

APPROPRIATION ACT.

Act No. 27, 1944.

George VI.
No. 27, 1944.

An Act to appropriate and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales certain Sums to make good the Supplies granted for the Service of the year from the 1st day of July, 1944, to the 30th day of June, 1945 (inclusive of both dates); to adjust the vote "Advance to Treasurer," 1943-44, Consolidated Revenue Fund, for supplementary

supplementary charges during the period ^{No. 27, 1944.} from the 1st day of July, 1943, to the 30th day of June, 1944 (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," Consolidated Revenue Fund, for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1943-44; to appropriate and apply out of the Government Railways Fund for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," Government Railways Fund, for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1943-44; to appropriate and apply out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," Road Transport and Traffic Fund, for urgent claims on account of the year 1943-44; to appropriate and apply out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, for urgent claims on account of the year 1943-44; to appropriate and apply out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General

Fund

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Fund for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, for urgent claims on account of the year 1943-44; to appropriate and apply out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (inclusive of both dates); to provide for Services out of the Closer Settlement Fund; and for purposes connected with and incidental to the above objects. [Assented to, 30th November, 1944.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS we Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, have granted to Your Majesty the several sums hereinafter mentioned for the Service of the year from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-five (inclusive of both dates), for Services to be provided for out of Consolidated Revenue Fund; in adjustment of the vote "Advance to Treasurer," 1943-44, Consolidated Revenue Fund for supplementary charges during the period from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and forty-three, to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and forty-four (inclusive of both dates); to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1943-44, to be provided for out of the Consolidated

Consolidated Revenue Fund; for Services to be pro- No. 27, 1944.
vided for out of the Government Railways Fund;
to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" for
urgent claims on account of Services of the year 1943-44,
to be provided for out of the Government Railways
Fund; for Services to be provided for out of the Road
Transport and Traffic Fund; to cover payments
"Unauthorised in Suspense" for urgent claims on
account of Services of the year 1943-44, to be provided for
out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund; for Services
to be provided for out of the Metropolitan Transport
Trust General Fund; to cover payments "Unauthorised in
Suspense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the
year 1943-44, to be provided for out of the Metropolitan
Transport Trust General Fund; for Services to be provided
for out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust
General Fund; to cover payments "Unauthorised in Sus-
pense" for urgent claims on account of Services of the year
1943-44, to be provided for out of the Newcastle and
District Transport Trust General Fund; for Services to be
provided for out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund;
and for Services to be provided for out of the Closer
Settlement Fund: And whereas we desire to make good
out of the said funds the several sums granted to Your
Majesty as aforesaid: Be it therefore enacted by the
King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice
and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative
Assembly of the State of New South Wales in Parliament
assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—

1. Out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund there are hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed, the following sums :—

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1944, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1945.

SCHEDULES :—The sum of One thousand eight hundred and fifty-six pounds for Supplement to Schedules, as follows :—

	£	s.	d.
1. Other pensions and allowances	1,856	0	0
Total, Schedules	£1,856	0	0

THE LEGISLATURE :—The sum of Forty-nine thousand three hundred and thirty pounds, to defray the Salaries and Maintenance and Working Expenses of the Legislative Establishments following :—

2. Legislative Council	5,391	0	0
3. Legislative Assembly	16,301	0	0
4. Legislative Council and Assembly	13,546	0	0
5. Parliamentary Library	4,024	0	0
6. Parliamentary Reporting Staff	9,297	0	0
7. Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works	771	0	0
Total, The Legislature	£49,330	0	0

PREMIER :—The sum of One million six hundred and ninety-eight thousand six hundred and seventy-two pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses, and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

8. Head Office	46,858	0	0
9. Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council	150	0	0
10. Leader of the Opposition	1,066	0	0
11. State Governor's Establishments (including Vice-Regal Residence " Hill View ") and Executive Council	5,500	0	0
Carried over	£53,574	0	0
Carried over	£51,186	0	0

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Brought over £51,186 0 0

PREMIER—continued.

