5.—(1.) The moneys standing to the credit of the Naval Con-rayments from struction Trust Account may be applied for the purpose of naval Trust Accounts. construction.

(2.) The moneys standing to the credit of the Defence Reserve Trust Account may be applied—

(a) for the purchase of arms, armament, munitions and aircraft equipment;

- (b) for the reconditioning of equipment existing at the commencement of this Act;
- (c) for the provision of accommodation, and, in particular, magazine and storage accommodation, and the acquisition of sites therefor; and
- (d) for the survey of the Great Barrier Reef.

SUPPLY (No. 2) 1924-25.

No. 19 of 1924.

An Act to grant and apply a sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Assented to 28th August, 1924.

E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, Preamble. and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Supply Act (No. 2) 1924-25.

Short title.

2. There shall and may be issued and applied for or towards Issue and making good the supply hereby granted to His Majesty for the 42,978,575. service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five the sum of Two million nine hundred and seventy-eight thousand and five hundred and seventyfive pounds out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the purposes and services expressed in the Schedule to this Act, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and empowered to issue and apply the moneys authorized to be issued and applied.

Sum available for the purposes set forth in Schedule. 3. The said sum shall be available to satisfy the warrants under the hand of the Governor-General in respect of any purposes and services set forth in the said Schedule.

Limit of period of expenditure.

4. No moneys shall be expended under the authority of this Act after the thirtieth day of June One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

[SCHEDULE.]

DRIED FRUITS ADVANCES.

No. 20 of 1924.

An Act to provide for the Payment of Advances to Growers of Dried Fruits.

[Assented to 9th September, 1924.]

Preamble.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows:—

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Dried Fruits Advances Act 1924.

Definitions.

- 2. In this Act, unless the contrary intention appears—
 - "dried fruits" means dried currants, dried sultanas and dried lexias.

Arrangement for payment of advances and appropriation therefor.

- 3.—(1.) The Minister may arrange with any banking corporation, carrying on business in the Commonwealth, for the making, by that corporation, of advances, in accordance with this Act, to growers of dried fruits, and may guarantee to that banking corporation the repayment of any advance made by the corporation in pursuance of the arrangement, with interest thereon at the rate of Six per centum per annum.
- (2.) There shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated accordingly, the amounts necessary—
 - (a) to make advances in accordance with this Act; and
 - (b) to repay to a banking corporation any amount due to the corporation under a guarantee given to it in accordance with the last preceding sub-section.