

Revenue collected by the Department totalled £2,462,205 for the year, and of this sum £2,322,921 represents the sale of electrical energy and miscellaneous receipts credited to the Electric Supply Account. The balance is made up of irrigation revenue and miscellaneous receipts exclusive of taxation for Main Highways purposes which is collected by other Departments.

Class of Work	Expenditure, 1943-44.		
	Gross.	Credits.	Net.
EXPENDITURE, PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNT			
	£	£	£
Public Works, departmental	696,524	690,524	6,000
Railway-construction	444,332	77,559	366,773
Housing construction	1,630,958	198,712	1,432,246
Public buildings	636,608	14,163	622,445
Education buildings	236,137	1,046	235,091
Lighthouses and harbour-works	14,967	190	14,777
Roads, &c.	128,790	52,544	76,246
Soil conservation and rivers control	59,455	47,641	11,814
Lands, miscellaneous	38,636	1,358	37,278
Irrigation, water-supply, and drainage	464,782	123,377	341,405
Linen-flax development	754,441	636,106	118,335
Totals, Public Works Account	5,105,630	1,843,220	3,262,410
Electric Supply Account—			
Construction	1,818,123	115,205	1,702,918
Working-expenses	713,866	24,831	689,035
EXPENDITURE, OTHER VOTES AND ACCOUNTS			
Main Highways Account—			
Annual appropriation—			
Construction, reconstruction, and improvements	141,632	36,334	105,298
Maintenance, repairs, and renewals	1,443,215	211,929	1,231,286
Administration, plant, and miscellaneous expenditure	47,787	26,956	20,831
Interest, fees, &c.	252,008	..	252,008
Permanent appropriations (rate subsidies, interest on transfer from Public Works Fund, &c.)	221,602	..	221,602
Consolidated Fund—			
Maintenance, public buildings, roads, &c.	431,657	93,749	337,908
Plant, material, and miscellaneous services	2,532,361	2,445,574	86,787
Other accounts (expenditure by Public Works Department):			
Amounts not included above	11,485,447	..	11,485,447
Totals, other votes and accounts	19,087,698	2,954,578	16,133,120
Grand total of expenditure, Public Works Account and other votes and accounts, for the year ended 31st March, 1944 ..	24,193,328	4,797,798	19,395,530

Class of Work.	Receipts, 1943-44.
RECEIPTS,* PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT	
Ordinary Revenue Account—	£
Irrigation (receipts for year)	25,611
Miscellaneous receipts for year	96,570
Electric Supply Account (sales of energy, miscellaneous receipts, &c.): Receipts for year	2,322,921
Main Highways Account (repayment of advances, &c., and interest): Receipts for year	17,103
Total receipts	2,462,205

* Excludes motor-spirits tax, registration fees, &c., collected by other Departments.

Summary			
	Public Works Department.	Other Departments.	Total.
	£	£	£
Gross expenditure	23,202,750	990,578	24,193,328
Recoveries and receipts	6,622,851	637,152	7,260,003