

ELECTRIC SUPPLY ACCOUNT—*continued*.
LAKE COLERIDGE HYDRO-ELECTRIC-POWER SUPPLY—*continued*.
BALANCE-SHEET AT 31st MARCH, 1924—*continued*.

1922-23.		Liabilities.		1923-24.		1922-23.		Assets.		1923-24.	
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
930,797	9 1	Brought forward		977,701	18 5	626,222	15 0	Brought forward		643,806	6 0
						6,963	9 0	Primary distribution—			
						4,889	19 10	Supply cables—			
						7,013	3 9	Christchurch City		7,021	16 1
						18,893	9 8	Lytelton		4,889	19 10
						10,876	10 2	Northern		7,015	3 8
						3,994	11 1	Southern		18,997	4 11
						1,019	0 2	Motukara		11,886	15 6
								Hororata-Darfield		4,045	9 5
								Substations—		1,613	19 10
								Hororata		4,712	10 9
								Ashburton		8,265	8 9
								Timaru		9,984	1 6
						622	9 9	Lightning-arresters		622	9 9
						300	4 5	Tools and equipment		300	4 5
						1,516	12 8	Alterations to public telegraph-lines		1,516	12 8
						56,089	10 6			80,871	17 1
								Secondary distribution—			
						21,543	18 4	Supply cables and reticulation		22,807	15 9
						26,409	19 9	Local substations		26,689	19 7
						47,953	18 1			49,497	15 4
						16,683	1 3	Service transformers and meters		9,329	2 10
						6,646	18 2	Motor-cars, lorries, and cycles, &c.		6,865	16 4
						88	14 6	Test-room equipment		102	9 4
						11,957	15 10	Loose tools, plant, and equipment		11,415	9 4
						1,729	3 9	Public telephones to the lake		1,729	3 9
						173	19 1	Telephones to Christchurch City Council and		173	19 1
						249	6 5	Tramway Board and local officers		250	3 10
						26,749	13 9	Christchurch office—Furniture and fittings		28,288	0 11
						23,692	9 10	Engineering, office, and general expenses on		27,646	16 10
						29,795	19 10	preliminary surveys and during construction		32,823	19 1
						848,033	6 0	Salaries of Engineers and others on preliminary		892,800	19 9
						41,095	0 1	surveys and during construction		41,471	10 0
						186	15 4	Interest during construction		141	13 1
						17,606	19 9	Stocks of material, &c., on hand at date		20,115	6 0
						906,921	12 2	Telephone subscriptions, fire insurance, &c.,			
						23,875	16 11	paid in advance			
						£977,701	18 5	Sundry debtors—For current, rent, work			
								carried out, &c.			
								Balance from Profit and Loss Appropriation		954,529	8 10
								Account		23,172	9 7
£930,797	9 1					£930,797	9 1			£977,701	18 5

The balance-sheet has been compared with the various supporting books, vouchers, and documents, and found to correspond therewith.
G. F. C. CAMPBELL,
Controller and Auditor-General.