PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, 1926-1927.

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of SEPARATE ACCOUNTS for the

RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENT

1925-199	26.	RECEIPTS.	1926	-1927.
598,875	s. d. 1 11	Brought forward	£ s. d.	£ s. c
 136 1,677	18 4 12 3	Credits in reduction of Expenditure under Section 10 of the Finance Act, 1925,— Rearrangement of or alterations and additions to stations Workshops and equipment of Locomotive branch Telephones, telegraphs, and signalling, interlocking and safety appliances New workshops at Otahuhu and Petone, &c. Miscellaneous works— Permanent-way materials	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
1,814	10 7	-		78,322 9 1
••		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908, Section 5 (1) (b),— Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914— Temporary advance received from Bank of England on Memorandum of Security		90,000 0 0
500,000 42,004 3 542,007 1	3 2	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— New Zealand Consolidated Stock, 1945— Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914— Stock issued in respect of £500,000 authorized (part of £7,000,000 4½-per-cent. Stock Loan) Amount raised to cover charges and expenses of raising £500,000 Interest on overdue instalments		
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— New Zealand Consolidated Stock, 1946— Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914— Stock issued in respect of £900,000 authorized (part of £6,000,000 5-per-cent.		
		Stock Loan, 1926)	900,000 0 0 5 15 1	
• •		(part of £6,000,000 5-per-cent. Stock Loan, 1926)	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
••		5½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock issued	51,310 0 0 7,000 0 0	992,732 17 8
635	0 0	Adjustment of amount incorrectly charged in 1924-25 Accounts,— Expenditure under Section 5 of the Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914		
143,332	6 6	Totals		£1,560,561 9 10

RANGITAIKI LAND

£ s. d. 42,013 7 2 7,000 0 0	Balance at beginning of Year,— £ s. d. Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d.
49,013 7 2		24,183 13 0
1,037 10 5	Credits in reduction of Expenditure under Section 7 of the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910	3,351 8 2
11 5 0 146 13 8	Receipts under the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910,	246 6 0
157 18 8		240 6 0
76 6 9	Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910, Sections 6 and 7,— Rate Account	640 13 7
918 12 1	Interest on Securities held by Investment Account	591 16 0
£51,203 15 1	Totals	£29,013 16 9

Note.—In these accounts the credits-in-aid (section 51, Public Revenues Act, 1926) and other credits in reduction of expenditure are shown as receipts, and are not deducted from the expenditure as prior to 1924-25.

For the purposes of comparison a summary showing the net expenditure will be found on page 81.