

## LAND RESERVED FOR VARIOUS PURPOSES.

Under the provisions of section 360 of the Land Act, 1924, and section 71 of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, various areas of Crown and settlement land were permanently reserved during the year. The reservations made totalled seventy-four, covering an area of approximately 4,951 acres. A summary of work carried out under the heading is given below.

Purpose of Reserve.	Number of Reservations.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
Aerodrome .. .. .	5	587	0	39
Aerodrome reserve, addition to .. .. .	1	28	0	23
Cemetery .. .. .	2	3	3	36
Gravel .. .. .	5	18	0	23
High-school site .. .. .	1	6	2	0·30
Landing reserve .. .. .	1	9	1	0
Plantation .. .. .	20	1,080	2	18·60
Public-hall site .. .. .	3	1	1	39·60
Public-pound site .. .. .	1	0	0	30
Public-school site .. .. .	7	18	1	22
Public-school site, addition to .. .. .	3	1	2	07·01
Railway afforestation .. .. .	1	2,773	1	24·10
Recreation .. .. .	21	386	2	31·92
Resting-place for travelling stock .. .. .	3	35	2	25·50
	74	4,951	1	0·03

The above does not include areas that have been vested in the Crown as public reserves in town subdivisions pursuant to the provisions of section 16 of the Land Act, 1924.

## EXPENDITURE.

*Summary of Expenditure approved during the Year ended 31st March, 1937.*

Name of Vote or Account.	Net Amount voted.	Gross Expenditure.	Recoveries.	Net Expenditure.
<b>Vote, Lands and Survey—</b>	£	£	£	£
Subdivision I .. .. .	188,900	276,921	90,869	186,052
Subdivision II .. .. .	205,558	208,834	40	208,794
Subdivision III .. .. .	12,820	7,106	52	7,054
<b>Total, Vote, Lands and Survey .. .. .</b>	<b>407,278</b>	<b>492,861</b>	<b>90,961</b>	<b>401,900</b>
<b>Vote, Land for Settlements .. .. .</b>	<b>400,000</b>	<b>169,983</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>169,888</b>
Discharged Soldiers Settlement Account: Vote, Expenses of Management .. .. .	91,500	73,008	..	73,008
<b>Vote, Swamp Land Drainage—</b>				
Hauraki Plains District .. .. .	25,710	30,505	7,919	22,586
Swamp Land Drainage Districts .. .. .	4,290	2,705	326	2,379
<b>Vote, Settlement of Unemployed Workers .. .. .</b>	<b>425,000</b>	<b>305,621</b>	<b>213,605</b>	<b>92,016</b>
<b>Vote, Dairy Industry Loans .. .. .</b>	<b>90,000</b>	<b>30,510</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>30,510</b>
<b>Totals .. .. .</b>	<b>1,443,778</b>	<b>1,105,193</b>	<b>312,906</b>	<b>792,287</b>
<i>Other Accounts.</i>				
<b>Land for Settlements—</b>				
Expenditure from capital proceeds of the sale of Crown and National Endowment lands .. .. .		8,633	..	8,633
Interest and other charges .. .. .		87,120	..	87,120
Expenditure under special Acts of Legislature—Section 295 (2) Land Act, 1924: Administration expenses of national-endowment lands .. .. .		6,853	..	6,853
Discharged Soldiers Settlement Account .. .. .		541,646	..	541,646
General Purposes Account: Ellesmere Land Drainage Act, 1905, section 6 .. .. .		439	..	439
Expenditure approved by the Hon. the Minister of Finance from Unauthorized Expenditure Account .. .. .		147	..	147
Refunds of revenue, Deposit Account expenditure, expenditure under special Acts of the Legislature .. .. .		25,451	..	25,451
<b>Totals .. .. .</b>		<b>1,775,482</b>	<b>312,906</b>	<b>1,462,576</b>