

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

REVENUE ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1924.

<i>Dr.</i>	£	s.	d.	<i>Cr.</i>	£	s.	d.
To Administrative charges—				By Customs and excise duties ..	7,360,550	2	6
Salaries ..	79,580	17	9	Beer duty ..	632,031	10	7
Allowances, overtime, and rewards ..	3,687	0	7	Warehouse license fees ..	6,493	4	3
Expenses of Official Representative, London ..	476	8	0	Customs Agents' license fees ..	309	0	0
Expenses of Official Representative, New York ..	1,254	3	10	Brewery supervision fees ..	1,327	19	8
Payments to other Departments for services of officers ..	4,873	9	10	Hop-beer license fees ..	111	15	0
Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes ..	830	13	8	Customs fines ..	201	0	0
Printing and sta- tionery ..	1,853	17	5	Distillation Act license fees ..	141	10	0
Telephone services ..	646	10	1	Tobacco Act license fees ..	83	0	0
Temporary assistance ..	656	0	5	Sale and disposal of seizures ..	30	8	3
Transfer and removal expenses ..	1,940	17	11	Immigration Restriction Chinese poll-tax ..	10,000	0	0
Travelling expenses and allowances ..	568	11	2	Miscellaneous revenue ..	32	18	3
Rent ..	5,093	10	7				
Maintenance and re- pairs ..	385	0	9				
Miscellaneous expenses of Head Office and local offices ..	2,301	17	5				
Depreciation ..							
Grant to Cook and Niue Islands Go- vernments ..							
Main Highways Account ..							
Balance carried down ..							
	£8,011,312	8	6		£8,011,312	8	6
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Interest on capital ..	1,163	13	3	By Balance brought down ..	7,790,581	0	3
Excess of revenue over expenditure ..	7,789,417	7	0				
	£7,790,581	0	3		£7,790,581	0	3

Percentage cost of collection: $1.3 = \text{£}1 \text{ 6s.}$

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1924.

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GEO. CRAIG, Comptroller of Customs.

I hereby certify that the Revenue Account and balance-sheet have been duly examined and compared with the relative books and documents submitted for audit, and correctly state the position as disclosed thereby, except that the accounts include charges for rent, interest, and the construction and maintenance of buildings for which the Department possesses no parliamentary appropriation, and also charges for services rendered to other Departments for which those Departments possess no parliamentary appropriation.—G. F. C. CAMPBELL, Controller and Auditor-General.