

(c) STATEMENT OF IRREGULARITIES IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLIC MONEYS AND STORES—*continued*

File No.	Nature of Irregularity.	Amount involved.	Action taken, and Result.
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CASES OTHER THAN THOSE IN WHICH DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS WERE INVOLVED—*contd.*Air Department—*continued*

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A. 21/101/72, 74, 77	Theft of cash—three instances	14 6 9	Each loss was investigated by the police. In two cases the officers responsible for safe custody of cash were required to make good the loss. Inquiries in respect of one other case are not yet complete.

## Army Department

A. 21/9/341	Theft of cash (Central Mediterranean Forces)	62 10 0	Offender sentenced by Field General Court-martial to six months' detention for theft of £25. Investigations by military authorities in respect of balance of loss unsuccessful.
A. 21/9/335	Theft of cash (Central Mediterranean Forces)	687 10 0	Officer found guilty of negligence by court-martial and placed under stoppage of pay £50 (stg.).
A. 21/9/334	Failure to account .. ..	20 0 0	Offender convicted and ordered to make restitution.
A. 21/9/345	Failure to account .. ..	43 17 6	Court action proceeding.
A. 21/9/324	Failure to account .. ..	4 5 4	Police action unsuccessful. Amount recovered.
A. 21/9/318	Fraudulent cashing of soldier's pay warrant	7 14 0	*
A. 21/9/318	Fraudulent cashing of final pay warrant	73 6 0	Police action unsuccessful.
A. 21/9/318	Fraudulent cashing of allotment and dependant's allowance warrants—ten warrants	68 19 0	Offender convicted and sentenced to three months' imprisonment. Restitution made.
A. 21/9/318	Fraudulent cashing of allotment and dependant's allowance warrants—nine warrants	90 12 6	Offender convicted and sentenced to three months' imprisonment. Part restitution made.
A. 21/9/318	Fraudulent cashing of allotment and dependant's allowance warrants—forty-three instances	276 11 0	Each loss was investigated by the police. Convictions were obtained in nine cases, and in seven of these restitution was ordered. Inquiries in respect of two of the cases are not yet complete.
A. 21/9/319, 333	Theft or improper possession of stores, equipment, petrol, clothing, motor accessories, arms, and ammunition—eighty-eight instances	Not stated	Each case was investigated by the police or military authorities. Convictions were obtained in six cases. Inquiries in respect of forty-six of the cases are not yet complete.
A. 21/14/33	Fraudulent cashing of postal warrants—eight instances	6 15 0	*

## Internal Affairs Department

A. 21/17/5	Theft of fire hose and fittings, book, and electric radiators (3)	18 18 11	*
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## Lands and Survey Department

A. 24/14/23	Theft of stock (174 sheep) ..	Not stated	*
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