.	Number of Claims.											Total.
	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	London.	South Africa.	New Zealand.	Other Overseas.	Total.	
Claims being determination on 30th June, 1930.	166	307	42	20	25	21	46	..	..	..	617	
Claims being determination on 30th June, 1931.	3,466	4,124	1,488	524	846	626	235	7	30	..	11,750	
Claims being determination during year ended 30th June, 1931.	215	328	50	17	57	28	28	1	1	..	723	
Total	3,887	5,159	1,980	561	928	673	309	8	31	4	13,090	
Claims rejected.	290	463	60	17	30	8	62	..	5	..	920	
Claims awaiting determination at 30th June, 1931.	105	266	131	13	41	15	44	..	..	..	615	
Total Pensions granted.	3,982	4,435	1,389	531	897	690	203	8	25	4	11,895	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1930.	968	924	468	234	235	225	231	11	85	2	3,423	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1930.	89,071	93,884	28,705	16,791	28,407	19,321	9,162	168	724	62	279,285	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1931.	33,481	99,243	30,562	17,656	29,459	13,196	9,656	177	835	68	294,283	
Total Pensions granted during year ended 30th June, 1931.	702	607	268	160	307	99	180	3	12	..	2,336	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1930.	2,661	2,344	942	734	1,219	366	258	6	61	14	8,605	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1931.	3,363	3,041	1,200	903	1,426	468	447	9	73	14	10,941	
Total Pensions granted during year ended 30th June, 1931.	90,118	96,232	29,362	16,953	28,063	12,731	9,209	168	762	54	283,322	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1930.	89,071	93,884	28,705	16,791	28,407	19,321	9,162	168	724	62	279,285	
Transfers from other States and from Overseas War Pensions current on 30th June, 1931.	1,047	2,313	657	410	410	410	47	10	38	..	4,087	
Total Pensions granted during year ended 30th June, 1931.	1,047	2,313	657	410	410	410	47	10	38	..	4,087	

WAR PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "E."

(c) In respect of Deceased Members of the Forces—  
PARTICULARS OF WAR PENSIONERS AT 30th JUNE, 1931.

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	London	South Africa	New Zealand	Other Overseas	Total
(1) Dependents of Members of the Forces—											
(a) Widows	2,160	1,740	634	1,589	698	178	699	5	37	3	6,743
(b) Children	1,694	1,786	564	478	319	51	428	5	27	1	5,639
(c) Widowed mothers of unmarried members	3,743	1,693	521	411	189	169	834	5	46	1	6,647
(d) Other mothers	4,668	1,320	1,320	1,305	986	570	1,016	10	13	1	13,315
(e) Fathers	485	225	225	206	234	182	697	6	12	1	2,903
(f) Brothers and sisters	176	191	49	10	139	62	18	..	3	..	641
(g) Others	131	301	53	82	42	54	28	..	2	..	723
TOTALS	9,971	10,994	3,486	3,084	2,922	1,263	3,974	31	186	6	35,617

(2) In respect of Incapacitated Members of the Forces—

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	London	South Africa	New Zealand	Other Overseas	Total
(1) Dependents of Members of the Forces—											
(a) Wives	19,259	21,067	5,938	3,949	5,949	2,430	1,545	37	137	7	69,708
(b) Children	34,189	14,467	12,467	9,246	11,274	5,721	2,140	36	194	19	107,775
(c) Widowed mothers of unmarried members	876	1,075	186	156	162	45	169	1	2	..	1,767
(d) Other mothers	31	15	8	..	239	112	10	1	2	..	2,554
(e) Fathers	16	16	8	..	1	10	10	1	1	..	94
(f) Brothers and sisters	136	133	77	65	2	33	4	1	1	..	47
Total number of Dependents of Members of the Forces	54,752	60,142	17,681	9,405	17,634	8,424	3,868	69	337	26	173,889
Incapacitated Members of the Forces	25,305	25,066	5,193	4,164	7,507	3,044	1,697	97	239	22	75,316
TOTALS	80,147	85,208	22,876	13,569	25,141	11,468	5,565	137	576	48	247,705

WAR PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "B"

(c) In respect of Deceased and Incapacitated Members of the Forces—  
PARTICULARS OF WAR PENSIONERS AT 30th JUNE, 1931—continued.

