DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR—continued.

IMMIGRATION.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1939.

Expenditure.				Income.			
£ s. d.	£	s.	d.	Recoveries on account of expenditure of previous			
Passage-money for immigration 346 10 0				years: New Zealand Government contributions	£		d.
Less contributions by— £ s. d.				towards passage-money	58	7	8
Immigrants 33 0 0				Excess of expenditure over income after charging			
Imperial Government 156 15 0				interest	133,205	17	11
189 15 0							
	156	15	0				
Refunds passage money deposited previous years	133	10	0				
Loans for passage-money written off	66	5	3				
Increased provision for doubtful debts	98	5	1				
	32,697	7	3				
Excess income on account of Public Works Fund							
National Development Account	58						
Fares to immigrant artisans in New Zealand	47		10.				
Grants, accommodation, and initial expenses	6	5	6				
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£18	33,264	5	7	;	£133,264	ð	7

BALANCE-SHEET OF LABOUR DEPARTMENT (IMMIGRATION) AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1939.

Capital Account Public Works Fund, 31st March, 1938 Less recoveries on account of expenditure of previous	3,317,487 17		£	s.	d.	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
years, 1938–39 Deposits— Passage-money Miscellaneous	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		3,317,380	4	5	National Development Account 3,318,782
Imperial Government— Loans to immigrants re-			57	0	0	
covered but not paid Contributions on passage money recovered but not paid	24 14 38 15					
Less proportion passage-	63 9 16 10					
Passage-money and other charges owing for immi-	10 10		46	19	6	
grant artisans— Departmental Ordinary	$\begin{array}{r} 834 & 4 \\ 1,557 & 10 \\ \hline \end{array}$		2,391	14	10	
Reserve: Bad debts Treasury Adjustment Account	••	• •	200 134,389	15	3	69 484 465 14 0
		3	£3,454,465	14	<u> </u>	£3,454,465 14 0

HENRY E. MOSTON, Secretary.

I hereby certify that the Income and Expenditure 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, subject to the explanatory notes dealing with departmental accounts generally as appearing at commencement of parliamentary return B.-1 [Pt. IV].—J. H. FOWLER, Controller and Auditor-General.