

APPENDIX.

PATENT OFFICE.

A.—RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1941.

<i>Receipts.</i>				£	s.	d.	<i>Payments.</i>				£	s.	d.
Patent fees	..	..	..	10,158	8	3	Salaries, &c.	..	..	..	4,214	5	0
Design fees	..	..	..	118	17	3	Fuel, light, power, and water	..	..	..	36	14	7
Trade-marks fees	..	..	..	2,749	2	6	Rent, maintenance, and repairs	..	..	..	313	12	0
Sales of Acts, <i>Journals</i> , &c.—	£	s.	d.				<i>Patent Office Journal</i>	..	..	..	618	0	11
At the Government Printing Office	114	9	6				Postage, telegrams, and telephones	..	..	..	202	15	4
At the Patent Office	6	9	3				Printing and stationery, &c.	..	..	..	267	3	9
				120	18	9	Refunds	..	..	..	59	12	6
							Balance: Cash in Public Account	..	..	..	7,435	2	8
				£13,147	6	9					£13,147	6	9

I hereby certify that the Statement of Receipts and Payments has been duly examined and compared with the relative books and documents submitted for audit, and correctly states the position as disclosed thereby. Copyright fees are not included.—CYRIL G. COLLINS, Controller and Auditor-General.

A. H. IHLE, Commissioner of Patents.

B.—TABLE SHOWING RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR EACH OF THE LAST TEN YEARS.

Year.				Receipts.	Payments.	Surplus.	Year.				Receipts.	Payments.	Surplus.
				£	£	£					£	£	£
1932	..	..	..	12,035	4,782	7,253	1937	..	..	..	13,407	5,623	7,784
1933	..	..	..	11,695	4,379	7,314	1938	..	..	..	14,754	6,790	7,964
1934	..	..	..	12,376	4,709	7,667	1939	..	..	..	14,134	6,846	7,288
1935	..	..	..	12,869	4,477	8,392	1940	..	..	..	12,241	6,076	6,165
1936	..	..	..	13,276	5,222	8,054	1941	..	..	..	13,148	5,713	7,435

C.—TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS FOR PATENTS AND FOR REGISTRATION OF DESIGNS AND TRADE-MARKS RECORDED FOR THE YEARS 1914 TO 1941 (INCLUSIVE).

Year.	Patents.	Designs.	Trade-marks.	Total.	Year.	Patents.	Designs.	Trade-marks.	Total.
1914	1,574	55	687	2,316	1928	2,070	163	1,201	3,434
1915	1,299	89	565	1,953	1929	2,251	125	1,359	3,735
1916	1,261	113	666	2,040	1930	2,103	169	1,265	3,537
1917	1,329	83	619	2,031	1931	2,065	151	999	3,215
1918	1,386	53	695	2,134	1932	1,845	164	925	2,934
1919	1,880	74	1,272	3,226	1933	1,761	143	814	2,718
1920	2,193	109	1,391	3,693	1934	1,766	146	915	2,827
1921	2,115	141	994	3,250	1935	1,730	185	943	2,858
1922	2,183	214	1,103	3,500	1936	1,836	124	1,096	3,056
1923	2,075	183	1,163	3,421	1937	1,832	193	889	2,914
1924	2,085	185	1,338	3,608	1938	1,960	160	860	2,980
1925	2,046	203	1,332	3,581	1939	1,821	137	694	2,652
1926	2,137	204	1,143	3,484	1940	1,277	108	626	2,011
1927	2,052	145	1,325	3,522	1941	1,214	108	534	1,856

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