

*Appropriations for Public Works Services.***CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS.**

		1899-1900.	
		£	
Vote No. 99.—Development of Goldfields		42,250	
Item.	MINISTER OF MINES.	£	£
VOTE No. 99.			
DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS—			
1	Races, reservoirs, and waterworks on Goldfields	18,000	
2	Assistance towards Prospecting	4,000	
3	Prospecting Deep Levels at Ross Flat on an expenditure of £50,000	15,000	
4	Compensation arising out of Proclamation of Rivers and Resumption of Land	8,000	
5	Improving Water-supply, Oamaru, owing to Maerewhenua River being declared a Watercourse for Tailings	300	
6	Kelly's Terrace Tunnel	923	
7	Mountain Hut Water-race	3,500	
8	Part Payment for Purchase of Leasehold of Paeroa Township	2,250	
TOTAL required for current year—VOTE No. 99		51,973	42,250
TOTAL CLASS V.		£42,250	

**CLASS VI.—PURCHASE OF NATIVE LANDS.**

		1899-1900.	
		£	
Vote No. 100.—Purchase of Native Lands		50,000	
Item.	MINISTER OF LANDS.	£	£
VOTE No. 100.			
PURCHASE OF NATIVE LANDS—			
1	Salaries—		
	Officer in Charge	475	
	7 Officers—2 at £340, 2 at £200, 1 at £190, 1 at £183, 1 at £110	1,563	
2	Purchase of Native Lands	47,962	
TOTAL VOTE No. 100			50,000
TOTAL CLASS VI.		£50,000	