

1903-1904.

NEW ZEALAND.

APPROPRIATIONS

CHARGEABLE ON

THE CONSOLIDATED FUND

AND

OTHER ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1904.

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

1903-1904.

Page.	Summary of Services chargeable on the Consolidated Fund.	1903-4.	
		£	£
	REVENUE ACCOUNT.		
	PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS—		
3	Civil List	33,100	
4	Interest and Sinking Fund	1,940,651	
7	Under Special Acts of the Legislature	625,248	
		2,598,999	
	ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—		
9	Class I.—Legislative Departments	25,438	
11	Class II.—Colonial Secretary's Department	84,400	
16	Class III.—Public Health Department	26,655	
18	Class IV.—Industries and Commerce and Tourist Department	80,673	
24	Class V.—Colonial Treasurer's Department	40,405	
27	Class VI.—Old-age Pensions Department	3,901	
28	Class VII.—Justice Department	142,074	
40	Class VIII.—Post and Telegraph Department	527,105	
47	Class IX.—Customs Department	40,446	
51	Class X.—Marine and Harbours and Inspection of Machinery Departments	56,635	
55	Class XI.—Printing and Stationery Department	42,491	
57	Class XII.—Stamp and Deeds Department	28,543	
60	Class XIII.—Education Department	560,958	
66	Class XIV.—Lunacy and Charitable	78,022	
71	Class XV.—Labour Department	10,010	
72	Class XVI.—Mines Department	22,901	
74	Class XVII.—Agricultural Department	105,798	
78	Class XVIII.—Working Railways Department	1,383,692	
94	Class XIX.—Public and School Buildings and Domains	54,630	
96	Class XX.—Defence Department	177,635	
103	Class XXI.—Police Department	127,871	
105	Class XXII.—Lands and Survey Department	175,336	
112	Class XXIII.—Valuation Department	28,464	
		3,824,083	
	Total Revenue Account		6,423,082
	OTHER ACCOUNTS.		
113	STATE FORESTS ACCOUNT		30,298
114	STATE COAL-MINES ACCOUNT		66,920
115	LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT		7,000
116	PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACCOUNT		24,875
117	GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT		56,541
119	GOVERNMENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT		8,530
120	GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS OFFICE MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT		106,339
120	STATE FIRE INSURANCE ACCOUNT		5,000

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

1903-1904.

CIVIL LIST.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
His Excellency the Governor	5,000	2,000	7,000
The Judges	9,200	...	9,200
Establishment of the General Government ...	8,900	1,000	9,900
For Native Purposes ... ..	...	7,000	7,000
TOTAL CIVIL LIST	23,100	10,000	33,100
TOTAL CIVIL LIST ....	....	....	£33,100

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

PERMANENT CHARGES.

		1903-4.
	£	£
Interest and Sinking Fund.		
<i>New Zealand Loan Act, 1863—</i>		
Interest on £266,300 @ 5 per cent., 15 July and 15 January ...	13,315	
Sinking Fund on £266,300 @ 1 per cent., 15 July and 15 January ...	2,663	
		15,978
<i>Public Debts Act, 1867—</i>		
<i>Canterbury Loan Ordinance, 1862—</i>		
Interest on £15,200 @ 6 per cent., 30 June and 31 December ...	912	
Sinking Fund on £15,200 @ 1 per cent. ...	152	
		1,064
<i>Consolidated Loan Act, 1867 (London issue)—</i>		
Interest @ 5 per cent. on £236,400, outstanding Bonds, 3 months, 15 April ...	2,955	
Interest @ 5 per cent. on £180,500, outstanding Bonds, 9 months, 15 July, 15 October, and 15 January ...	6,769	
		9,724
<i>Consolidated Loan Act, 1867 (Colonial issue)—</i>		
Interest on £13,000 @ 4 per cent., 15 April and 15 October ...		520
<i>Defence and other Purposes Loan Act, 1870—</i>		
Interest on £25,000 @ 4½ per cent., 30 June and 31 December ...	1,125	
Interest on 75,000 „ 4 per cent., 15 April and 15 October ...	3,000	
		4,125
<u>£100,000</u>		
<i>Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870—</i>		
Interest on £27,900 @ 4½ per cent., 15 April and 15 October ...	1,256	
Interest on 363,000 „ 4 per cent., 15 April and 15 October ...	14,520	
Interest on 200,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 June and 1 December ...	8,000	
Interest on 400,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 June and 1 December ...	16,000	
Interest on 400,000 (say) ...	5,000	
		44,776
<u>£1,390,900</u>		
Sinking Fund on £1,000,000, @ 2·4 per cent., 13 March and 13 September ...	24,000	68,776
<i>General Purposes Loan Act, 1873—</i>		
Interest on £54,700 @ 5 per cent., 15 May and 15 November ...	2,735	
Interest on 17,400 „ 4 per cent., 15 April and 15 October ...	696	
Interest on 10,800 „ 4 per cent., 15 May and 15 November ...	432	
		3,863
<u>£82,900</u>		

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*PERMANENT CHARGES—*continued.*

