

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1945

AUDIT DEPARTMENT

MINISTER IN CHARGE OF AUDIT DEPARTMENT

AN ESTIMATE of the Sum that will be required in the Year ending 31st March, 1945, to defray the Salaries, Contingencies, and Expenses of the AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

SUMMARY

				1944-45.			1943-44.	
				Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.	Voted.	Expended.
Vote—Audit—				£	£	£	£	£
GROSS TOTAL	..	..	..	65,786	12,712	78,498	78,068	77,411
CREDITS-IN-AID	..	..	..	22,288	12,712	35,000	35,500	35,946
NET TOTAL	..	..	..	43,498	..	43,498	42,568	41,465

Number of Persons.						1944-45.	1943-44.	
1944-45	1943-44	VOTE—AUDIT					Voted.	Expended.
		SALARIES—				£	£	£
		CLERICAL DIVISION						
1	1	1 (£900)	..	..	..	900	900	64,794
		OTHER SALARIES						
183	175	183 (£80 to £765)	..	..	..	60,327	59,839	
		Allowances to officers under Public Service Regulations 24A and 209				200	50	
		Allowances to Audit officers engaged overseas				709	794	
		Lodging-allowances				97	364	
		Cost-of-living allowances				3,553	3,770	
184	176					65,786	65,717	64,794
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—						
		Advertising, books, newspapers, and other publications				150	200	141
		Exchange on salaries and allowances payable abroad				512	491	449
		Grants to officers in lieu of leave on retirement				10	10	36
		Law-costs				20	20	..
		Office fittings and requisites				200	200	409
		Overtime and meal allowances				4,000	2,700	(a) 4,480
		Postages, telegrams, and rent of boxes				250	400	261
		Printing and stationery				200	300	204
		Rent				900	950	883
		Telephone services including installations, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls				300	310	314
		Transfer and removal expenses				400	500	30

(a) Overexpenditure due to increased amount of overtime worked.