

## REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE for the Years ended 31st March, 1898 to 1903.

EXPENDITURE.	Year ended 31st March, 1898.			Year ended 31st March, 1899.			Year ended 31st March, 1900.			Year ended 31st March, 1901.			Year ended 31st March, 1902.			Year ended 31st March, 1903.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries ... ..	7,673	10	9	7,889	7	7	8,213	4	9	8,409	10	2	8,773	15	5	9,143	3	7
Commission to agents	728	14	10	1,102	15	3	1,398	19	8	2,187	14	8	1,631	0	3	1,777	15	5
Clerical assistance and auditing ... ..	244	3	0	272	11	6	240	0	0	272	7	5	276	3	8	266	19	6
Legal expenses ... ..	229	12	9	244	0	4	245	11	6	363	16	0	211	13	6	208	14	0
Stationery, printing, and office requisites ... ..	408	2	3	560	13	3	425	6	9	595	13	6	550	11	1	804	13	4
Miscellaneous ... ..	3,627	9	7	4,122	0	0	4,359	18	9	3,826	15	7	3,396	12	3	*7,265	14	6
Unauthorised ... ..	254	18	7	443	2	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	18	10	...	...	...
Deficiency in realisation of mortgages ... ..	...	...	...	488	0	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balance, being ex- cess of revenue	4,766	9	2	4,014	17	7	5,973	12	6	5,691	9	5	10,706	9	11	4,325	12	9
	17,933	0	11	19,137	8	10	20,856	13	11	21,347	6	9	25,616	4	11	23,792	13	1
REVENUE.																		
Commission and charges	8,274	14	6	9,802	18	6	10,415	7	2	11,557	12	10	11,210	3	3	10,133	18	3
Interest in excess of amount credited to estates ... ..	8,647	11	0	8,473	11	1	9,835	4	6	8,971	18	1	13,678	9	2	12,777	11	5
Miscellaneous ... ..	1,010	15	5	860	19	3	606	2	3	817	15	10	727	12	6	881	3	5
	17,933	0	11	19,137	8	10	20,856	13	11	21,347	6	9	25,616	4	11	23,792	13	1

\* Includes £2,676 12s. 6d. added to Assurance and Reserve Fund, £300 compassionate allowance to widow of late Accountant, and £330 15s. for deposit-safes.

## INCOME of the PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE Year by Year from 1897 to 31st March, 1903.

Class of Estates.	Year ended 31st March, 1897.		Year ended 31st March, 1898.		Year ended 31st March, 1899.		Year ended 31st March, 1900.		Year ended 31st March, 1901.		Year ended 31st March, 1902.		Year ended 31st March, 1903.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Intestates' .. ..	1,642	6 9	1,877	14 4	2,380	2 1	2,888	13 3	2,845	14 2	3,424	14 4	2,867	3 2
Wills, trusts, sinking funds, &c. ... ..	2,115	12 0	2,959	19 9	3,645	18 2	3,400	7 1	3,897	6 2	3,328	8 7	3,042	8 3
Real and lunatics' ..	545	0 1	521	16 6	810	18 11	1,135	18 10	958	8 0	867	4 3	792	8 9
Native reserves ..	536	0 2	567	3 1	575	2 5	597	16 7	962	14 6	600	9 0	628	16 7
West Coast settlement reserves .. ..	1,345	11 9	1,361	10 0	1,265	11 11	1,554	6 4	1,735	5 9	1,779	16 4	1,782	7 9
Miscellaneous .. ..	1,939	16 9	1,997	6 3	1,986	4 3	1,444	7 4	1,976	0 1	1,937	3 3	1,901	17 2
	8,124	7 6	9,285	9 11	10,663	17 9	11,021	9 5	12,375	8 8	11,937	15 9	11,015	1 8
Interest .. ..	6,376	5 2	8,647	11 0	8,473	11 1	9,835	4 6	8,971	18 1	13,678	9 2	12,777	11 5
Total income .. ..	14,500	12 8	17,933	0 11	19,137	8 10	20,856	13 11	21,347	6 9	25,616	4 11	23,792	13 1
Total expenditure	13,569	14 3	13,471	19 7	16,314	3 7	15,886	15 10	15,655	17 4	14,909	15 0	19,467	0 4