STATE ADVANCES OFFICE-continued.

ADVANCES TO SETTLERS BRANCH-continued.

MANAGEMENT EXPENSES ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1927.

Dr.	£	s.	d.	. Cr.					£	s.	d.
To Advertising, newspapers, &c	16	18	2	By Consent fees					25	10	0
Audit Office services	300	0	0	Production fees					856	13	9
Cleaning, lighting, heating, and messenger				Release fees					307	8	6
services	460	0	9	Sundry fees					8	18	6
Compassionate allowance to Mrs. Foote	190	0	0	Balance transfer	red to	Profit and	Loss	Account	30,426	4	11
Fees paid for special service in respect of securi-				į.							
ties	63	18	6								
Management charges on New Zealand stock and											
bonds	999	0	9								
Meal allowances and overtime	562	1	0	İ							
Office maintenance	137	13	6								
Postages and telegrams	906	17	2	i							
Post Office services	1,586	8	6								
Printing and stationery	1,729	16	11								
Public Service Superannuation Fund contri-											
bution	298	5	7								
Rent	2,474	8	9								
Salaries	20,273	4	3								
Solicitors' costs and Court costs	23	15	5								
Telephones	154	1	6	1							
Travelling-expenses	722	5	0								
Typewriters and adding-machines—Repairs	75	19	11	i							
Valuation Department—Agency work	650	0	0								
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	£31,624	15	8					;	£31,624	15	8
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A. A. PRICHARD, Deputy Superintendent. R. ROBERTSON, Accountant.

State Advances Office, Wellington, 30th June, 1927.

I hereby certify that the Balance-sheet and accompanying accounts have been duly examined and compared with the books and documents submitted for audit, and correctly state the position as disclosed thereby.—J. H. Fowler, Deputy Controller and Auditor-General.

ADVANCES TO WORKERS BRANCH.

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1927.

L	iabilities.	£	s.	d.	· Assets.		
Sundry loans		 8,058,022	19	11	Investment Account—Principal owing by mort-	3. (d.
Temporary advances from Sett	lers Branch	 1,585,000	0	0	gagors 9,454,207 18	5	7
Interest on loans accrued but	not due	 69,833	7	8	Sinking Fund investments held by Advances		
Advances Suspense Account		 189,496	12	1	Office Sinking Fund Account *84,751	8	8
Fire Loss Suspense Account		 1,355	0	0	Interest on mortgages— £ s. d.		
Suspense Account		 4,416	10	7	Overdue 42,159 2 5		
Income-tax Suspense Account		 1,529	1	6	Accrued 109,543 10 9		
Sundry creditors		 976	5	6	151,702 13	3	2
Reserve for bad debts		 188	9	9	Interest on temporary investments accrued 1,416	0	6
Sinking Fund		 63,660	0	9		0	4
<u> </u>					Loan Charges Account 246,834 1	1	3
					Profit and Loss Account 32,975	0	9
					Cash in hand and in bank at 31st March, 1927 2,077 1	7	6
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		£9,974,478	7	9	£9,974,478	7	9
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^{*} This amount includes the sum of £21,091 7s. 11d. capital paid into the Advances Office Sinking Fund under the provisions of the State Advances Act, 1913, section (3) (c).

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1927.

Losses on realization of securities .	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	£ 5,449 188 8,775	9	5 9	Cr. By Interest Account—Gross profits			£ 14,413	s. d 9	
Loan-flotation charges written down		£14,413 £ 25,969 14,252 1,529 £41,750	s. 1 3 1	5 2	By Net profits for the year Balance	•••	• •	£14,413 £ 8,775 32,975 £41,750		4