

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XI.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	1896-97. 2,039 Miles.	
	£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 59— <i>continued.</i>		
6	AUCKLAND SECTION— <i>continued.</i>	
	Traffic— <i>continued.</i>	
	4 Signalmen at 8/6 per day	532
	1 Watchman at 42/ per week	110
	2 Crossing-keepers at 6/ per day	188
	1 Horse-driver at 7/6 per day	117
	1 Female Attendant at 32/6 per week	85
	Casual Labour and Overtime	920
	Stores and Miscellaneous	2,457
		22,000
		85,182
7	NAPIER-TARANAKI SECTION, 1896-97—332 miles.	
	Maintenance—	
	4 Inspectors: 1 at 15/, 2 at 14/, 1 at 13/ per day	877
	2 Foremen of Works: 1 at 14/, 1 at 13/6 per day	431
	1 Bridge Inspector at 11/6 per day	180
	55 Gangers: 2 at 9/, 48 at 8/, 5 at 7/6 per day	6,878
	171 Platelayers: 148 at 6/6, 3 at 6/, 6 at 5/6, 7 at 5/, 4 at 4/6, 2 at 3/6, 1 at 3/ per day	16,839
	Wages—Structures	5,135
	" Buildings	1,902
	" Miscellaneous	2,567
	Stores—Rails	5,378
	" Sleepers	4,725
	" Structures	7,800
	" Buildings	930
	" Miscellaneous	400
	Removing slips	1,170
		55,212
	Locomotive—	
	3 Locomotive Foremen: 2 at £4 per week, 1 (half-time) at 14/ per day	526
	1 Car and Wagon Inspector at 13/ per day	203
	1 Storeman (half-time) at 8/6 per day	67
	22 Drivers: 5 at 12/, 16 at 11/, 1 at 10/ per day	3,850
	33 Firemen: 1 at 9/ and 11/, 4 at 9/ and 10/6, 5 at 9/ and 10/, 1 at 9/, 22 at 8/ per day	4,405
	21 Cleaners: 5 at 7/ and 8/, 4 at 7/, 1 at 6/6 and 8/, 7 at 6/, 2 at 5/6, 2 at 5/ per day	2,125
	3 Shedmen: 1 at 9/, 1 at 7/ and 8/, 1 at 7/ per day	369
	Wages, Renewals and Repairs, Locomotive	6,600
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	6,600
	Stores, " " Locomotive	4,400
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	5,400
	Fuel and Water-supply	12,000
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	400
	Overtime and Contingencies	455
		47,400