	New South Wales	Victoria	Queensland	South Australia	Western Australia	Tasmania	London	South Africa	New Zealand	Other Overseas	Total
(1) Dependents of Members of the Forces—											
(a) Wives (or widows)	21,419	22,807	5,592	3,933	6,647	2,668	2,244	42	174	10	66,451
(b) Children	35,883	39,683	12,311	6,320	11,793	5,772	2,568	4	217	20	113,414
(c) Widowed mothers of unmarried members	2,044	2,562	707	459	456	204	534	9	48	1	7,414
(d) Other mothers	4,348	5,643	1,397	1,235	1,235	692	1,185	11	13	1	16,869
(e) Fathers	626	800	233	206	227	109	661	7	3	..	3,997
(f) Brothers and sisters	207	207	57	11	141	15	22	1	3	..	694
(g) Others	266	434	150	147	42	87	28	..	3	..	1,167
Total number of Dependents of Members of the Forces	64,763	71,136	21,657	12,489	20,266	9,687	7,542	111	523	32	205,006
Incapacitated Members of the Forces	25,855	25,066	6,195	4,164	7,507	3,044	1,687	57	239	22	75,316
TOTAL NUMBER OF WAR PENSIONERS AT 30th JUNE, 1931	90,118	96,202	27,852	16,653	27,773	12,731	9,229	168	762	54	280,322



## WAR PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "C."

TOTAL NUMBER OF CLAIMS, DEATHS, CANCELLATIONS, AND TRANSFERS UP TO 30TH JUNE, 1931.

	Granted.	Rejected.	Deaths.	Cancellations and Transfers in other States and Overseas.	Transfers from other States and Overseas.	In Force.
						%
New South Wales	130,545	25,636	8,436	61,702	19,711	90,138
Victoria	144,748	15,307	8,933	64,581	14,970	96,202
Queensland	47,435	3,716	2,736	22,895	7,559	29,362
South Australia	31,371	2,253	2,177	17,462	4,521	16,653
Western Australia	41,756	3,841	2,554	15,300	4,191	28,063
Tasmania	19,459	1,545	1,122	8,400	2,794	12,731
London	15,471	3,584	2,529	10,941	2,943	6,908
South Africa	184	6	26	213	243	168
New Zealand	950	78	113	1,349	1,274	762
Other Overseas	30	2	6	101	131	54
TOTALS	431,927	55,765	28,662	182,045	62,102	283,322

TABLE "D."

AVERAGE FORTNIGHTLY RATE OF WAR PENSIONS AT 30TH JUNE, 1931.

	Incapacitated Members of Forces.			Dependants of Deceased and Incapacitated Members of Forces.			All Pensioners.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
New South Wales	2	0	8.78	0	15	5.23	1	2	6.63
Victoria	1	13	7.93	0	13	5.06	0	13	3.34
Queensland	1	16	7.68	0	16	9.29	1	2	3.82
South Australia	1	18	7.54	0	16	5.60	1	2	0.25
Western Australia	1	17	6.41	0	13	7.37	1	0	3.92
Tasmania	2	2	5.94	0	14	3.71	1	1	0.16
London	2	6	8.92	1	3	4.27	1	7	7.07
South Africa	1	15	5.39	0	19	0.51	1	4	7.48
New Zealand	1	13	4.71	1	0	3.43	1	4	4.76
Other Overseas	1	4	8.59	0	16	4.68	0	19	9.38
AVERAGE	1	17	8.05	0	15	1.34	1	1	1.30

TABLE "E."

LIABILITY AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1931.

	Fortnightly Liability.		Liability for 2 <sup>d</sup> Fortnight (approximately 2 years).	
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	101,621	2,642,146		
Victoria	89,925	2,338,076		
Queensland	32,787	851,942		
South Australia	18,336	476,736		
Western Australia	29,110	756,860		
Tasmania	15,377	347,802		
London	12,704	330,304		
South Africa	207	6,332		
New Zealand	930	24,130		
Other Overseas	53	1,378		
TOTALS	299,031	7,774,806		

## WAR PENSIONS—continued.

TABLE "F."

EXPENDITURE IN 1930-31.

	£
The total expenditure on Australian War Pensions in 1930-31 was:—	2,736,872
New South Wales	2,367,707
Victoria	877,044
Queensland	496,704
South Australia	787,319
Western Australia	356,301
Tasmania	373,733
London, South Africa, New Zealand, and other countries	7,986,130
TOTAL	437,255
Add Payments made in Australia in respect of other countries	8,433,445
Less amounts received from other countries	446,407
TOTAL OF TRUST FUND, WAR PENSIONS ACCOUNT	7,987,038

TABLE "G."

