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TABLE VIII.—ALLOCATION OF THE PUBLIC DEBT AS AT 31st MARCH, 1940, ACCORDING TO THE EXPENDITURE APPEARING IN THE DEPARTMENTAL BALANCE SHEETS PREPARED IN TERMS OF SECTION 57 OF THE FINANCE ACT, 1932.

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Railways	••		• •			72,452,539
Hydro-electric Schemes	• •					14,171,199
Post and Telegraph Service	es		• •			15,968,317
Public Buildings, Schools,	and Site	es				17,975,954
Roads and Highways						38,415,108
Harbours and Lighthouses						2,163,657
State Forests	••					2,838,958
Housing	• •				• •	11,558,945
Land Settlement and Impr	rovemen	t				26,968,914
Shares in Bank of New Z	$\mathbf{Zealand}$					875,000
Shares in Reserve Bank of I	New Zea	land				1,628,669
Investment in State Advance	ces Corp	oration				38,048,983
Share in Nauru and Ocean	Island	Phosph	ates			284,405
Development of Mining						1,080,438
Tourist Resorts		• •				746,202
Immigration						3,317,292
War and Defence (including £3,086,054 in respect of present war)						65,917,296
Miscellaneous Assets and Se	ervices					7,572,294
					£	
Cash and Investments in h	and	• •		1, 2	88,991	
Less exchange				3	65,625	
•						923,366
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The Treasury, Wellington, 25th June, 1940.

Examined and found correct.

CYRIL G. COLLINS,

Controller and Auditor-General.

Audit Office, 26th June, 1940.