

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*

**CLASS X.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.**

	1898-99.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 59.—Department of Agriculture ...	22,610	36,763	59,373
<b>TOTAL OF CLASS X.</b> ...	<b>22,610</b>	<b>36,763</b>	<b>59,373</b>

Item.	1898-99.	
	£	£
<b>DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.</b>		
	1898-99.	
	Total number of officers ...	110
<b>VOTE No. 59.</b>		
1	<b>SALARIES—</b>	
	Secretary and Chief Inspector ...	550
	Produce Commissioner, England ...	250
	Assistant Chief Inspector ...	300
	Chief Clerk ...	290
	Biologist and Entomologist ...	300
	Assistant Entomologist ...	150
	3 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £175, 1 at £115 ...	470
	Cadet ...	100
	3 Veterinary Surgeons: 1 at £425, 1 at £310, 1 at £300 ...	1,035
	3 Dairy Instructors: 1 (Chief) at £400, 1 at £275, 1 at £250 ...	925
	3 Fruit Experts at £200 ...	600
	1 Poultry Expert ...	225
	2 Nurserymen: 1 at £150, 1 at £130 ...	280
	1 Farm Overseer ...	130
	1 Analyst ...	300
	2 Caretakers for Quarantine Islands at £110 ...	220
		6,125
2	<i>Auckland District—</i>	
	<b>Salaries—</b>	
	5 Inspectors: 1 at £300, 1 at £245, 2 at £235, 1 at £210 ...	1,225
	1 Rabbit Agent ...	160
		1,385
3	Destruction of Rabbits upon Crown lands, contracts, labour, natural enemies, &c....	
		1,800
		3,185