COST OF ADMINISTRATION IN 1930-31.

	Reparation Commission.	Appeal Tribunal.	Total.
	£	£	£
Salaries, including Child Endowment Allowances	113,336	3,469	116,805
Postage and telegrams	2,871	304	3,175
Office requisites; writing-paper and envelopes; and account, record, and other books	743	21	764
Advertising and printing	901	34	935
Travelling expenses	1,384	2,438	3,822
Incidentals and petty cash expenditure	7,920	5	7,925
Medical examinations (Local)	10,042	815	10,857
Services of Registrars, Police, and amount paid to Postmaster-General's Department for services of officers in connexion with the payment of pensions	12,056	..	12,056
Fees for State Boards	641	..	641
Fares and expenses of war pensioners under review	4,957	5,711	10,668
General expenses, London Office	3,319	..	3,319
Rent	377	..	377
Office furniture and equipment	176	50	226
Maintenance of Buildings used as offices	250	11	261
Remuneration—Entitlement Appeal Tribunal	..	4,236	4,236
Remuneration—Assessment Appeal Tribunal	..	12,255	12,255
Less amount recovered from the Government of the United Kingdom on account of the Administrative cost of British pensions	159,202	29,359	188,561
TOTAL	..	..	179,326

WAR PENSIONS—continued.  
SUMMARY.

Financial Year	Capital Grants	Capital Expenses	Pensions in Force		Total	Average Forfeiture Rate of Pensions		Amount Transferred	All Pensions	Liability on 31st March Year	Cost of Administration	Cost of Administration in every 100 Pensions
			Unpaid	Deposited		Unpaid	Deposited					
1916	9,054	1,732	3,025	4,814	8,764	£ 2 7 3-95	£ 2 1 2-69	137,920*	£ 2 4 4-89	£ 386,800	10,187	£ 7 7 9
1917	38,360	6,438	15,916	18,011	45,191	£ 1 4 6-34	£ 1 2 4-89	1,212,635*	£ 1 9 4-35	£ 1,725,092	38,190	£ 3 3 0
1918	71,939	11,163	40,702	37,318	110,174	£ 1 1 3-32	£ 1 1 3-32	2,772,077*	£ 1 0 10-47	£ 3,545,864	61,146	£ 2 4 1
1919	92,938	12,644	71,512	50,456	181,959	£ 0 18 11-81	£ 1 2 4-11	4,828,072*	£ 1 1 0-53	£ 5,508,568	97,788	£ 2 0 6
1920	60,661	5,617	90,389	48,748	293,680	£ 0 17 3-06	£ 1 1 0-53	5,872,170*	£ 1 3 10-14	£ 6,178,692	118,619	£ 2 0 5
1921	25,983	3,358	75,491	49,051	222,537	£ 0 18 5-40	£ 1 3 10-86	7,396,648*	£ 1 3 10-86	£ 9,915,464	132,732	£ 2 1 4
1922	17,660	2,064	76,249	47,077	225,372	£ 0 18 0-74	£ 1 3 11-68	7,098,377*	£ 1 2 11-68	£ 8,783,426	170,049	£ 2 3 5
1923	16,629	2,006	74,692	45,635	232,106	£ 0 17 10-70	£ 1 2 5-60	7,154,967*	£ 1 2 5-60	£ 9,315,098	144,764	£ 2 0 10
1924	14,166	1,735	70,760	43,913	238,761	£ 0 16 11-21	£ 1 2 1-48	7,090,816	£ 1 2 1-48	£ 10,000,076	148,349	£ 2 1 6
1925	15,258	1,964	72,128	42,767	244,697	£ 0 16 9-88	£ 1 1 10-79	7,347,248	£ 1 1 10-79	£ 12,177,094	151,123	£ 2 2 3
1926	14,826	1,878	72,128	39,266	239,891	£ 0 15 10-29	£ 1 1 6-93	7,588,659	£ 1 1 6-93	£ 13,727,768	180,610	£ 2 7 9
1927	13,322	2,018	72,388	38,194	266,670	£ 0 15 7-11	£ 1 1 6-99	7,690,980	£ 1 1 6-99	£ 14,855,582	183,178	£ 2 7 7
1928	13,647	1,826	72,667	36,182	272,631	£ 0 15 4-72	£ 1 1 4-96	7,794,921	£ 1 1 4-96	£ 17,039,006	240,195	£ 1 16 3
1929	12,867	1,044	75,456	34,270	279,286	£ 0 15 3-34	£ 1 1 1-50	7,919,476	£ 1 1 1-50	£ 17,039,006	240,195	£ 2 3 5
1930	13,600	266	74,378	35,617	285,322	£ 0 15 1-34	£ 1 1 1-50	7,996,180	£ 1 1 1-50	£ 17,374,806	240,195	£ 2 4 10
1931	11,665	197	70,316	32,839	265,177							

