

**Consolidated
Fund, 1942-43.**

The Consolidated Fund Budget for this financial year may therefore be summarized as follows:—

REVENUE.				£	£
Taxation—					
Customs	..	..	..	6,700,000	
Beer duty	..	..	..	1,500,000	
Sales tax	..	..	..	3,200,000	
Highways	..	..	..	1,800,000	
Stamp duties	..	..	..	1,600,000	
Land-tax	..	..	..	1,000,000	
Income-tax (including excess profits tax)	..	..	..	16,500,000	
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	210,000	
					32,510,000
Interest recoveries from trading activities, &c.				3,226,000	
Other receipts	..	..	..	2,450,000	
					5,676,000
					<u>£38,186,000</u>

EXPENDITURE.					
Permanent appropriations (including transfer of £1,500,000 to War Expenses Account)				17,873,000	
Annual votes	..	..	..	19,629,000	
					37,502,000
Supplementary estimates and contingencies					684,000
					<u>£38,186,000</u>

Any saving in the amount provided for supplementary estimates and contingencies will be transferred to the War Expenses Account.

**Social Security
Fund, 1942-43.**

As regards the Social Security Fund, after allowing for the additional cost-of-living allowances already announced, the expenditure from the Fund for this financial year is estimated at a total of £16,197,900 as follows:—

EXPENDITURE.				£	£
Monetary benefits—					
Age	..	..	..	7,740,000	
Widows	..	..	..	910,000	
Orphans	..	..	..	20,000	
Family	..	..	..	1,045,000	
Invalids	..	..	..	1,063,000	
Miners	..	..	..	86,900	
Maori War	..	..	..	300	
Unemployment	..	..	..	150,000	
Sickness	..	..	..	375,000	
Universal superannuation	..	..	..	645,000	
Emergency	..	..	..	140,000	
					12,175,200
Hospital, &c., benefits—					
Medical	..	..	..	960,000	
Pharmaceutical	..	..	..	400,000	
Maternity	..	..	..	560,000	
Hospital	..	..	..	1,472,000	
Supplementary	..	..	..	115,000	
					3,507,000
Administration expenses					515,700
					<u>£16,197,900</u>