Profit and Loss.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Dividend on C long-term mortgage shares	7,031 5 0	
Dividend on D long-term mortgage shares	17,578 2 6	
Dividend on preference B shares	68,750 0 0	
Dividend on ordinary share capital	187,500 0 0	
		280,859 7 6
Balance carried down		348,137 13 0
		£628,997 0 6
Dividend paid 7th December, 1935—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Dividend on preference A shares	50,000 0 0	
Interim dividend on C long-term mortgage shares	7,031 5 0	
Interim dividend on D long-term mortgage shares	17,578 2 6	
Interim dividend on preference B shares	31,250 0 0	
Interim dividend on ordinary shares	187,500 0 0	
		293,359 7 6
Balance, being profit for the year	565,181 9 9	
To which has to be added: Amount brought forward from last year	348,137 13 0	
	913,319 2 9	
Less dividend paid, as above	293,359 7 6	
		619,959 15 3
		£913,319 2 9

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance at 31st March, 1935			628,997 0 6
			£628,997 0 6
Balance brought down			348,137 13 0
Profits for year ended 31st March, 1936, including recoveries, and after payment of and provision for all interest due and accrued on deposits, provision for bad and doubtful debts, depreciation of furniture, and for the annual donation to the Provident Fund are		1,508,982 9 7	
Less—			
Salaries and allowances at Head Office and 225 branches and agencies	526,181 12 11		
Directors' remuneration, including London Board and local directors in Australia ..	10,049 0 2		
General expenses, including rent, stationery, telegrams, postages, travelling, repairs to premises, &c.	113,247 15 4		
Audit Expenses Account	3,130 0 0		
Rates and taxes	291,192 11 5		
		943,800 19 10	
			565,181 9 9
			£913,319 2 9