\* Includes payments made from Trust Funds. With Pensions Arising on behalf of other Countries, see page 10.

BALANCE-SHEET OF THE COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA  
AT 31st DECEMBER, 1930.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Capital Accounts .. .. .	4,000,000 0 0	Coin, bullion, and cash balances .. .	1,302,481 12 4
Reserve Funds .. .. .	1,009,848 4 1	Australian notes in reserve .. .	4,800,878 10 0
Deposits, accrued interest and rebates .. .	44,622,074 15 3	Money at short call in London .. .	3,186,229 11 0
Bills payable and other liabilities .. .	3,295,723 17 11	Short term loans in Australia .. .	6,280,774 5 4
Rural Credits Department—		Investments—	
Capital Account .. .. .	1,384,006 0 0	British, Colonial, and Government securities (face value, 16,208,680) .. .	6,266,836 5 3
Reserve Fund .. .. .	104,823 10 6	Commonwealth Government securities (face value, 215,123,010) .. .	16,120,763 4 2
Development Fund .. .. .	80,153 10 6	Bills receivable in London and remittances in transit .. .	1,116,782 14 1
		Bills discounted, loans and advances to customers and other sums due to the bank .. .	14,626,437 11 11
		Bank premises .. .. .	500,405 10 0
	£64,907,270 4 10*	Liabilities of customers and others on letters of credit per contra .. .	620,837 14 0
Contingent Liabilities—		Total General Bank and Rural Credits Department .. .. .	64,024,416 18 10
Outstanding credits as per contra .. .	620,837 14 0	Note Issue Department .. .. .	48,193,428 10 0
Total General Bank and Rural Credits Department .. .. .	64,024,416 18 10	Total General Bank and Rural Credits Department .. .. .	64,024,416 18 10
Note Issue Department .. .. .	48,193,428 10 0	Note Issue Department .. .. .	48,193,428 10 0
	£103,117,843 8 10		£103,117,843 8 10

  

PROFIT AND LOSS.		Cr.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Reserve Fund .. .. .	141,039 17 0	By Profits for half-year ended 31st December, 1930.—	
National Debt Sinking Fund .. .. .	141,039 17 0	Banking Business .. .. .	282,670 15 0
Rural Credits Department Reserve Fund .. .. .	15,104 16 7	Note Issue Department .. .. .	398,465 10 7
Rural Credits Department Development Fund .. .. .	15,104 16 7	Rural Credits Department .. .. .	30,389 13 2
Commonwealth Treasury (portion of profits of Note Issue Department)	229,841 17 0		
Rural Credits Department Capital Account (portion of profits of Note Issue Department) .. .. .	70,813 19 1		
	£018,025 4 0		£018,025 4 0

  

RESERVE FUND.		Cr.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Balance .. .. .	1,000,848 4 1	By Balance .. .. .	868,808 6 7
		Transfer from Profit and Loss Account of one-half of the Net Profits of Banking Business .. .. .	141,039 17 0
	£1,000,848 4 1		£1,000,848 4 1

BALANCE-SHEET OF THE COMMONWEALTH SAVINGS BANK OF AUSTRALIA AT 31st DECEMBER, 1930.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Reserve Fund	1,472,349 4 4	Coin and cash balances	1,031,329 9 11
Depositors' Balances	£46,567,897 5 11	Australian Notes	84,406 10 0
With Interest Accrued	874,173 4 0	Fixed Deposits	.. .. .
Other Liabilities	47,442,070 5 11	Government Securities	30,756,235 2 9
	374,367 8 0	Securities of Municipalities and other Public Authorities	16,195,893 18 6
		Other Assets	2,221,932 1 7
	£49,288,787 2 9		£49,288,787 2 9

