

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1921—*continued.*

Particulars.	Expenditure.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Expenditure under Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1914, and Finance Act, 1918—continued.</i>									
Pay and allowances— <i>continued.</i>									
Brought forward	..			29,479,481	6	2			
Retrospective married allowance	..			548,683	14	3			
Retrospective children's allowance	..			306,245	1	1			
Retrospective widowed mothers' and other dependants' allowances	..			114,158	9	6			
Allowances to wives of Imperial Reservists and difference between N.Z. Expeditionary Force pay and Imperial pay to members of Imperial Forces resident in New Zealand	..			268,975	14	9			
Payments to London General Post Office for allotments paid through post-offices in the United Kingdom	..			576,100	0	0			
				31,293,644	5	9			
Less credits	..			303,437	1	10			
							30,990,207	3	11
<i>Per capita</i> payments to War Office for maintenance of New Zealand troops in the field—Ammunition, extra transport, &c.	..			15,735,000	0	0			
Less credits*	..			1,365,279	9	9			
							14,369,720	10	3
Postage, telegrams, telephones, &c., and preparing war-news cables for despatch to New Zealand from the United Kingdom, and cable charges thereon—									
Postage, &c.—									
Samoa	2,084	6	10			
Egypt	26,663	18	11			
United Kingdom	85,105	9	0			
New Zealand	159,752	11	5			
Other places	603	6	9			
Preparing war-news cables in High Commissioner's Office and cable charges thereon	..			7,363	1	2			
							281,572	14	1
Less credits	..						18,453	13	1
							263,119	1	0
Prisoners of war—									
Expenses at—									
Motuihi Island	42,539	16	4			
Narrow Neck	7,867	19	11			
Somes Island	54,067	16	9			
Featherston	11,639	8	9			
Samoa	760	15	3			
Ripa Island	1,451	15	10			
Escape and capture	4,429	0	11			
Escorting and other expenses, including repatriation of aliens	6,741	15	7			
							129,498	9	4
Less credits	..						1,602	0	2
							127,896	9	2
Pukeora Farm				3,009	6	5
Less credits	..						1,278	5	5
							1,731	1	0
Proportion damages by New Zealand troops during riots at Ismailia, Egypt	..						2,540	14	6
Purchase of horses—									
Remounts	78,203	18	10			
Artillery	63,775	10	6			
Transport and undescribed	46,877	11	2			
Wages of grooms	16,369	6	10			
Travelling and other expenses	11,435	9	0			
Motor-hire	191	17	1			
Cost of horses, mules, &c., issued by Imperial authorities in France and Egypt	182,723	11	11			
							399,577	5	4
Less credits	..						111,891	19	5
							287,685	5	11

* For amount refunded by War Office and remitted to New Zealand, £750,000; and amount debited to War Office account advances in excess of actual cost of maintenance of troops in field, £615,279 9s. 9d.