STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1930.

Expenditure.	£	8.	d.	Income.	£ s. d.
To Refunds, totalizator duty under section 8	,			By Adhesive stamps	109,758 12 8
Finance Act, 1925	25,566	10	2	Duty on instruments	457,538 16 4
Postages and telephones	1,305	3	7	Death duties	1,681,046 12 9
Relieving-allowances	. 10	0	0	Gift duty	6E 07E 14 0
Salaries and wages	. 22,630	8	3	Fines and penalties	2,947 3 1
Printing and stationery	. 1,484	0	2	Impressed stamps and bank cheques duty	209,737 2 2
Law-costs	. 525	9	5	Company licenses	76 164 0 11
Fuel, light, and cleaning	. 325	4	3	Bank-note duty	193,363 9 11
Transfer and travelling expenses	241	3	4	Racing revenue	546,824 6 1
Freight and cartage	. 126	11	3	Amusements-tax	78,851 18 1
Office supplies	. 140	6	10	Sharebrokers' licenses	010 0 0
Stamp-printing	1,291	4	5	Miscellaneous receipts	18 1 4
Valuation fees	. 333	19	9	Recoveries on account of expenditure of	i
Rent of offices	3,533	16	5	previous years	98 A A
Totalizator inspection	1,017	18	6	•	
Compassionate and other allowances	. 70	0	0		
Remission of gift duty	137	15	0		
Loss on equipment disposed of	. 8	3	4		
Depreciation	934	16	7		
Balance carried down	3,362,791	17	3		
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	£3,422,474	8	6		£3,422,474 8 6
	£	s.	d.		£ s. d.
To Interest on capital	711	11	$^{-2}$	By Balance brought down	3,362,791 17 3
Excess of income over expenditure for year	:				
ended 31st March, 1930	3,362,080	6	1		
	£3,362,791	17	3		£3,362,791 17 3
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Notes.—The following charges are included for which the Department possesses no parliamentary appropriation: (a) Rental values as assessed by Public Works Department; (b) interest at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on capital as at 1st April, 1929. Depreciation has been allowed for on balance of assets as at 1st April, 1929, the total charge being carried to the Depreciation Reserve.

BALANCE-SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH, 1930.

Liabilities.	£ s. d.	Assets.	£ s. d.
Capital as at 1st April, 1929	15,812 9 0	£ s. d.	
Creditors—		Furniture 4,051 13 7	
Refunds		Additions during year 124 3 3	
Departmental	2,351 7 9		
Sundry	358 11 6	4,175 16 10	
Reserves—		Less disposals during year 6 17 0	•
Depreciation	6,509 12 0		4,168 19 10
Writing off		Mechanical appliances 1,033 8 10	n e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e
Accrued penalty on racing revenue	5,489 11 0	Additions during year 123 1 6	
Sundry depositors	160 18 0		$1,156\ 10\ 4$
Excess of income over expenditure for year		Plant and machinery 10,552 6 7	
ended 31st March, 1930	3,362,080 6 1	Disposals during year 7 11 0	
			10,544 15 7
		Library	175 0 0
		Stamp-paper on hand	3,726 13 10
		Assets in suspense	318 9 4
		Debtors—	
		Sundry	423,363 8 3
		Departmental	33 3 5 5
		Deposit Accounts	160 18 0
•	ļ	Treasury Adjustment Account	2,953,119 6 0
	£3,397,067 6 7		£3,397,067 6 7
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J. Murray, Deputy Commissioner of Stamp Duties.

I hereby certify that the 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, subject to the above departmental notes.—J. H. Fowler, Deputy Controller and Auditor-General.