

DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE FROM LOAN FUND.

Service.	1916-17.	1917-18.	Estimate, 1918-19.
£	£	£	
WAR PURPOSES.			
Under control of Prime Minister's Department—			
Administration of the Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Fund ...	4,303	1,066*	*
Press Cable Messages—news for members of Expeditionary Forces ...	752	1,510	1,200
Compensation for acquisition of wharf at Port Pirie and erection of mechanical appliances to facilitate coal handling (to be recovered from the State of South Australia) ...	14,209	55,620	92,000
Royal Commission on Navy and Defence (Military) Administration ...	...	1,594	1,500
Audit Office—Cost of Audit of War Accounts ...	...	...	20,000
Recruiting Articles and press propaganda ...	...	...	3,000
Grant for relief, Halifax disaster ...	...	50,000	...
Buildings, plant, and machinery, for Williamstown Shipbuilding Yard ...	...	10,723	20,000
Visit of Press Delegation to Europe (to be recovered) ...	...	829	1,425
Royal Commission—Inquiry with regard to persons of enemy origin ...	...	37	500
Conference to settle returned soldiers on the land ...	52	...	...
Printing Commonwealth Manual of Emergency Legislation ...	210	...	...
Expenses in connexion with establishment of Shipbuilding Industry ...	...	1,821	...
Expenditure in connexion with Luxuries Board ...	...	109	...
Purchase of Cornsacks (to be recovered) ...	...	3,079	...
Commonwealth Shipping Board ...	...	4,919	10,000
Purchase of Williamstown Shipbuilding Yard, including plant and machinery ...	...	180,000	...
To provide a working credit in Trust Fund, Williamstown Dockyard Account (to be recovered) ...	...	55,885	...
To provide credit in Trust Fund, Williamstown Dockyard Account, to purchase stores taken over from the State of Victoria (to be recovered) ...	...	29,420	...
Total under control of Prime Minister's Department ...	19,620	390,621	154,625
Under control of Department of the Treasury—			
Construction and purchase of Ships (to be transferred to Trust Fund, Commonwealth Government Ships Account) ...	2,302,477	336,978†	2,657,000
Advances to States for construction and erection of Silos for Wheat Storage (to be recovered) ...	...	33,109	1,500,000
Premiums on Life Assurance Policies of Commonwealth Public Servants who are members of Expeditionary Forces, including contributions to Trust Fund, Officers' Assurance Account ...	22,146	29,268	30,000
Expenses of Federal Parliamentary War Committee, including salary of Secretary to the Hon. Organizer ...	388	10	...
Payment for services rendered in connexion with the Regulations under the War Precautions Act and other expenses ...	1,119	1,643	1,400
Carried forward ...	2,320,130	400,908	4,188,400
* Portion of expenditure 1917-18 and the whole of the expenditure 1918-19 is provided from Trust Fund, Australian Soldiers' Repatriation Fund.			
† Gross expenditure in 1917-18 on construction of ships			
Less—insurance on account of lost ships	235,387	275,499	
Depreciation	150,754		
	416,021		
Net Expenditure		236,979	

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WAR PURPOSES—continued.			
Brought forward ...	2,320,130	400,908	4,188,400
Under control of Department of the Treasury—continued.			
Repatriation of Soldiers—Advances to States for purposes of settling returned soldiers on the land ...	20,000	20,000	1,500,000
Repatriation of Soldiers—Advances to States for Forestry ...	...	...	500,000
Contributions under the War Loan Securities Repurchase Act 1918 (to be paid to the credit of Trust Fund, War Loan Securities Repurchase Account) ...	...	...	1,250,000
Exchanges on telegraphic remittance to London ...	10,000	...	...
Grant to State War Councils for recruiting purposes ...	928	...	...
Grant to Returned Soldiers and Sailors Imperial League of Australia ...	250	...	...
Expenses of conversion of the currency of late German New Guinea ...	074	8,507	...
Cost of replacing German Currency withdrawn from Rabaul ...	...	2,400	...
Advances on account of Butter purchased by the Imperial Government ...	...	364,706	...
Expenses in connexion with Recruiting Conference ...	...	452	...
To make good losses by theft of War Savings Certificates ...	...	21	...
Redemption of War Savings Certificates ...	...	60,929	...
Other War Services ...	1,900	6,000	...
Total under control of Department of the Treasury ...	2,360,182	870,013	7,438,400
Under control of Home and Territories Department—			
War Census, including collection, compilation, printing maps, and miscellaneous services ...	11,711	40	100
Referenda, Military Service ...	79,427	85,385	1,000
Purchase of land for Camp ...	...	...	5,000
Total under control of Home and Territories Department ...	91,138	85,425	6,100
Under control of Department of Defence—Military—			
Expeditionary Forces—			
Payment to Government of the United Kingdom ...	5,000,000	11,000,000	27,155,000
Other payments ...	41,408,490	39,966,888	38,500,000
Miscellaneous War Services—			
Citizen Forces—Pay on Mobilization ...	93,885	88,137	100,000
Camps—Contingencies on Mobilization ...	43,706	40,889	68,500
Commission to Postmaster-General's Department for payment of War accounts through the Money Order Account ...	51,780	54,820	60,000
Aviation Instructional Staff—Pay ...	...	...	22,000
Contingencies ...	...	...	11,150
Reserve of Credits for Small Arms Ammunition ...	...	...	20,000
Pay of Gunners and their Staffs, Telegrams, Postage and other expenditure incidental to the offices of Gunners ...	37,176	39,285	30,725
Expenditure in connexion with interned enemy subjects (portion to be recovered) ...	287,770	360,584	325,900
Small Arms Ammunition (to be transferred to Trust Fund, Small Arms Ammunition Account)	207,500
Carried forward ...	46,922,813	51,540,603	66,568,775

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