Dr		Profit AND Loss.		Cr.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To National Debt Sinking Fund	60,770 8 2	By Profits for half-year ended 31st December, 1930	131,640 16 4		
Savings Bank Reserve Fund	60,770 8 2				
	£121,540 10 4		£121,540 16 4		

Dr.		Reserve Fund.		Cr.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Balance	1,472,349 4 4	By Balance	1,411,978 18 2		
		Transfer from Profit and Loss Account of one-half of the Net Profits	60,770 8 2		
	£1,472,349 4 4		£1,472,349 4 4		

NOTE ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Notes in circulation	48,153,428 10 0	Gold coin and bullion	15,385,710 10 9
Property Reserve Account	40,000 0 0	Debitures and other securities	5,215,724 8 11
	£48,193,428 10 0	Other assets	24,591,085 10 4
			£48,193,428 10 0

Dr.		Profit AND Loss		Cr.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
To Expenses for half-year ended 31st December, 1930	139,776 14 8	By Interest received on investments for half-year ended 31st December, 1930	446,232 11 3		
Amount paid to the Commonwealth Public Account	229,841 17 6				
Amount paid to Rural Credits Department	76,613 10 1				
	£446,232 11 3		£446,232 11 3		

COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA

Savings Bank Department

Statement showing Particulars and Progress of Business during each Half-year from 30th June, 1927, to 30th June, 1930.

Particulars	30.6.27.		31.12.27.		30.6.28.		31.12.28.		30.6.29.		31.12.29.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Total Deposits	21,395,559	17 9	23,320,083	1	22,820,997	19 2	23,864,762	0 5	22,638,895	1 6	24,835,640	0 7
Total Withdrawals	21,651,601	0 11	23,415,653	19	23,415,653	3 1	23,443,919	18 4	23,307,951	14 6	25,019,012	18 3
Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals	343,958	17 0	904,430	12	400,344	16 1	420,843	12 1	530,944	17 0	816,628	14 1
Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits	316,044	3 3	95,883	17 11	1,494,071	13 5	29,341	10 10	1,711,766	4 0	26,198	8 3
Interest credited to Depositors' Accounts	1,483,297	9 10	22,256	9 6	1,718,490	9 6	688,183	13 2	2,048,019	11 2	3,180	11 0
Increase in Depositors' Balances	1,137,263	6 7	73,329	8 5	46,479,020	16 5	46,405,691	8 0	48,124,151	17 6	48,662,335	10 8
Decrease in Depositors' Balances	45,941,767	9 10	46,405,691	8 0	46,124,151	17 6	46,662,335	10 8	50,605,355	1 10	50,454,174	10 10
Depositors' Balances at preceding Half-year	46,479,020	16 5	46,405,691	8 0	46,124,151	17 6	46,662,335	10 8	50,605,355	1 10	50,454,174	10 10
Depositors' Balances at date	46,479,020	16 5	46,405,691	8 0	46,124,151	17 6	46,662,335	10 8	50,605,355	1 10	50,454,174	10 10
Interest accrued for Half-years ended 31st December	.. .. .		798,320	4 9	.. .. .		814,578	19 8	.. .. .		920,975	14 6
Depositors' Balances at date (with Interest accrued)	46,479,020	16 5	47,144,011	12 9	46,124,151	17 6	47,476,914	10 4	50,605,355	1 10	51,375,150	5 4
Number of Deposits	1,417,222		1,561,877		1,503,755		1,648,988		1,509,760		1,598,915	
Number of Withdrawals	1,369,919		1,694,164		1,599,916		1,599,041		1,563,616		1,732,720	
Number of Accounts Opened	87,093		86,793		87,231		94,365		116,701		95,205	
Number of Accounts Closed	56,233		56,233		56,804		63,245		77,696		69,219	
Increase in number of Accounts	30,860		29,938		28,427		31,120		39,005		25,986	
Number of Accounts Open at preceding Half-year	1,122,568		1,154,448		1,182,486		1,210,913		1,242,033		1,261,038	
Number of Accounts open at date	1,154,448		1,182,486		1,210,913		1,242,033		1,261,038		1,307,024	

COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA. SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT. Summary of Business transacted during the Quarter ended 31st December, 1930.