		1903-4.
		£
Interest and Sinking Fund—<i>continued.</i>		
<i>New Zealand Consolidated Stock Act, 1877—</i>		
Interest @ 4 per cent., payable 1 May and 1 November—		
On £3,000,000 New Zealand Loan Act, 1882	120,000	
On 1,500,000 New Zealand Loan Act, 1884	60,000	
On 1,567,800 New Zealand Loan Act, 1886	62,712	
On 1,000,000 North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Act, 1882	40,000	
On 1,000,000 New Zealand Loan Act, 1888	40,000	
On 5,371,200 First series of Conversions	214,848	
On 6,263,811 Second series of Conversions	250,553	
On 4,688,444 Third series of Conversions	187,538	
On 4,557,047 Sixth series of Conversions	182,282	
On 202,000 expenses of Conversions	8,080	
	<u>1,166,013</u>	
£29,150,302		
Interest @ 3½ per cent., payable 1 January and 1 July—		
On £2,768,000 Fourth series of Conversions	96,880	
On 717,068 Fifth series of Conversions	25,097	
On 1,036,000 Seventh series of Conversions	36,260	
On 1,640,099 Eighth series of Conversions	57,404	
	<u>215,641</u>	
Amount to be recovered from other accounts	8,866	206,775
Interest @ 3 per cent., payable 1 April and 1 October—		
On £2,750,000 Government Advances to Settlers Loan	82,500	
On 240,000 Government Advances to Settlers Loan	7,200	
On 2,500,000 Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Loan	75,000	
On 759,000 for Conversion, Aid to Public Works	22,770	
On 3,232,213 for Conversions	96,965	
On 31,784 for expenses	954	
On further issues (say)	1,650	
	<u>287,039</u>	
Amount to be recovered from other accounts	89,700	197,339
<i>New Zealand Consolidated Stock Act, 1884 (Colonial issue)—</i>		
Interest payable 1 March and 1 September—		
On £272,000 @ 3½ per cent.	9,520	
On 509,500 „ 3½ per cent.	17,833	
On 60,600 „ 3½ per cent. (say)	1,460	
	<u>28,813</u>	
£842,100		
<i>District Railways Purchasing Acts, 1885 and 1886—</i>		
Interest on £97,100 @ 4 per cent., 1 April and 1 October	3,884	
Interest on 40,000 „ 6 per cent., 1 April and 1 October	2,400	
	<u>6,284</u>	
£137,100		
<i>Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886, and Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901—</i>		
Interest on £250,300 @ 3½ per cent., 1 March and 1 September	8,760	
Interest on £350,000 @ 3½ per cent., 1 March and 1 September	12,250	
Interest @ 3½ per cent., to provide for further issue of Debentures during the financial year (say)	2,000	
Sinking Fund (say)	26,000	
	<u>49,010</u>	
£49,010		
<i>Native Land Purchases Act, 1892—</i>		
Interest on £125,000 @ 3½ per cent., 30 April and 31 October	4,375	

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*PERMANENT CHARGES—*continued.*

		1903-4.
Interest and Sinking Fund—<i>continued.</i>		
	£	£
<i>New Zealand Consols Act, 1894—</i>		
Interest on £472,556 @ 3½ per cent., 1 February and 1 August	16,540	
Interest @ 3½ per cent., to provide for further Deposits during the financial year (say)	500	
		17,040
<i>Lands Improvement and Native Lands Acquisition Act, 1894—</i>		
Interest on £283,000 @ 4 per cent., 31 March and 30 September	11,320	
Interest on £117,000 „ 3½ per cent., 31 March and 30 September	4,095	
		15,415
	<u>£400,000</u>	
<i>Land for Settlements Acts, 1892, 1894, and 1900—</i>		
Interest on £45,276 @ 3½ per cent., 30 April and 31 October	1,585	
Interest on £769,490 „ 3½ per cent., 30 April and 31 October	26,932	
Interest on £62,000 „ 3½ per cent., 1 April and 1 October	2,170	
Interest on £349,000 „ 3¼ per cent., 1 April and 1 October	13,088	
Interest on £56,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 April and 1 October	2,240	
Interest on £250,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 April and 1 October	10,000	
Interest on £10,000 „ 3½ per cent., 1 April and 1 October	350	
Interest on £2,100 „ 3½ per cent., 1 February and 1 August	73	
Interest on £527,950 „ 4 per cent., 1 May and 1 November	21,118	
Interest on £21,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 May and 1 November	840	
Interest on £574,800 „ 4 per cent., 1 February and 1 August	22,992	
Interest on £100,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 June and 1 December	4,000	
Interest @ 3½ per cent., to provide for further issue of Debentures during the financial year (say)	3,000	
	108,388	
Amount to be recovered from the Land for Settlements Account	108,388	
		...
<i>Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1894—</i>		
Interest @ 3½ per cent. on temporary advances	5,000	
Amount to be recovered from Government Advances to Settlers Office	5,000	
		...
<i>Government Accident Insurance Act, 1898—</i>		
Interest on £2,000 @ 3½ per cent., 1 February and 1 August	70	
Amount to be recovered	70	
		...
<i>Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Acts, 1896, 1900, 1901, and 1902—</i>		
Interest on £165,000 @ 3½ per cent., 1 February and 1 August	5,775	
Interest on £500,000 „ 3½ per cent., 15 February and 15 August	17,500	
Interest on £465,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 April and 1 October	18,600	
Interest on £500,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 April and 1 October	20,000	
Interest on £750,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 June and 1 December	30,000	
Interest on £250,000 „ 4 per cent., 1 June and 1 December	10,000	
Interest on temporary advances in respect of authorised loans under Acts of 1899 and 1900	10,500	
		112,375
<i>The Dairy Industry Act, 1898—</i>		
Interest on £1,781 @ 3½ per cent. (say)	62	
Interest @ 3½ per cent. to provide for further issue of Debentures during the year	100	
		162
<i>The State Coal-mines Act, 1900-01—</i>		
Interest on £52,000 @ 3½ per cent., 1 April and 1 October	1,820	
Interest at 3½ per cent., to provide for further issue of Debentures during year	500	
	2,320	
Amount to be recovered from State Coal-mines Account	2,320	
		...
<i>Treasury Bills—</i>		
Interest on Bills issued during the year, 30 June and 31 December (say)	...	33,000
		...
TOTAL INTEREST AND SINKING FUND	...	<u>1,940,651</u>

