

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*

**CLASS V.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.**

	1896-97.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 31.—Postal and Telegraph Salaries ...	209,174	...	209,174
„ 32.—Telegraph Cable Subsidies ...	...	3,909	3,909
„ 33.—Conveyance of Mails by Sea ...	...	45,828	45,828
„ 34.—Conveyance of Inland Mails ...	...	33,990	33,990
„ 35.—Carriage of Mails by Railway ...	...	15,760	15,760
„ 36.—Miscellaneous ...	...	46,473	46,473
<b>TOTAL OF CLASS V.</b> ...	<b>209,174</b>	<b>145,960</b>	<b>355,134</b>

Item.	No. of Officers.		Classification under Act.	1896-97.	
	1896-97.			£	£
			<b>POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH SALARIES.</b>		
			<b>VOTE No. 31.</b>		
			<b>FIRST DIVISION.</b>		
1	1		Secretary ...	700	
	1		Superintendent of Electric Lines ...	650	
	1		Assistant Secretary and Inspector...	600	
				1,950	
			<b>CLERICAL DIVISION.</b>		
2	3		<i>First Class, First Grade.</i> —From £470 to £500, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each. 2 at £500, 1 at £485 ...	1,485	
3	1		<i>First Class, Second Grade.</i> —From £420 to £450, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each. 1 at £435 ...	435	
4	10		<i>Second Class.</i> —From £370 to £400, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each. 7 at £400, 2 at £385, 1 at 370 ...	3,940	
5	5		<i>Third Class.</i> —From £315 to £355, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each and One of £10. 4 at £355, 1 at £330 ...	1,750	