

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE  
PUBLIC TRUSTEE'S ACCOUNT—*continued*

VOTE—PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE— <i>continued</i>	1948-49.	1947-48.	
		Voted.	Expended.
	£	£	£
<i>SALARIES—continued</i>			
CLERICAL DIVISION			
OTHER SALARIES			
954 (£150 to £1,025) .. .. .	423,968	421,704	} 412,398
Location allowance .. .. .	525	490	
	429,743	427,396	412,398
 <i>OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—</i>			
Alterations, repairs, running-expenses, and maintenance of premises, motor-vehicles, &c. .. .. .	13,000	12,200	9,197
Capital expenditure: additions, improvements, and acquisition of new premises ..	15,000	15,425	(a) 4,331
Commission to agents other than permanent officers .. .. .	(b) 7,000	5,500	4,700
Compassionate grants to dependants of deceased officers .. .. .	100	100	..
Cost-of-living bonus to superannuitants Government Superannuation Fund, and increased pensions to widows and children Department of Internal Affairs on account of—	950	620	776
Proportion of salaries of officers in High Commissioner's office and proportion of rent .. .. .	1,575	1,575	1,575
Wages of Custodians, Messengers, Charwomen, &c. .. .. .	(c) 11,000	13,000	12,870
Exchange on remittances to and from London and Sydney .. .. .	100	100	..
Grants on retirement of agents and permanent officers .. .. .	300	300	154
Land-tax .. .. .	2,800	2,500	2,504
Membership subscriptions to Chambers of Commerce .. .. .	10	10	12
Office expenses .. .. .	18,800	18,600	17,556
Overtime and meal allowances .. .. .	400	1,500	321
Payments to Post and Telegraph Department	9,850	10,150	9,358
Printing and stationery .. .. .	8,000	7,450	7,025

(a) Proposed expenditure was limited by building restrictions, &c.

(b) Increased rates of commission now payable.

(c) Due to change in accounting dates, this claim will be for nine months only this financial year.