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*PERMANENT CHARGES—*continued.*

	1903-4.
	£
Under Special Acts of the Legislature.	
<i>Militia Act Amendment Act, 1862—</i>	
Pensions and Allowances	350
<i>Civil Service Act, 1866—</i>	
Pensions, Compensation, and Gratuities	35,000
<i>Military Pensions Act, 1866—</i>	
Pensions and Allowances	1,400
<i>Legislative Officers' Salaries Act, 1867—</i>	
Legislative Council—	
Speaker	600
Chairman of Committees	300
Clerk	400
House of Representatives—	
Speaker	600
Chairman of Committees	400
Clerk	600
Clerk-Assistant	400
<i>New Zealand Institute Act, 1867—</i>	
Director of Geological Survey	800
<i>Public Debts Sinking Funds Act, 1868—</i>	
Salary of Secretary to the Commissioners, and expenses	52
<i>Walsh and Others Pension Act, 1869—</i>	
Mrs. Ellen Ann Hewett	50
<i>Meredith and Others Pension Act, 1870—</i>	
Mrs. R. Hamlin	50
<i>Schafer, McGuire, and Others Pension Act, 1872—</i>	
Mrs. Charlotte Schafer	30
Mrs. Ellen McGuire	18
William Russell	18
<i>New Zealand University Act, 1874—</i>	
Contribution to University	3,000
<i>Supreme Court Judges Act 1858 Amendment Act, 1874, and Supreme Court Act, 1882—</i>	
Superannuation Allowances	1,133
<i>New Zealand Consolidated Stock Act, 1877—</i>	
Charges and expenses	18,000
<i>Auckland University College Act, 1882—</i>	
Grant in aid	4,000
<i>Greymouth Harbour Board Act, 1884—</i>	
Endowment	20,000
<i>Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884—</i>	
Endowment	40,000
<i>Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act 1885 Amendment Act, 1886—</i>	
Subsidies payable during 1903-4	85,000
<i>Local Bodies' Finance and Powers Act, 1885—</i>	
Subsidies payable to Local Authorities	72,000

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*PERMANENT CHARGES—*continued.*

Under Special Acts of the Legislature—<i>continued.</i>		1903-4.
<i>Rabbit Nuisance Act 1882 Amendment Act—</i>		£
Expenses connected with the destruction of rabbits	... ..	2,500
<i>Australasian Naval Defence Act, 1902—</i>		
Proportional part of the cost of the maintenance of the Australasian Naval Squadron	... ..	21,697
<i>Public Revenues Act, 1891—</i>		
Controller and Auditor-General	... ..	1,000
Assistant Controller and Auditor	... ..	800
Claims repayable under Sections 9, 76, and 91	... ..	1,000
<i>Hamerton Pension Act, 1891—</i>		
Robert C. Hamerton	... ..	250
<i>Payment of Members Act, 1892, and Amendment Acts—</i>		
Payment to Members of both Houses	... ..	28,500
<i>Victoria College Act, 1897—</i>		
Grant in aid	... ..	4,000
<i>Old-age Pensions Act, 1898—</i>		
Pensions	... ..	215,000
<i>Stock Act Amendment Act, 1898—</i>		
Compensation for stock destroyed	... ..	3,500
<i>Marlborough High School Act, 1899—</i>		
Grant in aid	... ..	400
<i>Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900—</i>		
Compensation to owners of condemned stock	... ..	3,000
<i>Municipal Corporations Act, 1900—</i>		
Subsidies payable	... ..	15,000
<i>Military Pensions Extension Act, 1900, and Amendment Acts—</i>		
Pensions and allowances	... ..	4,000
<i>Manual and Technical Instruction Act, 1900—</i>		
Subsidies on voluntary contributions	... ..	2,000
<i>Nelson Harbour Act, 1900—</i>		
Subsidy payable to Harbour Board	... ..	900
<i>Nelson Harbour Board Amendment Act, 1902—</i>		
Annual compensation in lieu of rents and profits of the lands excluded from endowments	... ..	500
<i>Land Acts—</i>		
Proportion payable to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts	... ..	33,000
<i>New Plymouth Harbour Board Endowment Act, 1874—</i>		
One-fourth of proceeds of Sales, &c., payable to Harbour Board	... ..	4,000
TOTAL UNDER SPECIAL ACTS	... ..	<u>625,248</u>

SUMMARY.