Table with columns: Share, Deposits, Withdrawals, Net Result, Dividend to Creditors, Accounts, and Deposits Balance at 31st Dec. Rows include New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia, Tasmania, Federal Capital Territory, Northern Territory, and London.

AUSTRALIAN NOTES.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE POSITION AT VARIOUS DATES SINCE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE "AUSTRALIAN NOTES ACT" (1st NOVEMBER, 1920).

Main table showing financial data for Australian Notes from December 1920 to March 1931. Columns include Date, Value of Bank Deposits, Value of Bank Notes, Total Value, and Gold Liability.

Note: Note in error of some millions pounds. At March 31st, 1931, it was provided by the Treasurer that gold in a reserve of gold was one-fourth of the amount of Australian Notes issued. Not yet available.

## AUSTRALIAN NOTES.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE FACE VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN NOTES HELD BY THE BANKS AND BY THE PUBLIC RESPECTIVELY ON THE MONDAY OF EACH WEEK DURING 1930-31.

Date	Held by Banks	Held by Public	Total Note Issue
7th July, 1930	22,693,027	22,236,299	44,929,326
14th " "	22,427,970	22,401,356	44,829,326
21st " "	22,361,266	21,968,060	44,329,326
28th " "	22,583,046	22,246,790	44,829,326
4th August " "	22,100,448	22,633,378	44,733,826
11th " "	22,337,047	22,292,279	44,629,326
18th " "	22,618,336	22,210,990	44,829,326
25th " "	22,254,342	22,574,384	44,829,326
1st September, 1930	22,479,705	22,349,621	44,829,326
8th " "	22,067,253	22,762,073	44,829,326
15th " "	21,913,042	22,666,284	44,579,326
22nd " "	21,903,401	22,825,925	44,729,326
29th " "	21,778,518	22,649,908	44,428,426
6th October, " "	21,007,397	23,420,429	44,428,426
13th " "	21,322,832	23,105,544	44,428,426
20th " "	21,408,230	22,929,906	44,338,136
27th " "	22,341,731	22,811,625	45,153,426
3rd November, " "	21,617,154	23,536,272	45,153,426
10th " "	22,008,621	23,144,905	45,153,426
17th " "	21,711,782	23,441,644	45,153,426
24th " "	22,630,457	23,122,969	45,753,426
1st December, " "	22,066,800	23,686,626	45,753,426
8th " "	22,379,379	23,274,047	45,653,426
15th " "	22,301,159	23,852,257	46,153,426
22nd " "	21,432,931	25,980,435	47,413,426
29th " "	22,733,734	25,419,692	48,153,426
5th January, 1931	23,563,591	23,589,835	47,153,426
12th " "	23,403,032	22,750,394	46,153,426
19th " "	22,924,697	22,728,729	45,653,426
26th " "	21,935,513	23,719,913	45,653,426
2nd February, " "	22,725,033	22,927,393	45,653,426
9th " "	22,715,169	22,938,257	45,653,426
16th " "	22,700,871	22,932,555	45,633,426
23rd " "	22,558,715	23,094,711	45,653,426
2nd March, " "	22,644,829	23,008,597	45,653,426
9th " "	23,411,950	23,241,476	46,653,426
16th " "	22,984,777	23,168,849	46,153,426
23rd " "	23,682,687	23,670,739	47,353,426
30th " "	23,666,769	23,486,657	47,153,426
6th April, " "	20,972,152	26,181,274	47,153,426
13th " "	24,888,152	23,285,274	48,173,426
20th " "	24,806,390	23,286,036	48,092,426
27th " "	23,954,016	24,189,410	48,143,426
4th May, " "	24,663,129	25,490,297	50,153,426
11th " "	25,284,511	24,888,915	50,173,426
18th " "	25,410,847	25,242,679	50,653,426
25th " "	25,863,261	24,790,165	50,653,426
1st June, " "	25,455,897	25,197,629	50,653,426
8th " "	25,202,221	25,391,205	50,653,426
15th " "	25,636,345	25,018,081	50,653,426
22nd " "	25,771,546	24,881,881	50,653,426
29th " "			

\* Not yet available.

## COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA—NOTE ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

AUSTRALIAN NOTES ACCOUNT AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1931.

