

APPENDIX.

TABLE I.

THE BENEFITS AND CONTRIBUTIONS PROVIDED FOR BY THE ACT.

		The contributions vary according to the age at the time when the first contribution becomes payable, and are as follows :—									
Contributions	{	Age 30 and under		..	..	..	..	..	..	5	per cent. of pay.
		Over 30 and not exceeding 35		..	..	..	..	..	6	..	
		..	35	..	40	..	..	..	7	..	
		..	40	..	45	..	..	..	8	..	
		..	45	..	50	..	..	..	9	..	
		..	50	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	
I. <i>On Attainment of Pension.</i> — <i>Males at Age 65, or after Forty Years' Service ; Females at Age 55, or after Thirty Years' Service.</i>											
(1) A pension of one-sixtieth of yearly salary for each year's service, with a limit of forty-sixtieths (two-thirds) of salary. Maximum pension for entrants after 24th December, 1909, £300.											
(2) Or the option, in lieu thereof, of a return of total contributions.											
(NOTE.—The Minister in charge of a Department may retire contributors on pension in the following cases :—											
(a) Where the age of a male contributor is not less than 60, or of a female contributor not less than 50.											
(b) Where the age of a male contributor is not less than 55, if his length of service is not less than thirty years.											
(c) Where the length of service of a male contributor is not less than thirty-five years.											
In any such exceptional cases the Minister may impose upon the retiring contributor such terms and conditions as to payments into the fund or otherwise as he thinks fit.)											
II. <i>On Retirement before Pension Age (on the Grounds of being Medically Unfit for Future Duty).</i>											
(1) At any time, on the certificate of two doctors approved by the Board, a pension of one-sixtieth of yearly salary for each year's service, limited to forty-sixtieths.											
Benefits	{	(2) Or the option, in lieu thereof, of a return of total contributions.									
		(Where officers of the Police Force are incapacitated by injuries received on duty the Board may increase the pension up to three-fifths of salary.)									
III. <i>On Retirement before Pension Age (on other Grounds than Medical Unfitness).</i>											
(1) On voluntary retirement or dismissal for misconduct, a return of total contributions.											
(2) On compulsory retirement for any reason other than misconduct, after twenty years' service, a return of total contributions with 3½ per cent. interest.											
IV. <i>At Death, whether before or after becoming entitled to a Retiring-allowance.</i>											
(1) Leaving no widow or children : A return of total contributions, less any sums received from the fund during lifetime.											
(2) Leaving a widow :—											
(a) £31 yearly during widowhood ; or											
(b) A return of total contributions, together with such compensation (if any) as the contributor would have been entitled to receive from the Consolidated Fund on compulsory retirement, less any sums received from the fund during lifetime. (If death occurs before retirement the compensation is paid from the Consolidated Fund ; if after retirement, from the Superannuation Fund.)											
(3) Leaving children ; 10s. weekly to each child until age 14.											

(NOTE.—The contributions and pensions are payable monthly, and the pensions are computed on the average salary for the last three years.)

TABLE II.
STATEMENT OF PROGRESS OF ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP.*

Year.	New Members.			Increase by Promotion.		Discontinued.			Total in Force at End of Year.		
	Number.	Salaries.	Annual Contributions.	Salaries.	Annual Contributions.	Number.	Salaries.	Annual Contributions.	Number.	Salaries.	Annual Contributions.
1908-11..	11,036	£ 1,529,468	£ 106,826	£ 251,404	£ 15,141	1,896	£ 276,431	£ 21,297	9,140	£ 1,504,441	£ 100,670
1912-16..	8,185	732,323	42,597	574,648	33,369	4,012	523,821	34,792	13,313	2,287,591	141,844
1917-21..	9,401	1,181,356	68,762	1,906,126	108,419	6,932	1,131,248	71,005	15,782	4,243,825	248,020
1922-23†	1,200	152,922	8,362	43,092	2,298	1,993	658,874	41,271	14,989	3,780,965	217,409
1923-24..	1,219	159,496	8,917	139,589	7,369	1,187	257,682	16,003	15,021	3,822,368	217,692
1924-25..	1,921	278,898	16,035	228,471	12,140	1,160	248,856	15,264	15,782	4,080,881	230,603
1925-26..	1,682	231,794	12,870	204,658	11,035	1,136	254,497	15,512	16,328	4,262,836	238,996
1926-27..	1,518	193,451	10,487	157,749	8,328	932	204,675	12,176	16,914	4,409,361	245,635
1927-28..	1,000	150,212	8,298	146,611	7,585	912	207,138	12,496	17,002	4,499,046	249,022
1928-29..	1,046	164,175	8,931	162,631	8,427	871	204,057	12,048	17,177	4,621,795	254,332
1929-30..	1,665	215,032	11,737	174,518	9,031	866	203,199	11,716	17,976	4,808,146	263,384
1930-31..	930	146,336	8,158	185,675	9,514	709	179,970	10,740	18,197	4,960,187	270,316
1931-32..	317	35,677	1,856	51,217	2,588	998	561,630	32,794	17,516	4,485,451	241,966
1932-33..	384	40,772	2,138	56,115	2,815	681	392,712	21,618	17,219	4,189,626	225,301
1933-34..	693	75,861	3,922	94,527	4,786	543	121,597	6,994	17,369	4,238,417	227,015
Totals ..	42,197	5,287,773	319,896	4,377,031	242,845	24,828	5,426,387	335,726	..	..	..

* Compiled from Annual Reports. † Fifteen months.