Brought over £53,574 0 0

12.	New South Wales Government Offices, London (including Engineer's Branch)	12,300	0	0
13.	Auditor-General's Department	36,000	0	0
14.	Public Service Board	27,314	0	0
15.	Police Department	1,569,484	0	0
Total, Premier		£1,698,672	0	0

MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT :—The sum of One hundred and twenty-six thousand pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

16.	Head Office	118,295	0	0
17.	Emergency Supply and Emergency Transport	7,705	0	0
Total, Minister for Transport		£126,000	0	0

MINISTER FOR NATIONAL EMERGENCY SERVICES :—The sum of one hundred and sixteen thousand five hundred pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishment and Services following :—

18.	National Emergency Services	116,500	0	0
Total, Minister for National Emergency Services		£116,500	0	0

COLONIAL SECRETARY :—The sum of Three hundred and forty-four thousand six hundred and seventy-one pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

19.	Head Office	166,983	0	0
20.	Fisheries	19,841	0	0
21.	Aborigines Welfare Board	56,893	0	0
22.	Theatres and Films Commission	661	0	0
23.	Weights and Measures	10,449	0	0
24.	Government Tourist Bureau and Tourist Resorts... ..	89,844	0	0
Total, Colonial Secretary		£344,671	0	0
Carried over		£2,337,029	0	0

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MINISTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH :—The sum of Three millions three hundred and thirty-two thousand pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

25. Central Administration...	...	...	...	...	1,759,754	0	0
26. Scientific Activities	...	...	...	...	29,616	0	0
27. Inspectorial Services	...	...	...	...	23,243	0	0
28. Maternal and Baby Welfare	...	...	...	...	112,376	0	0
29. State Hospitals and Homes	...	...	...	...	320,158	0	0
30. Other Health Services	...	...	...	...	194,320	0	0
31. Mental Hospitals	...	...	...	...	873,377	0	0
32. Miscellaneous Boards	...	...	...	...	4,664	0	0
33. Master in Lunacy's Office	...	...	...	...	14,492	0	0
Total, Minister for Public Health					£3,332,000	0	0

TREASURER :—The sum of Nine millions eight hundred and forty-four thousand nine hundred and forty-six pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

34. Head Office	...	...	...	...	8,723,257	0	0
35. Advance to Treasurer	...	...	...	...	200,000	0	0
36. Ministerial Motor Services	...	...	...	...	19,700	0	0
37. State Lotteries (Administration Costs)	...	...	...	...	70,500	0	0
38. Stamp Duties (Administration Costs)	...	...	...	...	25,479	0	0
Government Stores Department—							
39. Government Stores Department	...	...	...	...	263,000	0	0
40. Government Cleaning Service	...	...	...	...	80,000	0	0
Maritime Services Board of New South Wales—							
41. Navigation	...	...	...	...	142,994	0	0
42. Observatory Hill Resumed Area	...	...	...	...	24,000	0	0
43. Resumed Properties	...	...	...	...	69,000	0	0
44. Bureau of Statistics and Economics...	...	...	...	...	13,516	0	0
45. Registry of Co-operative Societies and Registry of Friendly Societies	...	...	...	...	103,500	0	0
46. Government Printer	110,000	0	0
Total, Treasurer					£9,844,946	0	0
Carried over					£15,513,975	0	0

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ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE :—The sum of Nine hundred and twenty-three thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

47. Attorney-General (Head Office)	35,130	0	0
48. Crown Solicitor	25,620	0	0
49. Court Reporters	24,706	0	0
50. The Judges	17,663	0	0
51. Public Solicitor	6,522	0	0
52. Minister of Justice (Head Office)	14,032	0	0
53. Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce	12,971	0	0
54. Master in Equity	4,194	0	0
55. Public Trustee	87,742	0	0
56. Probate Office	6,959	0	0
57. Sheriff	61,907	0	0
58. District Courts	5,704	0	0
59. Chief Industrial Magistrate's Court	1,498	0	0
60. Coroners	5,151	0	0
61. Petty Sessions	172,023	0	0
62. Prisons	316,935	0	0
63. Registrar-General	125,100	0	0

