

RECEIPTS into and PAYMENTS out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1870, and the 31st December, 1870.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Budget Estimate for the Financial Year 1870-71.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from 1st April, 1870, to 31st December, 1870.	Total Receipts for corresponding Period of last Year.	EXPENDITURE AND OTHER PAYMENTS.	Budget Estimate for the Financial Year 1870-71.	Total Issues from Exchequer to meet pay- ments, from 1st April, 1870, to 31st December, 1870.	Total Issues from Exchequer for corresponding Period of last Year.
	£	£	£	EXPENDITURE.	£	£	£
Balance on 1st April, 1870 :—				Interest of Debt	26,840,000	18,480,298	19,025,074
Bank of England	—	7,633,761	8,775,717	Other charges on Consolidated Fund...	1,820,000	1,636,744	1,302,399
Bank of Ireland	—	972,847	931,541	Supply Services voted by Parliament	40,466,000	29,143,909	29,799,310
		8,606,648	4,707,258	Telegraph Service	360,000	270,000	—
REVENUE.				Expenditure ...	£69,486,000	49,480,951	50,126,783
Customs	19,300,000	15,264,000	16,588,000	OTHER PAYMENTS.			
Excise	21,660,000	15,423,000	14,749,000	Advances, under various Acts, issued from the Exchequer		1,014,790	1,198,445
Stamps	8,589,000	6,595,000	6,823,000	Expenses of Fortifications		—	100,000
Taxes	2,850,000	814,000	2,343,000	Exchequer Bonds and Bills, &c., paid off (£600,000		25,500	2,823,500
Income Tax	6,350,000	1,676,000	4,260,000	Exchequer Bonds paid off out of Surplus Income)...			
Post Office	4,775,000	3,480,000	3,500,000	Surplus Income applied to reduce Debt (Exclusive of			
Telegraph Service	675,000	400,000	—	£500,000 applied to repay Bank advances for		2,464,526	—
Crown Lands	385,000	265,000	261,000	deficiency)			
Miscellaneous	3,050,000	2,523,189	2,081,487			52,985,767	54,248,728
Revenue ...	£67,634,000	46,440,189	50,605,487	Balances on 31st December, 1870:—		2,688,255	2,259,718
Total including Balance ...		55,046,837	55,312,745	{ Bank of England		1,070,734	850,474
OTHER RECEIPTS.				{ Bank of Ireland...			
Advances, under various Acts, repaid to the Exchequer		1,697,919	1,246,175	Totals		£56,744,756	57,358,920
Money raised for Fortifications		—	100,000				
Money raised by Exchequer Bonds		—	700,000				
Temporary Advances not repaid		—	—				
Totals		£56,744,756	57,358,920				

Treasury, 3rd January, 1871.