## DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—continued.

VOTE—HEATLH—continued	1946–47.	1945–46.	
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—con-		Voted.	Expended.
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Institutions under Control of Department—ctd.	£	£	£
Maintenance—			
Aotea Soldiers' Clearing Hospital	(a) 100	4,000	3,215
Caccia Birch Nurses' Convalescent Home	(b) 4,000	1,000	(c) $340$
Queen Mary Hospital, Hanmer Services Convalescent Hospital, Rotorua	35,000	30,000	$(d) \ 34,177$
(part recoverable) St. Helens Hospitals—	20,000	15,000	(e) 20,804
Auckland	8,700	8,700	8,649
Wellington	8,750	7,700	$(f) \ 8,751$
Christchurch	4,200	4,000	4,211
Invercargill	3,500	3,500	3,444
Establishment charges (buildings, renewals,	, , , , , ,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	- ,
repairs, &c.)	(g) 15,000	10,000	10,016
Hospital (recoverable)	( <i>h</i> )	2,000	
	178,750	160,900	167,317
	2,750,925	2,425,575	2,562,098
Gross Total	3,277,791	2,898,166	3,031,549
Credits-in-aid	( <i>i</i> )	276,550	339,160
NET TOTAL	3,277,791	2,621,616	2,692,389

<sup>(</sup>a) Institution closed in February, 1946. Provision for commitments.

<sup>(</sup>b) The home was available for reception of nurses in May, 1946.

<sup>(</sup>c) Expenditure authorized not wholly brought to charge in 1945-46.

<sup>(</sup>d) Overexpenditure due partly to increased number of days stay of patients. (e) Overexpenditure due partly to cost of maintenance repairs for previous years coming to charge in 1945-46.

<sup>(</sup>f) Overexpenditure partly due to purchase of new furniture for nursing and household staff.

<sup>(</sup>g) Provision herein for commitments, £5,000.
(h) Institution closed in November, 1944.

 <sup>(</sup>i) Now included in Public Accounts as "Departmental Receipts." Anticipated receipts, 1946-47, £180,190. Recoveries from Social Security Fund and War Expenses Account, estimated at £135,500, abolished as from 1st April, 1946.