Total, Attorney-General and Minister of Justice ... £923,857 0 0

SECRETARY FOR LANDS :—The sum of Three hundred and thirty eight thousand pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

64. Lands Administration	250,011	0	0
65. Survey of Lands	60,973	0	0
66. Western Lands Office	23,683	0	0
67. Letter Delivery Bureaux	3,333	0	0

Total, Secretary for Lands ... £338,000 0 0

MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS :—The sum of One million one hundred and ninety-two thousand two hundred and twenty-nine pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

68. Central Administration, Head and District Offices ...	1,167,229	0	0
69. New South Wales Government Engineering and Ship-building Undertaking... ..	25,000	0	0

Total, Minister for Public Works ... £1,192,229 0 0

Carried over £17,968,061 0 0

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Brought over	£17,968,061	0	0
MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT :—The sum of Two hundred and eighty-seven thousand pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—								
70. Local Government Department	...	...	...	...	...	241,110	0	0
71. Valuer-General's Department	...	...	...	...	...	45,890	0	0
Total, Minister for Local Government	...	...	...	...	...	£287,000	0	0
MINISTER FOR HOUSING :—The sum of Forty thousand pounds to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—								
72. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	40,000	0	0
Total, Minister for Housing	...	...	...	...	...	£40,000	0	0
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC INSTRUCTION :—The sum of Six millions eight hundred and eight thousand three hundred and ninety-five pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—								
Public Instruction—								
73. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	343,320	0	0
74. Medical Branch	...	...	...	...	...	42,430	0	0
75. Primary Education	...	...	...	...	...	3,985,073	0	0
76. Secondary Education	...	...	...	...	...	1,215,134	0	0
77. Technical Education	...	...	...	...	...	629,485	0	0
78. Observatory	...	...	...	...	...	3,253	0	0
79. Training of Teachers	...	...	...	...	...	174,660	0	0
80. National Fitness	...	...	...	...	...	25,000	0	0
Child Welfare—								
81. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	131,604	0	0
82. Institutions	...	...	...	...	...	170,039	0	0
83. Australian Museum	...	...	...	...	...	18,345	0	0
84. National Art Gallery	...	...	...	...	...	10,823	0	0
85. Public Library of New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	36,988	0	0
86. Library Board	...	...	...	...	...	10,000	0	0
87. Conservatorium of Music	...	...	...	...	...	12,241	0	0
Total, Minister for Public Instruction	£6,808,395	0	0
Carried over	£25,103,456	0	0

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Brought over £25,103,456 0 0

SECRETARY FOR MINES :—The sum of One hundred and ninety-six thousand nine hundred and ninety-four pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

88. Mines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	176,779	0	0
89. Explosives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,215	0	0
Total, Secretary for Mines								£196,994	0	0

MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY AND SOCIAL WELFARE :—The sum of Seven hundred and seventy-two thousand pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

90. Ministerial Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63,365	0	0
91. Industrial Commission and Industrial Registrar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,273	0	0
92. Factory Inspection and Scaffolding and Lifts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35,545	0	0
93. Labour Exchanges and Social Welfare	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	660,817	0	0
Total, Minister for Labour and Industry and Social Welfare								£772,000	0	0

MINISTER FOR CONSERVATION :—The sum of Four hundred and sixty thousand five hundred pounds to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

94. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,500	0	0
95. Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	140,000	0	0
Forestry Commission—										
96. Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,217	0	0
97. Wood Technology Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,366	0	0
98. Field and Country Offices	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	203,417	0	0
99. Soil Conservation Service	45,000	0	0
Total, Minister for Conservation...								£460,500	0	0
Carried over								£26,532,950	0	0

