

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XIII.—MINISTER OF EDUCATION—*continued.*

Item.		1903-4.	
	PUBLIC SCHOOLS.		
	VOTE No. 53.		
1	Grants to Education Boards for the following purposes:—	£	£
	Teachers' Salaries (including modifications under sections 3 and 4 of Teachers' Salaries Act) ...	£405,000	
	Less revenue from reserves ...	40,000	
		<u>365,000</u>	
2	General Administrative Purposes: Capitation on average attendance—115,500 at 11s. 3d. ...	64,969	
3	Additional Grant of £250 per annum to Education Boards	3,250	
4	Special Grants to be paid over by Education Boards to School Committees: Capitation, 9d. per head for average attendance ...	4,331	
5	Relieving Teachers: Capitation on average attendance—115,500 at 6d. ...	2,887	
6	Training of Teachers ...	1,500	
7	Training-colleges ...	2,000	
8	Inspectors' Conference ...	250	
9	Grant in aid, Educational Institute ...	70	
10	Railway Fares of Teachers and Instructors of Training-schools	3,000	
11	Conveyance of School-children ...	4,500	
12	Examinations (Teachers' and Civil Service) ...	800	
13	Preparation of Standard Test-questions in Arithmetic and Pupil-teacher Examination-papers ...	25	
14	Rebuilding and furnishing of Schools destroyed by Fire ...	3,000	
15	Rent of Temporary Premises during the Rebuilding of Schools destroyed by Fire ...	500	
16	Schools at Chatham Islands ...	800	
17	Contingencies ...	200	
		<u>457,082</u>	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891" ...	800	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 53 ...		456,282
	SECONDARY EDUCATION.		
	VOTE No. 54.		
1	Scholarships: Grants to Education Boards ...	8,000	
2	Scholarships for Maoris ...	100	
3	National Scholarships ...	1,300	
4	Allowance for 2 Fifth Standard Pupils from each Educational District to enable them to continue to attend Public Schools and qualify for National Scholarships ...	650	
5	District High Schools: Capitation and grants-in-aid ...	9,000	
6	Secondary Schools and Colleges: Capitation ...	4,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 54 ...		23,050
	DRILL IN SCHOOLS.		
	Total number of officers ...	1903-4.	
		1	
	VOTE No. 55.		
1	SALARIES—		
	Commanding Officer ...	300	
		<u>300</u>	
2	Arms, Accoutrements, Ammunition, Targets, &c. ...	2,811	
3	Capitation ...	1,000	
4	Challenge shields (one for each Island) ...	50	
5	Clerical assistance ...	156	
6	Instructors of Teachers' Classes ...	500	
7	Railway fares of cadet corps ...	250	
8	Railway Fares of Instructors and Teachers ...	800	