To Institutional Accounts-

## MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT—continued.

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1926.

£ s. d.

Auckland Christchurch Dunedin Hokitika Nelson Porirua Tokanui Interest on Wellington land	62,623 16 2 55,769 15 3 83,194 12 8 24,845 7 9 22,223 18 1 66,332 12 2 26,388 15 10 465 2 5 £341,844 0 4	By Balance, excess of exper	nditure over income	£341,844 0 4
Liabil Capital Account	£ s. d. 969,505 18 10 8,003 4 0 71,767 17 6 361,619 5 0	Land Buildings (institutional) Buildings (farm) Developmental Improvements Furniture and fittings Plant and machinery— Institution Farm Motor-vehicles Less losses in Suspense		1
		0.1 1.1		1 455 0 0

Other vehicles

£1,410,896 5 4

1,952 Loose and artisans' tools Farm implements ... 247 14 90,219 15 Surgical instruments Stores and equipment 26,145 13 Live-stock Stored and growing crops Sundry debtors Less losses in Suspense 51 1,281 Expenses paid in advance Excess expenditure over income £1,410,896 5 4

1,455

Note.—The assets include amounts of a capital nature expended by the Public Works Department for which the Department possesses no parliamentary appropriation. The following charges are included for which the Department possesses no parliamentary appropriation: (a) Rental value as assessed by Public Works Department; (b) interest at 4½ per cent. on capital as at 1st April, 1925; (c) maintenance of buildings by the Public Works Department. The reduction under the heading "Improvements" is due to the splitting of this asset into the various components—viz., land, buildings furniture &c.

## F. TRUBY KING, Inspector-General of Mental Hospitals. W. RIACH, A R.A.N.Z., Accountant.

I hereby certify that the Farm Working Accounts, Institutional Accounts, Income and Expenditure Account, and Balance-sheet have been duly examined and compared with the relative books and documents submitted for audit, and correctly state the position as disclosed thereby, except that—(1) The estimated value of the labour performed by inmates on the institutional farms has not been taken into account; (2) the valuations of land, buildings, and improvements are incomplete; (3) the income from maintenance fees does not represent the earnings for the year, and the outstandings at the end of the year have not been correctly stated; and (4) subject to the departmental notes above.—G. F. C. Campbell, Controller and Auditor-General