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MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE :—The sum of Seven hundred and seventy-eight thousand five hundred pounds, to defray the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

100. Central Administration	...	...	...	...	...	122,927	0	0
101. Division of Plant Industry	...	...	...	...	...	39,369	0	0
102. Division of Horticulture	...	...	...	...	...	50,591	0	0
103. Division of Dairying	...	...	...	...	...	21,809	0	0
104. Hawkesbury Agricultural College	...	...	...	...	...	38,081	0	0
105. Experiment Farms and Nurseries	...	...	...	...	...	98,237	0	0
106. Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices	...	...	...	...	...	49,036	0	0
107. Division of Animal Industry—Queensland Border	...	...	...	...	...	16,440	0	0
108. Division of Animal Industry—Tick Quarantine Areas	...	...	...	...	...	214,392	0	0
109. Botanic Gardens and Allied Activities	...	...	...	...	...	35,014	0	0
Trading Section—								
110. Grain Elevators	...	...	...	...	...	92,604	0	0
Total, Minister for Agriculture	...	...	...	...	...	£778,500	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM 1ST JULY, 1944, TO 30TH JUNE, 1945 £27,311,450 0 0

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE PERIOD FROM 1ST JULY, 1943, TO 30TH JUNE, 1944.

IN ADJUSTMENT OF THE VOTE "ADVANCE TO TREASURER," 1943-44, ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44 :—The sum of Two hundred thousand pounds for Supplementary Charges made during the period from 1st July, 1943, to 30th June, 1944, for the Salaries, Maintenance and Working Expenses and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

THE LEGISLATURE—

Legislative Assembly	...	..	...	...	...	385	11	11
Legislative Council and Assembly	...	...	...	...	...	293	4	8
Parliamentary Library	...	...	...	...	...	163	3	8
Parliamentary Reporting Staff	584	17	4
Total, The Legislature	£1,426	17	7
Carried over	£1,426	17	7