	1903-4.
	£
INTEREST AND SINKING FUND	1,940,651
UNDER SPECIAL ACTS	625,248
TOTAL PERMANENT CHARGES	<u>£2,565,899</u>

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.***CLASS I.—LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS.**

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 1.—Legislative Council ...	1,879	...	1,879
„ 2.—House of Representatives ...	1,400	3,880	5,280
„ 3.—General Expenses ...	6,051	12,228	18,279
TOTAL OF CLASS I. ...	9,330	16,108	25,438

Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.			
VOTE No. 1.			
1	Salaries and Other Charges ...	1,870	
2	Amount of deduction made but not chargeable under the Payment of Members Acts for non-attendance during session of 1903 of an honourable member of the Legislative Council ...	9	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 1 ...		1,879
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.			
	Total number of officers ...	1903-4. 5	
VOTE No. 2.			
1	SALARIES— In addition to salaries provided by “The Legislative Officers’ Salaries Act, 1867”— Speaker, House of Representatives ...	100	
	Chairman of Committees, House of Representatives...	100	
	Second Clerk-Assistant ...	350	
	Serjeant-at-Arms ...	200	
	Reader and Clerk of Bills and Papers ...	200	
	Interpreter ...	250	
	Messenger ...	200	
		1,400	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
2	Extra Clerks and extra Committee Reporters ...	1,500	
3	Extra Messengers and Police during Session ...	1,950	
4	Extra Messengers and Night-watchmen during Recess ...	200	
5	Office furniture, telephones, &c. ...	80	
6	Contingencies ...	150	
		3,880	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 2 ...		5,280

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS I.—LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS—*continued.*

Item.	GENERAL EXPENSES.			1903-4.	
		Total number of officers	1903-4. 28	£	£
	VOTE No. 3.				
1	SALARIES—				
	Chief Librarian	...	...	400	
	Assistant Librarian	...	...	300	
	Second Assistant in Library	...	...	190	
	Third Assistant	...	...	175	
	Fourth Assistant	...	...	100	
	Binder for Parliamentary Library	...	...	168	
	Attendant	...	...	140	
	Mailman during Session	...	...	50	
				1,523	
2	Reporters—				
	<i>Hansard</i> Staff—				
	Chief Reporter	...	...	450	
	9 Reporters: 7 at £300, 1 at £280, 1 at £260	...	...	2,640	
	<i>Hansard</i> Supervisor (also Copy Supervisor, Government Printing Office, £225)	...	...	125	
	<i>Hansard</i> Supervisor's assistant	...	...	150	
	Clerk (15s. per diem)	...	...	70	
	Messenger (8s. per diem)	...	...	40	
	Committee Reporters: 2 at £150	...	...	300	
	Extra Reporters, Select Committees	...	...	150	
	Extra assistance for <i>Hansard</i>	...	...	50	
3	Custodian, Parliament Buildings	...	...	275	
4	Night-watchman	...	...	168	
5	Assistant Night-watchman	...	...	110	
				4,528	
				6,051	
	OTHER CHARGES—				
6	Cleaning up building previous to session	...	...	100	
7	Charwomen	...	...	950	
8	Compassionate allowance to Mrs. Katherine Kent, wife of late clerk at Bellamy's	...	...	50	
9	Compassionate allowance (further amount) to Mrs. Catherine E. Letham, widow of the late Custodian, Parliamentary Buildings	...	...	38	
10	Electrician's Assistant	...	...	100	
11	Extra binding for books in library	...	...	250	
12	Extra clerical assistance in library	...	...	300	
13	Gas, fuel, and electric lighting	...	...	1,200	
14	Gratuity to <i>Hansard</i> Supervisor	...	...	50	
15	Gratuity of £10 each to members of <i>Hansard</i> staff	...	...	100	
16	Gratuity to library staff and messengers	...	...	50	
17	Gratuity to J. Hackworth for assistance rendered as Clerk, Native Affairs Committee	...	...	15	
18	Gratuity to J. Sproule for assistance (overtime) to Statutes Consolidation Commission	...	...	25	
19	Grant to Bellamy's	...	...	500	
20	Library	...	...	600	
21	Passages of members	...	...	500	
22	Passages and expenses of witnesses attending Committees of both Houses	...	...	500	
23	Printing of <i>Hansard</i>	...	...	6,400	
24	Newspapers for library, and cartage of books	...	...	100	
25	Translating Acts into Maori	...	...	25	
26	Washing towels, &c.	...	...	75	
27	Winding and repairing clocks, &c.	...	...	50	
28	Contingencies	...	...	250	
				12,228	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 3	...	...		18,279
TOTAL OF CLASS I.				£25,438	

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.***CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.**

		1903-4.		
		Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
		£	£	£
Vote 4.—Clerk of Executive Council	...	50	...	50
„ 5.—Colonial Secretary's Office	..	1,850	...	1,850
„ 6.—Ministers' Secretaries	...	800	...	800
„ 7.—Messengers and Office-keepers	...	4,879	...	4,879
„ 8.—Electoral Department	...	1,075	3,835	4,910
„ 9.—Audit Office	... ..	3,311	3,091	6,402
„ 10.—Registrar-General's Department	...	4,980	1,100	6,080
„ 11.—Agent-General's Department	...	3,350	1,300	4,650
„ 12.—Miscellaneous Services	...	...	54,779	54,779
TOTAL OF CLASS II.		20,295	64,105	84,400

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
CLERK OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.		
VOTE No. 4.		
1	Clerk of Executive Council (also Secretary to Cabinet, £475)	50
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 4	50
COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers	7
VOTE No. 5.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Under-Secretary	500
	Chief Clerk	350
	Shorthand and Type Writer (also Private Secretary, £25)	340
	3 Clerks: 1 at £225, 1 at £200, 1 at £170	595
	Cadet	65
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 5	1,850
MINISTERS' SECRETARIES.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers	14
VOTE No. 6.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Secretary to Cabinet (also Clerk of Executive Council, £50)	475
2	13 Private Secretaries to Ministers at £25 each	325
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 6	800

