

Contributors.—The following table contains particulars of new contributors who joined the scheme during the year :—

Rate Per Cent. of Contribution as provided by the Act.	Number.			Annual Salary.			Annual Contributions.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.						
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
5	380	129	509	39,431	6	8	1,971	11	4
6	59	7	66	10,766	13	4	646	0	0
7	41	7	48	8,273	6	8	579	2	8
8	33	6	39	6,276	13	4	502	2	8
9	26	4	30	4,539	3	4	408	10	6
10	45	7	52	8,648	18	4	864	17	10
By transfer, 5% ...	3	...	3	259	0	0	12	19	0
	587	160	747	78,195	1	8	4,985	4	0
By transfer from the Police Pro- vident Fund	773	...	773	127,232	3	4	7,828	19	0
Totals ...	1,360	160	1,520	205,427	5	0	12,814	3	0

Further particulars regarding the members of the Police Provident Fund transferred to the Public Service Superannuation Fund as on 1st April, 1910, are shown in the next table.

Rate Per Cent. of Contribution.	Number of Contributors.	Annual Salary.	Annual Contributions.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
5	489	72,420 10 0	3,621 0 6
6	92	15,804 3 4	948 5 0
7	39	7,410 8 4	518 14 7
8	73	14,476 13 4	1,158 2 8
9	58	12,922 18 4	1,163 1 3
10	22	4,197 10 0	419 15 0
Totals ...	773	127,232 3 4	7,828 19 0

The following table contains particulars of the public servants who were contributing to the fund at the end of the year 1910 (after allowing for deaths, retirements, and withdrawals), grouped according to their respective rates of contributions :—

Rate Per Cent. of Contribution as provided by the Act.	Number.			Annual Salary.			Annual Contributions.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.						
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
5	3,969	640	4,609	535,306	1	8	26,765	6	1
6	897	94	991	183,358	19	2	11,001	10	9
7	697	63	760	156,191	5	0	10,933	7	9
8	612	48	660	149,000	18	9	11,920	1	6
9	547	27	574	145,752	10	0	13,117	14	6
10	743	34	777	188,509	4	2	18,850	18	5
Totals...	7,465	906	8,371	1,358,118	18	9	92,538	19	0

Full particulars regarding contributors, including those who have retired from the Government service and are now on the fund, will be found in the statements appended.

Retiring and other Allowances.—Pensions for £5,846 11s. 10d. per annum were granted during the year, as follows: for age or length of service, £4,147 1s. 10d. per annum, to 42 members (39 male and 3 female members); for medical unfitness for duty, £1,100 10s. per annum to 13 members (all male); to widows and children of deceased members, £378 per annum to 21 widows, and £221 per annum to 17 children.

The largest retiring-allowance granted during the year to a contributor was £521 13s., and the smallest £5 17s. per annum, while the average was £95 8s. 3d.

Those officers who retired during the year were entitled to receive the sum of £14,854 1s. 5d. accrued compensation under the Civil Service Act, 1866, had they not become participants in the Superannuation Fund.