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Brought over	£1,426	17	7
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PREMIER—										
Head Office	835	13	4
Office of the Deputy Prices Commissioner for New South Wales	223	14	11
Auditor-General's Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	6	7
Public Service Board	227	18	5
Police Department	1,865	12	4
Total, Premier	£3,196	5	7
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MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT—										
Head Office	145	15	2
Total, Minister for Transport	£145	15	2
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MINISTER FOR NATIONAL EMERGENCY SERVICES—										
National Emergency Services	2,440	6	6
Total, Minister for National Emergency Services	£2,440	6	6
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COLONIAL SECRETARY—										
Head Office	5,117	13	3
Fisheries	64	12	7
Aborigines Welfare Board	381	0	10
Theatres and Films Commission	89	6	10
Weights and Measures	92	11	2
Total, Colonial Secretary	£5,745	4	8
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MINISTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH—										
Central Administration	691	19	9
Scientific Activities	27	7	10
Maternal and Baby Welfare	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,896	18	6
State Hospitals and Homes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,734	13	9
Other Health Services	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,783	15	11
Mental Hospitals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,985	12	1
Miscellaneous Boards	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	236	18	2
Master in Lunacy's Office	99	8	3
Total, Minister for Public Health	£14,456	14	3
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Carried over	£27,411	3	9
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Brought over	£27,411	3	9
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TREASURER—			
Head Office	54,617	16	7
Ministerial Motor Services	3,216	6	2
State Lotteries (Administration Costs)	5,645	17	4
Stamp Duties (Administration Costs)	865	12	0
Government Stores Department—			
Government Stores Department	33,297	3	5
Government Cleaning Service	266	12	10
Maritime Services Board of New South Wales—			
Observatory Hill Resumed Area	497	3	0
Resumed Properties	163	3	3
Bureau of Statistics and Economics	156	2	3
Registry of Co-operative Societies and Registry of Friendly Societies	391	8	8
Government Printer	5	0	0
Total, Treasurer	£99,122	5	6
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ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE—			
Attorney-General (Head Office)	3,513	15	11
Crown Solicitor	87	17	5
Court Reporters	388	1	3
The Judges	1,007	15	3
Minister of Justice (Head Office)	86	11	9
Prothonotary and Registrar in Divorce	390	17	4
Public Trustee	1,309	13	5
Probate Office	172	19	8
Sheriff	578	18	6
Coroners	128	9	10
Petty Sessions	1,023	16	11
Prisons	2,973	6	5
Registrar-General	2,122	4	4
Total, Attorney-General and Minister of Justice	£13,784	8	0
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SECRETARY FOR LANDS—			
Lands Administration	5,171	4	2
Survey of Lands	963	19	5
Western Lands Office	1,030	3	11
Total, Secretary for Lands	£7,165	7	6
Carried over	£147,483	4	9
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Brought over	£147,483	4	9
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—										
Central Administration, Head and District Offices...	4,786	3	0
Total, Minister for Public Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£4,786	3	0
MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING—										
Local Government and Housing Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,567	4	0
Valuer-General's Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	543	0	9
Total, Minister for Local Government and Housing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£4,110	4	9
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION—										
Public Instruction—										
Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,131	16	5
Primary Education	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	1	8
Secondary Education	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	6
Technical Education	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	7	0
Observatory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11	8
Training of Teachers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,001	16	2
National Fitness	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,013	13	2
Child Welfare—										
Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,433	2	1
Institutions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,493	0	8
National Art Gallery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	497	14	0
Public Library of New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	4	6
Total, Public Instruction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£16,803	13	10
SECRETARY FOR MINES—										
Mines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,021	2	5
Explosives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	15	3
Soil Conservation Service	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	424	1	2
Total, Secretary for Mines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£2,521	18	10
MINISTER FOR FORESTS—										
Head Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,059	19	11
Wood Technology Division	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	245	15	9
Field and Country Offices	1,808	19	5
Total, Minister for Forests	£5,114	15	1
Carried over	£180,820	0	3

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Brought over £180,820 0 3

MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY AND SOCIAL SERVICES—

Ministerial Office	1,313 1 10
Industrial Commission and Industrial Registrar	499 12 6
Factory Inspection and Scaffolding and Lifts	634 12 1

Total, Minister for Labour and Industry and Social Services £2,447 6 5

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—

Central Administration	1,690 9 7
Division of Plant Industry	1,759 5 4
Division of Horticulture	4,841 13 2
Division of Dairying	834 17 11
Hawkesbury Agricultural College	539 8 10
Experiment Farms and Nurseries	633 7 10
Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices	1,283 19 10
Division of Animal Industry—Tick Quarantine Areas	1,870 9 9
Botanic Gardens and Allied Activities	755 9 11
Trading Section—	
Grain Elevators	21 3 8
Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission, Head Office and Sundry Services	2,502 7 6

Total, Department of Agriculture £16,732 13 4

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND, IN ADJUSTMENT OF THE VOTE "ADVANCE TO TREASURER," 1943-44... .. £200,000 0 0

PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE":—The sum of One million three hundred and thirty-six thousand six hundred and sixty-four pounds and six pence to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" to 30th June, 1944, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1943-44 made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament, as follows:—