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.			1903-4.	
			£	£
MESSENGERS AND OFFICE-KEEPERS.				
		1903-4.		
	Total number of officers	39		
	VOTE No. 7.			
	SALARIES—			
1	<i>Messengers—</i>			
	Officer in Charge (also Fire Inspector, £50) ...		250	
	18 Messengers: 1 at £183, 6 at £138, 11 at 7s. 6d. per diem ...		2,520	
	5 Night-watchmen at 8s. 6d. per diem ...		778	
2	<i>Office-keepers, &c.—</i>			
	Custodian £100, and Housekeeper £50, Government House, Auckland ...		150	
3	Auckland—1 at £200, 1 at £114 ...		314	
4	New Plymouth ...		75	
5	Gisborne ...		30	
6	Nelson—Office-keeper £150, Messenger £80 ...		230	
7	Blenheim ...		130	
8	Christchurch—2 Office-keepers: 1 at £52 (also Messenger, Survey Office, £110), 1 at 4s. 6d. per diem ...		134	
	1 Watchman at 6s. 6d. per diem ...		119	
9	Dunedin—Office-cleaner £104, and Watchman £45 ...		149	
	TOTAL—VOTE No 7 ...			4,879
ELECTORAL DEPARTMENT.				
		1903-4.		
	Total number of officers	37		
	VOTE No. 8.			
	SALARIES—			
1	For payment of Registrars who do not hold other appointments in the Civil Service ...		1,075	
	OTHER CHARGES—			
2	Expenses of General Election ...		500	
3	Licensing Poll under Alcoholic Liquors Sale Control Acts ...		150	
4	Expenses of By-elections ...		400	
5	Expenses Auckland Electoral Inquiry ...		185	
6	Preparation and printing of rolls ...		2,500	
7	Contingencies ...		100	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 8 ...		3,835	4,910
AUDIT OFFICE.				
		1903-4.		
	Total number of officers	33		
	VOTE No. 9.			
	SALARIES—			
1	Chief Clerk ...		385	
	13 Clerks: 1 at £300, 1 at £280, 1 at £275, 1 at £250, 3 at £235, 1 at £230, 1 at £156, 1 at £120, 1 (Short-hand and Type Writer) at £138, 1 at £120, 1 at £90 ...		2,664	
	Cadette ...		96	
	4 Cadets: 1 at £66, 3 at 40 ...		186	
	Chief Audit Inspector and Audit of Local Bodies ...		425	
	Clerk ...		240	
	Cadet at £40 (six months) ...		20	
9	Travelling Inspectors: 3 at £290, 2 at £280, 1 at £270, 1 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £230 ...		2,420	
	Audit Officer in London (also £250 charged Agent-General's vote) ...		200	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 9 ...		6,636	

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	AUDIT OFFICE— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
	VOTE No. 9— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES—	£	£
2	Assistance for inspection	200	
3	Inspection of Public Trust and other Offices	441	
4	Railway Season Tickets	250	
5	Travelling-expenses of Audit Inspectors	2,000	
6	Contingencies	200	
		3,091	
		9,727	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	3,325	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 9		6,402
	REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4.	
		13	
	VOTE No. 10.		
1	SALARIES—		
	Head Office—		
	Registrar-General	475	
	Chief Clerk	325	
	5 Clerks: 1 at £250, 1 at £220, 1 at £170, 1 at £165, 1 at £135	940	
	Registrars of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the several Registration Districts,—		
2	Auckland—		
	Registrar of Births, &c., and Vaccination Inspector Clerk	225	
	Wellington—		
3	Registrar of Births, &c., and Vaccination Inspector (also Deputy Registrar, Old-age Pensions, £25, and Registrar of Electors, nil)	250	
4	Christchurch—		
	Registrar of Births, &c., and Vaccination Inspector (also Deputy Registrar, Old-age Pensions, £100, and Registrar of Electors, £75)	100	
5	Dunedin—		
	Registrar of Births, &c., and Vaccination Inspector (also Registrar of Electors, nil)	225	
	Clerk	145	
6	Registrars of Births, &c., paid by fees only	2,150	
		4,980	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
7	Clerical assistance, Year-book, &c.	750	
8	Diagrams, &c., Year-book	50	
9	Contingencies	300	
		1,100	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 10		6,080
	AGENT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4.	
		9	
	VOTE No. 11.		
1	SALARIES—		
	Agent-General in London (salary net)	1,500	
	Secretary	750	
	Accountant (also Audit Officer, £200)	250	
	Clerks and Messengers	1,050	
		3,550	

