

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT—*continued.*

Number of Persons.		VOTE—LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS— <i>continued.</i>	1943 44.	1942-43.	
1943 44	1942 43			Voted.	Expended.
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>			
		Grants to County Councils for maintenance of county roads serving lands being farmed by the Department ..	£ 2,500	£ 2,500	£ 1,543
		Improvements to and protection, &c., of settlement lands (part recoverable)	(a) 4,000	3,000	1,750
		Lodgments on account of capital values of leases— £			
		Interest on 500			
		Refunds of 1,000			
			1,500	1,500	607
		Payments for improvements to outgoing lessees	3,000	3,000	3,285
		Preliminary expenses, inspections, &c.	50	50	20
		Refunds of credits-in-aid received erroneously in previous financial year	10	10	
		Telephone services	30	30	13
		Transfer from Hutt Valley Settlement receipts (Finance Act, 1932, Section 11)	(b) 35,000	20,000	20,000
		Travelling allowances and expenses	100	100	(c) 28
		Contingencies (including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the vote)	10	10	
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)— £			
		Miscellaneous 200			
			195,800	279,000	157,258
		GROSS TOTAL	196,900	280,200	158,258
		CREDITS-IN AID	200	200	1,016
		NET TOTAL	196,700	280,000	157,242

(a) Provision made for commitments carried forward.

(b) Sales and rental receipts in respect of lands in the Hutt Valley Settlement are credited to the Land for Settlements Account, in accordance with section 11 of the Hutt Valley Settlement Act, 1925. Provision is made for the receipts to be allocated, after the deduction of administration charges, as follows:—

(i) In satisfaction of advances made by the Land for Settlements Account for cost of acquirement and development; (ii) In satisfaction of interest on land for settlement outgoings; (iii) In meeting the cost of the Petone-Waterloo Railway; (iv) Any surplus to be paid to Working Railway Account.

(c) Number of officers, 1. Travelling-allowance, £25 14s. 11d.; travelling-expenses, £2 10s. 6d.