PREMIER—

Police	£43,617 13 0
Total, Premier	£43,617 13 0
Carried over	£43,617 13 0

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MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT—					
Head Office	17,937 11 3
Total, Minister for Transport					£17,937 11 3
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MINISTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH—					
Central Administration	335,000 0 0
State Hospitals and Homes	2,243 13 0
Other Health Services	5,796 9 3
Total, Minister for Public Health					£343,040 2 3
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TREASURER—					
Head Office	555,025 10 2
State Lotteries (Administration Costs)	3,693 2 4
Total, Treasurer					£558,718 12 6
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ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE—					
Prisons	10,988 0 8
Total, Attorney-General and Minister of Justice					£10,988 0 8
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MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—					
Central Administration, Head and District Offices	26,235 11 10
New South Wales Government Engineering and Shipbuilding Undertaking	16,500 0 0
Total, Minister for Public Works					£42,735 11 10
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MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING—					
Local Government and Housing	200,000 0 0
Total, Local Government and Housing					£200,000 0 0
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PUBLIC INSTRUCTION—					
Primary Education	52,223 2 5
Technical Education	19,018 12 7
Child Welfare—Institutions	...	...	...	...	2,850 0 0
Public Library of New South Wales	5,099 0 0
Total, Public Instruction					£79,091 15 0
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Carried over	£1,296,129 6 6
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Brought over	£1,296,129	6	6	
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MINISTER FOR LABOUR AND INDUSTRY AND SOCIAL SERVICES—									
Ministerial Office	11,750	0	0	
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Total, Minister for Labour and Industry and Social Services	£11,750	0	0	
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—									
Central Administration	9,425	6	5	
Experiment Farms and Nurseries	5,008	2	7	
Division of Animal Industry—Head and District Offices	3,000	0	0	
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Total, Department of Agriculture	£17,433	9	0	
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WATER CONSERVATION AND IRRIGATION COMMISSION—									
Head Office and Sundry Services	11,351	5	0	
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Total, Water Conservation and Irrigation Commission...	£11,351	5	0	
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TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND FOR PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44						...	£1,336,664	0	6
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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS FUND—

2. Out of the Government Railways Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—The sum of Twenty-nine millions six hundred and ninety-six thousand pounds.

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1944, TO
THIRTIETH JUNE, 1945.

	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges	826,064	0	0
Way and Works	4,808,981	0	0
Rolling Stock	9,444,256	0	0
Transportation and Traffic	5,716,550	0	0
Electrical Branch	1,658,749	0	0
Government Railways Superannuation Fund Contribution ...	419,000	0	0
Federal Pay Roll Tax	406,000	0	0
Subsidiary Services—Refreshment Rooms	1,156,400	0	0
Exchange on Remittances Overseas	760,000	0	0
Total—Working Expenses	25,196,000	0	0

FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES :—

For Transfer to Consolidated Revenue Fund for Redemption of Treasury Bills	2,500,000	0	0
Supplementary Provision for Rolling Stock and Equipment	2,000,000	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT
RAILWAYS FUND £29,696,000 0 0

PAYMENTS “UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE” :—The sum of thirty-seven thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven pounds eighteen shillings and ten pence to cover payments “Unauthorised in Suspense” to 30th June, 1944, for Urgent Claims on account of services of the year 1943-44, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows :—

SERVICES OF THE YEAR, 1943-44—

Operation and Maintenance—			
Transportation and Traffic	1,479	16	8
Federal Pay Roll Tax	36,258	2	2

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT
RAILWAYS FUND FOR PAYMENTS “UNAUTHORISED IN
SUSPENSE” FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44 ... £37,737 18 10

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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE ROAD TRANSPORT AND TRAFFIC FUND—

3. Out of the Road Transport and Traffic Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—The sum of Five hundred and seven thousand pounds.

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1944, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1945.

Administrative and General Charges and other Expenses	...	£	s.	d.
		507,000	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE ROAD TRANSPORT AND TRAFFIC FUND	...	...	...	...	...	£	s.	d.
						507,000	0	0

PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE":—The sum of Sixty-three thousand eight hundred and fourteen pounds eight shillings to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" to 30th June, 1944, for Urgent Claims on account of services of the year 1943-44, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44—

Administrative and General Charges and Other Expenses	...	63,814	8	0
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TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE ROAD TRANSPORT AND TRAFFIC FUND FOR PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44	...	£	s.	d.
		63,814	8	0

APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND—

4. Out of the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—The sum of Four millions nine hundred and eighty-six thousand six hundred and eighty pounds.