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Item.		1903-4.	
AGENT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 11— <i>continued.</i>		£	£
OTHER CHARGES—			
2	Rent, Office-cleaning, Fuel, and Light	730	
3	Stationery and Publications	140	
4	Contingencies	430	
		1,300	
		4,850	
Less contribution from Public Trust and Government Insurance Funds		200	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 11			4,650
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.			
VOTE No. 12.			
1	Allowance to J. S. Greig for injuries received while acting as Registrar of Electors	100	
2	Annuity to James Mackay, ex-Warden	75	
3	Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science Meeting at Dunedin, January, 1904, including cost of printing transactions	1,100	
4	Bonus for discovery of mineral manure under approved regulations	500	
5	Bonus on account manufacture iron and steel from iron sand or ore, on terms to be agreed upon	1,000	
6	Bonus to Taipo Explosives Syndicate (on account, £2,500)	500	
7	Bonus for discovery of cheap and effective method of destroying noxious weeds	500	
8	Captain Cook memorial at Gisborne (£1 for £1)	500	
9	Cleaning offices	1,200	
10	Clerical assistance and extra messengers	2,500	
11	Collection, &c., of native birds for acclimatisation purposes	100	
12	Compensation to Mr. Bell for losses sustained at Sunday Island	50	
13	Contribution towards cost of memorial in London to Her late Majesty Queen Victoria	15,000	
14	Contribution to Brussels International Customs Bureau for publication of Customs tariffs	100	
15	Copies of work on New Zealand Neuroptera	100	
16	Copies of historical work, "Old Manawatu"	90	
17	Coronation celebration expenses — Subsidies to local bodies	3,000	
18	Cost of publishing New Zealand Flora	550	
19	Cost of work to be done by Surveyor-General's Department	50	
20	Cost of acquiring land for roads under section 112 of "The Public Works Act, 1894"	100	
21	Cost of printing Maori legends	200	
22	Cost of erecting accommodation-house at Rarotonga (on account, £1,000)	500	
23	Cost of erecting residence for Medical and Health Officer at Rarotonga	450	
24	Deficiency in accounts of late Deputy Registrar of Births, &c., Wellington	136	
25	Development of Cook and other Islands, notwithstanding anything in "The Cook and other Islands Government Act, 1901," to the contrary	1,000	
26	Early history of the colony	130	
27	Early historical records of southern New Zealand	250	
28	Expenses under "The Fine Arts Copyright Act, 1877"	10	
29	Expenses of Assessment Courts under "The Rating Act, 1894"	20	

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CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>	
	VOTE No. 12—<i>continued.</i>	
30	Expenses connected with Licensing Committee elections (amounts to be recovered from local bodies concerned)	283
31	Expenses connected with legal proceedings respecting Porirua Trust Estate (Wallis and others v. Solicitor-General)	1,244
32	Expenses in connection with visit of Boer delegates ...	230
33	Fire Brigades—Attending Annual Conference, railway passes for	300
34	Fire Brigades—Attending Annual Conference, 1903, railway passes for (liability)	690
35	Fire Brigades—Annual Conference, 1904, grant-in-aid	300
36	Fire Brigades—Annual Conference, 1903, additional grant in aid (liability)	50
37	Friendly Societies' Reserve, Dunedin, Rent of	25
38	Gas and water for various Government buildings, &c.	700
39	Grant to swimming associations for encouragement of swimming	200
40	Gratuity to Captain Jackson Barry	48
41	Handbook on Trout-fishing, cost of printing and binding	280
42	Handbook of New Zealand—Cost of printing and binding	850
43	Imperial Institute expenses, and cost of removal of exhibits, &c.	500
44	Liabilities on account of Royal visit	150
45	New Zealand Flora	225
46	New Zealand Institute, Grant to	500
47	Parliamentary visit to Cook and other Islands, to cover expenses	4,576
48	Payment to Cape Colony for telegrams sent on account of New Zealand Government	163
49	Payment to Reuter's Telegram Company for special telegrams	300
50	Pension of late Provincial Government, Nelson: Mrs. Robinson's two daughters	67
51	Purchase of and expenses connected with Maori antiquities	500
52	Rarotonga— Salary of Collector of Customs	200
	Salary of Postmaster	50
	Insurance of steamer "Countess of Ranfurly"	313
53	Reimbursement of expenses incurred by Adam Armstrong, as Returning Officer in the conduct of licensing election, Wairarapa district	254
54	Reimbursement of expenses incurred by Major Pilcher	75
55	Royal Humane Society of New Zealand, grant-in-aid ...	150
56	Salary and allowances of Resident Agent at Niue ...	200
57	Salary Director of New Zealand Museum (£500) (three months)	125
58	Salary of Resident Commissioner, Cook and other Islands	500
59	Sir George Grey's statue	160
60	Sir George Grey's grave	250
61	Society of Arts, Auckland (£1 for £1 building subsidy)	500
62	Subsidy to Auckland Institute for purchase of Maori antiquities (£1 for £1)	1,000
63	Telegrams beyond the colony	4,500
64	To cover legal expenses incurred by H. H. A. Hitchens in alleged wrongful prosecution	10
65	General contingencies	4,500
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 12	54,779

TOTAL OF CLASS II. £84,400

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CLASS III.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 13.—Public Health Department ...	11,219	15,436	26,655
TOTAL OF CLASS III. ...	11,219	15,436	26,655

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.		
	Total number of officers ..	1903-4. 81
1	VOTE No. 13.	
	SALARIES—	
	Chief Health Officer	800
	Assistant Chief Health Officer	550
	Chief Clerk	235
	5 Clerks: 3 at £166, 2 at £156	810
	2 Typists at £70	140
	Messenger at 7s. 6d. per day	137
	8 District Health Officers: 4 at £500, 1 at £400, 1 at £150, 1 at £100, 1 at £50	2,700
	Health Officer to Maoris	300
	17 Sanitary Inspectors: 16 at £150, 1 at £130	2,530
	Bacteriologist (also Chief Veterinary Surgeon, £475)	100
	Assistant (also Assistant in Veterinary Laboratory, £180)	25
	4 Analysts: 1 (also Colonial Analyst, £400) at £50, 3 at £100	350
	Port Health Officers	930
	Quarantine Keepers—	
	Wellington	£120
	Port Chalmers	110
		230
2	Sanatorium, Cambridge—	
	Medical Officer	100
	Matron	140
	3 Nurses at £60	180
	2 Probationer Nurses at £30	60
	Cook	104
	2 Housemaids at £45	90
	Laundress	65
	Porter (£1 5s. per week)	65
	Driver (£1 10s. per week)	78
	Engine-driver	25
	Message-boy (4s. per week)	10
	Man for ward	40
	Farm Manager and Accountant	235
	2 Farm Hands: 1 at £75, 1 at £40	115
	Gardener	75
		11,219

