

The holding Departments concerned with sales as above are :—

	To 31st March, 1945.	For Period 1st April, 1945, to 31st March, 1946.	Total to 31st March, 1946.
	£	£	£
Agriculture	15,560	85,062	100,622
Air	75,068	681,036	756,104
Army	3,186,474	9,055,473	12,241,947
Education	3	1,515	1,518
Food Controller	..	178	178
Health	178	2,105	2,283
Housing	2,725	56,954	59,679
Lands and Survey	..	1	1
Marine	..	7	7
Mines	47	8,612	8,659
Munitions	14	33,894	33,908
Navy	18,087	53,075	71,162
National Service	42,348	48,163	90,511
Police	800	527	1,327
Public Works	6,081	6,115	12,196
Railways	12,498	5	12,503
Rehabilitation	659	628	1,287
Scientific and Industrial Research	135	40,541	40,676
Social Security	..	10	10
State Forest	1,492	1	1,493
Supply	219	74,955	75,174
Transport	209	6,008	6,217
United States Joint Purchasing Board	109,772	859,221	968,993
Sale of American stores purchased	..	198,273	198,273
Miscellaneous	6,274	57,394	63,668
Totals	3,478,643	11,269,753	14,748,396

Outstanding debtors as at 31st March, 1946, very largely other Government Departments, total £560,024.

25. CONCLUSION

The Board again wishes to express its thanks to all Government Departments for their continued co-operation, and also to all those gentlemen who have given their time and services as members of the various Advisory Committees.

The Minister in Charge of the Board also desires to convey his thanks to the members of the Board for their services during the year.

H. E. AVERY, General Manager.

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