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FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1944, TO
THIRTIETH JUNE, 1945.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Operation and Maintenance—						
Administrative and General Charges ...	294,800	0	0			
Depreciation	164,000	0	0			
Federal Pay Roll Tax	81,500	0	0			
				540,300	0	0
 Tramway Services—						
Maintenance and Renewals of Way and Structures	265,100	0	0			
Maintenance and Renewals of Overhead Way ...	71,800	0	0			
Maintenance and Renewals of Plant ...	470,700	0	0			
Electric Power for Traction... ..	485,500	0	0			
Traffic	1,916,800	0	0			
				3,209,900	0	0
 Motor Omnibus Services—						
Maintenance and Renewals of Motor Omnibuses and Equipment	261,700	0	0			
Traffic	941,000	0	0			
				1,202,700	0	0
 Exchange on Remittances Overseas—						
Tramway Services	32,200	0	0			
Motor Omnibus Services	1,580	0	0			
				33,780	0	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND				£4,986,680	0	0

PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE":—The sum of Twenty-one thousand two hundred and eighteen pounds five shillings to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense," to 30th June, 1944, for Urgent Claims on account of services of the year 1943-44, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament as follows:—

SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44—

Tramway Services—						
Traffic				21,218	5	0
				21,218	5	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND FOR PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44				£21,218	5	0

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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND—

5. Out of the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed :—
The sum of Five hundred and twenty-two thousand two hundred and eighty pounds.

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1944, TO
THIRTIETH JUNE, 1945.

Operation and Maintenance—		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges ...	27,000	0	0				
Depreciation	18,000	0	0				
Federal Pay Roll Tax	7,600	0	0				
					52,600	0	0
Tramway Services—							
Maintenance and Renewals of Way and Structures	15,800	0	0				
Maintenance and Renewals of Overhead Way ...	7,000	0	0				
Maintenance and Renewals of Plant ...	23,400	0	0				
Electric Power for Traction	25,600	0	0				
Traffic	142,100	0	0				
					213,900	0	0
Motor Omnibus Services—							
Maintenance and Renewals of Motor Omnibuses and Equipment	63,900	0	0				
Traffic	187,300	0	0				
					251,200	0	0
Exchange on Remittances Overseas—							
Tramway Services	4,240	0	0				
Motor Omnibus Services	340	0	0				
					4,580	0	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND					£522,280	0	0

PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" :—The sum of Four thousand eight hundred and seventy pounds ten shillings and eightpence to cover payments "Unauthorised in Suspense" to 30th June, 1944, for Urgent Claims on account of Services of the year 1943-44, made in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament, as follows :—

SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44—

Tramway Services—	£	s.	d.
Traffic	4,870	10	8

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE NEWCASTLE AND DISTRICT TRANSPORT TRUST GENERAL FUND FOR PAYMENTS "UNAUTHORISED IN SUSPENSE" FOR SERVICES OF THE YEAR 1943-44	£4,870	10	8
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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE SYDNEY HARBOUR TRUST FUND—

6. Out of the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed :—The sum of One million four hundred and twenty-two thousand one hundred and thirty pounds.

FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR FROM FIRST JULY, 1944, TO THIRTIETH JUNE, 1945.