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CLASS III.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
	PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 13— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES—		
3	Cambridge Sanatorium	3,500	
4	Expenses in connection with small-pox outbreak ...	2,500	
5	Expenses under section 25 of "The Public Health Act, 1900"	100	
6	Expenses of Agent-General attending International Congress of Medicine at Paris	53	
7	Gratuity to Dr. Allen	50	
8	Infectious Diseases Hospital, Auckland	3,500	
9	Infectious Diseases Hospital, Auckland (temporary): Furnishing and maintenance (including subsidy, £875)	1,750	
10	Inspection of Vessels	1,000	
11	Laboratory: Fittings, appliances, and materials	150	
12	Notification of Infectious Diseases	1,000	
13	Quarantine contingencies	300	
14	Subsidy, Infectious Diseases Hospital, Christchurch	891	
15	Subsidy, Infectious Diseases Hospital, Wellington	142	
16	Vaccination	3,500	
17	Contingencies	4,000	
		22,436	
	Less credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	7,000	
		15,436	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 13		26,655
	TOTAL OF CLASS III.		£26,655

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CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE AND TOURIST DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 14.—Office of Industries and Commerce	1,683	55,897	57,580
„ 15.—Tourist Department ...	13,643	9,450	23,093
TOTAL OF CLASS IV. ...	15,326	65,347	80,673

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
OFFICE OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE.		
	Total number of officers ..	1903-4. 6
VOTE No. 14.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Secretary (also Superintendent, Tourist Department, £250)	300
	Trade Representative	450
	Produce Commissioner	400
	Clerk to Produce Commissioner, London (six months) ..	100
	Clerk	350
	Shorthand-writer and Typist	65
	Arrear of increment to Clerk from 29th January to 31st March	18
		1,683
	OTHER CHARGES—	
2	Advertising, purchase of books, &c.	500
3	Advertising — Demonstrating advantage of sale of colonial meat in the United Kingdom	5,000
4	Assistance to develop shale industry (£1 for £1), on account, £5,000	500
5	Canadian steam-trade service subsidy (on account, £10,000)	1,000
6	Clerical assistance	500
7	Grain-grading on behalf of Imperial Government	500
8	Grain-grading (general)	1,500
9	Legal expenses in connection with tender for South African steam service, London	172
10	Promotion of sale of New Zealand produce in outside markets	1,500
11	Removal of New Zealand court and exhibits from Imperial Institute to Crystal Palace, London, and maintenance of same for one year	400
12	Rent of offices	125
13	South African steam service subsidy	42,500
14	Subsidy, steam service, New Zealand to Noumea	600
15	Travelling expenses and allowances	3,400
16	Travelling expenses and allowances, Produce Commissioner	200
17	Contingencies	500
		58,897
	Less credit under section 41 of “The Public Revenues Act, 1891”	3,000
		55,897
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 14	57,580

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CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIES, ETC., DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
TOURIST DEPARTMENT.		
	Total number of officers ...	1903-4. 122
	VOTE No. 15.	
	HEAD OFFICE—	
1	<i>Salaries—</i>	
	Superintendent (also Secretary Industries and Commerce, £300)	250
	Chief Clerk	250
	Accountant	200
	Inspector of Tourist Reserves (also Chief Forester, £200)	100
	Inspector	200
	6 Clerks: 1 at £170, 4 at £156, 1 at £130	924
	2 Shorthand-writers and Typists: 1 at £165, 1 at £110	275
	2 Cadets at £40	80
	Messenger	108
		2,387
	DISTRICT AGENCIES—	
2	<i>Salaries—</i>	
	5 District Agents: 4 at £166, 1 at £150	814
	<i>Other Charges—</i>	
3	Rent of Offices	350
4	Fuel, Light, and Miscellaneous Expenses	130
		1,294
	TE AROHA HOT SPRINGS—	
5	<i>Wages—</i>	
	Resident Medical Officer	600
	Clerk	125
	Head Gardener	150
	3 Bath Attendants: 1 at £80, 2 at £72	224
	Bath-attendant and wife (six months)	60
	2 Ticket Clerks: 1 at £60, 1 at £52	112
	2 Assistant Gardeners at £100	200
	<i>Other Charges—</i>	
5	Maintenance, Bath, Supplies, &c.	200
7	Maintenance, Gardens	400
8	House Allowance, Resident Medical Officer	70
		2,141
	ROTORUA SANATORIUM AND BATHS—	
	<i>Rotorua Sanatorium—</i>	
9	<i>Wages—</i>	
	Balneologist	1,000
	House Surgeon	350
	Clerk	166
	Matron	110
	2 Nurses at £50	100
	Wardsman	65
	4 Servants: 2 at £65, 2 at £42	214
	Bath Attendant (6 months)	38
	Assistant laundress (six months)	40
	<i>Other Charges—</i>	
10	Maintenance of Sanatorium, Food, Supplies, &c.	1,000

