

## STATEMENT OF IRREGULARITIES IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLIC MONEYS AND STORES.

Nature of Irregularity.	Amount involved.	Action taken, and Result.
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## Defence Department.

## IRREGULARITY BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER.

	£	s.	d.	
Misappropriation of departmental stores ..	15	4	0	Offender convicted and admitted to probation for six months and ordered to make restitution.

## Education Department.

## IRREGULARITY BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER.

Misappropriation of departmental stores ..	6	10	8	Restitution being made.
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## IRREGULARITIES BY PERSONS NOT DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS.

Postal note lost in transit .. .. .	0	19	1	Inquiries not yet finalized. No loss to Department.
Theft of money-order .. .. .	15	2	3	Offender fined and part restitution ordered.
Cash lost in transit .. .. .	5	0	0	Departmental instructions revised. No loss to Department.

## Lands and Survey Department.

## IRREGULARITIES BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS.

Official postage stamps lost .. .. .	0	8	4	Inquiry made without result.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	4	4	0	Officer left the Service.

## Justice Department.

## IRREGULARITY BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER.

Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	19	15	6	Offender convicted and admitted to two years' probation. Restitution made.
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## Native Department.

## IRREGULARITY BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER.

Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	19	15	0	Offender convicted and fined £7 10s. Restitution made.
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## Native Trust Office.

## IRREGULARITY BY PERSON NOT A DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER.

Trust money illegally obtained .. .. .	18	1	4	Offender convicted and admitted to two years' probation, and ordered to pay £5 towards costs. Restitution made.
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## Post and Telegraph Department.

## IRREGULARITIES BY DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS.

Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	29	12	9	Offender convicted and admitted to two years' probation. Restitution made.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	8	11	2	Officer dismissed the Service. Restitution made.
Loss of registered letter .. .. .	5	10	0	Disciplinary action taken. Loss to Department, £5 10s.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	65	1	7	Offender convicted and admitted to two years' probation. Recovery made.
Loss of registered letter .. .. .	3	0	0	Disciplinary action taken. Loss to Department, £3.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	0	3	3	Officer dismissed. Restitution made.
Theft of stamps and moneys .. .. .	1	9	11	Offender convicted and fined £10. Restitution ordered.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	119	15	7	Offender convicted and sentenced to twelve months' reformatory detention on one charge and admitted to probation for eighteen months on remaining charges. Restitution made.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	9	3	5	Officer deceased. Recovery being made.
Loss of unemployment stamps .. .. .	40	0	0	Refund made by officer.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	11	0	3	Offender convicted and admitted to probation for twelve months. Restitution made.
Misappropriation of departmental moneys ..	30	9	0	Offender convicted and admitted to probation for two years. Restitution made.
Theft of letters containing remittances ..	5	18	11	Offender convicted and sentenced to six months' imprisonment. Restitution made.

## IRREGULARITIES BY PERSONS NOT DEPARTMENTAL OFFICERS.

Loss of remittance .. .. .	49	5	0	Police investigation unsuccessful. Loss to Department, £42.
Theft of cash by burglar .. .. .	61	0	0	Offender convicted and sentenced to ten years' hard labour. £39 10s. recovered.
Theft of cash by burglar .. .. .	0	18	4	Police investigation unsuccessful.
Theft of cash and stamps by burglar ..	1	17	4	Police investigation unsuccessful.
Forgery of pass-book and withdrawal-slip ..	5	10	0	Offender convicted and sentenced to two years' reformatory detention. No loss to Department.