	£	s.	d.
Administrative and General Charges	139,658	0	0
Collection of Wharfage and Tonnage Rates	25,948	0	0
Control of Port	25,490	0	0
Survey of Port	13,863	0	0
Maintenance and Renewals of Property	240,956	0	0
Sundry Services	25,260	0	0
Dredging	12,240	0	0
Demolition of Wharves and Buildings	180	0	0
Wheat Conveyors—Operating Expenses	7,800	0	0
Subsidiary Services—Bonded and Free Warehouses	27,735	0	0
Exchange on Remittances Overseas	57,400	0	0
Total—Working Expenses	576,530	0	0

FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES :—

For Transfer to Consolidated Revenue Fund for Redemption of Treasury Bills	750,000	0	0
Renewals and Replacements	55,600	0	0
Establishment of Stores Working Account	40,000	0	0

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE SYDNEY HARBOUR TRUST FUND	£1,422,130	0	0
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APPROPRIATIONS OUT OF THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT FUND—

7. Out of the Closer Settlement Fund there is hereby appropriated, and may be issued and applied for or towards the several uses and purposes hereinafter expressed:—The sum of Twenty-six thousand six hundred and eighty-nine pounds.

Secretary for Lands—

Closer Settlement Acts—

Cost of Subdivision, Maintenance, Improvement and Disposal (including re-disposal) of land acquired for Closer Settlement under the Closer Settlement Acts, the Crown Lands Consolidation Act, 1913, and the Returned Soldiers Settlement Act, 1916, and the cost of works in connection therewith, and other expenses incidental thereto—			
further sum	...	...	...
Administrative Expenses in connection with Closer Settlement (including Printing and Advertising)	...	...	...
		£	s. d.
		5,000	0 0
		21,689	0 0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED OUT OF THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT FUND	...	...	...
		£26,689	0 0

Provisos.

8. Subject to section thirty-four of the Audit Act and the following proviso, expenditure shall not be incurred on any item, subdivision, division, or vote, shown on the Estimates of the Consolidated Revenue Fund in excess of the sum provided therefor by Parliament on such estimates—provided that if the exigencies of the Public Service render it necessary, the Colonial Treasurer or person appointed by him may authorise the transfer of a specific amount from any item, subdivision, or division, other than for specific public works or an item under the division “Other Services,” to any other item, subdivision, or division, within the same vote other than for specific public works or an item under the division “Other Services”; and subject to the following proviso, expenditure shall not be incurred on any division shown on the Estimates of the Government Railways Fund, the Road Transport and Traffic Fund, the Metropolitan Transport Trust General Fund, the Newcastle and District Transport Trust General Fund, and the Sydney Harbour Trust Fund, in excess of the sum provided therefor by Parliament on such Estimates—provided that if the exigencies of the Public Service render

render it necessary, the Colonial Treasurer or the person appointed by him may authorise the transfer of a specific amount from any division, other than for specific public works, to any other division within the vote other than for specific public works. No. 27, 1944.

Nothing in these provisos shall empower the Colonial Treasurer or the person appointed by him as aforesaid to authorise the transfer of any sum in augmentation of or as an addition to any salary or wages the amount of which has been fixed by law.

The Colonial Treasurer shall cause the Auditor-General to be informed of every such authority granted as aforesaid.

9. There shall be issued and paid the said several sums for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned in such manner and in such proportions as the Governor by any warrant or order in writing under his hand and directed to the Colonial Treasurer or other lawful authority may from time to time order and direct, and the payments so to be made shall be charged upon and payable out of the said funds respectively; but the said Colonial Treasurer shall not be held liable for any claims which may arise in connection with any of the State Departments transferred to the Commonwealth on or after the date of such transfer. Treasurer or lawful Authority shall pay by warrant or order.

10. The said Colonial Treasurer or other lawful Authority shall in their respective accounts from time to time be allowed credit for any sum or sums of money paid by him or them in pursuance of such warrant or order in writing as aforesaid, and the receipts of the respective persons to whom the same are so paid shall be a full and valid discharge to the said Colonial Treasurer or other lawful Authority in passing the said accounts for any such sums as may be therein mentioned, and he or they shall receive credit for the same accordingly. Treasurer or lawful Authority shall be allowed credit for moneys paid by them.

11. This Act may be cited as the "Appropriation Act, 1944." Short title.