

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1949

LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT

MINISTER OF MAORI AFFAIRS

AN ESTIMATE of the Sum that will be required in the Year ending 31st March, 1949, to defray the Wages, Contingencies, and Expenses of the Department of Maori Affairs on the SETTLEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT OF MAORI LAND AND LAND LEASED TO OR OCCUPIED BY MAORIS, on MAORI HOUSING, and on REHABILITATION OF MAORI EX-SERVICEMEN.

SUMMARY

	1948-49.	1947-48.	
		Voted.	Expended.
VOTE—MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT	£ 1,332,500	£ 1,296,300	£ 1,195,452

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MAORI LAND DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES—	£	£	£
Acquisition of land or leasehold (works expenditure)	20,000	20,000	17,733
Advances to occupiers of farms	220,000	203,000	227,042
Advances under share-milking and other agreements	2,000	1,000	1,421
Aerial surveys	100	100	..
Development expenditure on land (works expenditure)	80,000	82,800	74,843
Equipment and chattels for blocks being developed	13,000	15,500	7,709
<i>Ex gratia</i> payments in lieu of rates on non-rateable lands	1,000	800	853
Horticultural development—			
Advances to occupiers of land	200	200	..
Establishment of nurseries and instructional gardens	200	200	176
Live-stock for blocks being developed	195,000	195,000	166,706
Payments out of the proceeds of farming operations to persons owning an interest in or engaged on development schemes and interest credited to unit accounts	40,000	40,000	38,357