LIABILITIES		Assets	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Notes in circulation	50,653,426 10 0	Gold Coin and Bullion	15,226,530 1 8
Property Reserve Account	52,806 6 1	Debt Securities and other Securities	35,390,355 13 7
		Other Assets	179,306 0 10
	50,706,231 16 1		50,706,231 16 1

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1931

Dr.		Cr.	
Expenses for year ended 30th June, 1931	£ s. d. 276,049 15 0	Interest received for year ended 30th June, 1931	£ s. d. 875,391 12 1
Balance transferred—			
Commonwealth Treasury	449,606 7 11		
Rural Credits	149,835 9 2		
	875,391 12 1		875,391 12 1

## AUSTRALIAN NOTES ACCOUNT.

PARTICULARS OF DEBT SECURITIES AND OTHER SECURITIES AS AT 30TH JUNE, 1931

Particulars	Book Value.	Rate of Interest Per cent. Per annum.	Date of Maturity.
	£	£ s. d.	
	2,491,000	3 0 0	31st July, 1931
	17,634,000	3 10 0	31st July, 1931
	270,000	6 0 0	1st March, 1931 to 1st March, 1941
	4,682,171	3 0 0	2nd September, 1931
	2,371,000	6 0 0	15th December, 1932
	33,500	5 5 0	15th February, 1933
	2,800,000	5 5 0	1st February, 1934
COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT	338,480	5 5 0	1st April, 1934
	32,830	5 5 0	15th November, 1934
	83,500	6 0 0	15th November, 1935
	637,150	5 5 0	15th December, 1941
	400,000	5 5 0	15th February, 1943
	244,140	5 0 0	15th July, 1955
	307,408	4 10 0	1st May, 1956
	3,014,718	3 10 0	1st April, 1962 to 1st April, 1972
NEW SOUTH WALES	192,500	5 15 0	1st November, 1922 to 1st November, 1932
TASMANIA	35,500	5 0 0	1st July, 1931
	35,500	5 0 0	1st January, 1932
	35,300,395		

STATEMENT SHOWING YEARLY INCREASE IN DEPOSITS IN AUSTRALIAN BANKS AND IN WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES.

Year	Deposits on hand		Deposits on Current Accounts		Savings Bank		War Savings and War Bonds Certificates		Total Deposits and War Bonds Savings Certificates		Total Deposits and War Bonds Savings Certificates	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
30th June 1916	92,821,872	91,435,847	97,076,601	40	1	6	2,421,516	188,512,448	281,334,390	281,334,390	281,334,390	281,334,390
1917	106,360,967	99,327,230	107,139,892	41	1	3	2,608,084	200,212,922	305,608,885	305,608,885	305,608,885	305,608,885
1918	115,262,391	98,444,627	116,341,419	42	3	11	2,765,683	219,320,690	331,633,011	331,633,011	331,633,011	331,633,011
1919	118,988,667	113,490,920	128,599,069	43	12	4	2,946,796	247,211,421	369,199,966	369,199,966	369,199,966	369,199,966
1920	133,912,620	114,707,633	136,904,635	43	16	5	3,124,133	266,969,668	390,623,365	390,623,365	390,623,365	390,623,365
1921	137,769,314	120,390,765	153,148,964	47	3	3	3,297,664	2,004,670	403,333,913	403,333,913	403,333,913	403,333,913
1922	126,656,636	146,541,718	162,275,644	47	13	2	3,415,611	1,142,182	415,790,319	415,790,319	415,790,319	415,790,319
1923	129,339,510	140,172,922	176,875,634	46	10	7	3,601,539	1,037,044	445,902,713	445,902,713	445,902,713	445,902,713
1924	131,943,724	149,861,875	183,040,140	45	19	3	3,994,783	1,246,101	465,081,940	465,081,940	465,081,940	465,081,940
1925	134,770,643	160,475,391	195,466,235	46	14	0	4,185,250	880,313	481,692,692	481,692,692	481,692,692	481,692,692
1926	130,529,454	165,394,004	204,579,893	45	16	3	4,465,458	703,479	504,146,630	504,146,630	504,146,630	504,146,630
1927	126,580,188	187,268,890	215,188,462	45	16	0	4,688,419	605,445	529,642,915	529,642,915	529,642,915	529,642,915
1928	127,694,774	202,472,486	225,485,705	45	13	4	4,897,428	546,283	556,199,247	556,199,247	556,199,247	556,199,247
1929	103,968,060	206,586,266	217,510,517	42	12	2	5,105,045	411,689	528,486,631	528,486,631	528,486,631	528,486,631

Percent.