

Table No. 3
SOCIAL SECURITY FUND

	Year ended 31st March, 1945.	Year ended 31st March, 1946.	Year ended 31st March, 1947.	Year ended 31st March, 1948.	Estimate for Year ended 31st March, 1949.
<i>Receipts</i>	£	£	£	£	£
Registration fees	574,436	585,713	15,287	..	..
Social security charge	13,663,858	14,557,460	22,383,884	26,176,635	30,000,000
Miscellaneous receipts	38,112	143,020	120,993	97,432	65,000
Balance from previous year	2,945,139	2,389,701	1,716,303	5,410,977	7,241,918
Transfer from Consolidated Fund	4,500,000	7,000,000	18,000,000	16,000,000	15,000,000
	21,721,545	24,675,894	42,236,467	47,685,044	52,306,918
<i>Expenditure</i>					
Administration expenses	563,667	721,587	704,194	707,883	762,249
Emergency benefits	105,843	121,959	134,287	227,857	267,000
Hospital benefits, &c.—					
Maternity benefits	530,734	600,209	672,989	800,030	881,000
Hospital benefits	2,266,688	2,173,460	1,986,288	1,949,489	2,000,000
Medical benefits	1,287,023	1,427,309	1,760,574	2,167,826	2,280,000
Pharmaceutical benefits	980,237	1,133,366	1,439,686	1,558,350	1,651,000
Supplementary benefits	170,032	229,971	352,043	545,793	750,000
Monetary benefits—					
Age	8,492,015	9,817,615	11,881,119	12,976,286	14,055,000
Widows	985,451	1,043,593	1,529,010	1,709,626	1,900,000
Orphans	23,253	24,178	22,905	24,187	27,000
Family	1,405,112	2,611,759	12,680,778	13,798,648	13,843,000
Invalids	1,072,619	1,183,537	1,328,485	1,367,300	1,387,000
Miners	74,367	88,359	105,416	110,106	110,000
Maori War	78	101	104	111	12
Unemployment	27,822	31,661	24,332	8,357	9,500
Sickness	351,866	565,420	853,328	897,093	914,000
Universal superannuation	995,036	1,185,508	1,349,689	1,593,757	1,869,000
Social Security Amendment Act, 1943, section 13 (8) (c): Main- tenance moneys	..	..	263	427	..
Balance	2,389,702	1,716,302	5,410,977	7,241,918	9,601,157
	21,721,545	24,675,894	42,236,467	47,685,044	52,306,918