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CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIES, ETC., DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	TOURIST DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
	VOTE No. 15—<i>continued.</i>		
	ROTORUA SANATORIUM AND BATHS—<i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Rotorua Baths—</i>		
11	Wages—	£	£
	Masseur and Masseuse at £168	336	
	2 Ticket Clerks: 1 at £60, 1 at £52	112	
	12 Bath Attendants: 1 Attendant and Wife, £150; 2 Attendants and Wives, £120; 5 at £90, 1 at £52 ...	892	
	Laundress	78	
12	Other Charges—		
	Maintenance of Baths, Supplies, &c.	400	
		4,901	
	ROTORUA TEA-HOUSE—		
13	Wages—		
	Manageress	130	
	Assistant at £52, 2 Waitresses at £40	132	
14	Other Charges—		
	Maintenance of House, Food, Supplies, &c.	250	
		512	
	ROTORUA WORKS—		
15	Wages—		
	Inspector of Works	250	
	Assistant Inspector (also Chief Guide, £100)	100	
	Draughtsman and Clerk	180	
	Clerk	94	
	Electrical Engineer (Okere)	260	
	Assistant Electrician (Okere)	150	
	Town Electrician	200	
	Gardener in Charge	190	
	Carpenter	166	
	Assistant Gardener	125	
		1,715	
	<i>Other Charges—</i>		
16	Maintenance of Reserves, Gardens, and Parks	1,000	
17	Maintenance, Electric-light Works	300	
18	„ Drainage-works	100	
19	„ Bath, Sanatorium, and other Buildings	300	
20	„ Water-supply Works	200	
		1,900	
	WHAKAREWAREWA HOT SPRINGS—		
21	Wages—		
	Caretaker	135	
	Bath Attendant	26	
22	Other Charges—		
	Maintenance and Improvements	500	
		661	
	WAIMANGU—		
	<i>Round Trip—</i>		
23	Wages—		
	Chief Guide (also Assistant Inspector, £100)	100	
	Guide, Waimangu	130	
	4 Boatmen	400	
24	Other Charges—		
	Boat-shed, Boats, Tracks, Maintenance and Improvements, &c.	200	
	<i>Waimangu House—</i>		
25	Wages—		
	Caretaker (6 months)	60	
	3 Servants (6 months)	70	
26	Other Charges—		
	Maintenance of House, Food, Supplies, &c. (6 months)	400	
		1,360	

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CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIES, ETC., DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
TOURIST DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 15—<i>continued.</i>		
TOKAANU BATHS—		
27	Maintenance	100
TE PUIA HOT SPRINGS—		
28	Maintenance	50
MOREERE HOT SPRINGS—		
29	Maintenance	100
WAIKAREMOANA (LAKE HOUSE)—		
<i>Wages—</i>		
30	Caretaker and Wife	120
	2 Servants: 1 at £40, 1 at £30	70
	Man Servant at £78	78
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
31	Maintenance of House, Food, Supplies, &c.	500
32	Subsidy, Wairoa-Waikaremoana Mail-service	35
33	Station Wagon, Horses, Harness, &c.	50
34	Maintenance and Improvements (Gardens)	100
35	Oil Launch, maintenance and wages	90
		1,043
MARUIA SPRINGS—		
36	Improvements	200
HANMER SPA—		
<i>Hanmer Spa—</i>		
<i>Wages—</i>		
37	Subsidy to Doctor	100
	Manager and Wife	200
	Assistant Housekeeper	40
	7 Servants: 1 at £65, 3 at £40, 1 at £35, 1 at £26, 1 (man) at £80	326
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
38	Maintenance of Houses, Food, Supplies, &c.	1,200
<i>Hanmer Baths—</i>		
<i>Wages—</i>		
39	Masseur and Masseuse: 2 at £120	240
	4 Attendants: 1 Attendant and Wife £150, 1 Attendant and Wife £120	270
	2 Ticket Clerks: 1 at £50, 1 at £40	90
	Laundress	65
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
40	Maintenance of Baths, Supplies, &c.	100
<i>Hanmer Gardens and Plantations—</i>		
41	Gardener in Charge	135
42	Maintenance of Gardens, Plantations, Water-supply, &c.	250
		3,016
PUKAKI ACCOMMODATION-HOUSE—		
<i>Wages—</i>		
43	Caretaker and Wife	120
	2 Servants: 1 at £52, 1 at £40	92
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
44	Maintenance of House, Food, Supplies, &c.	500
		712

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
TOURIST DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 15— <i>continued.</i>		
MOUNT COOK HERMITAGE—		
45	<i>Wages—</i>	
	Caretaker and Wife	120
	Chief Guide (6 months)	75
	Assistant Guide and Guiding Equipment	100
	4 Servants: 1 at £78, 3 at £26	156
		451
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
46	Maintenance of House, Food, Supplies, &c.	500
47	Furniture, Improvements, and Repairs	200
48	Subsidy, Fairlie-Hermitage Mail-service	200
		900
GLADE HOUSE—		
49	<i>Wages—</i>	
	Caretaker and wife (six months)	60
	2 Servants (six months)	40
	Guide in charge Te Anau tracks (six months)	75
50	Maintenance house, food, supplies, &c. (six months)	200
		375
SOUTHERN LAKES AND MILFORD SOUND—		
51	Accommodation-house, Lake Manapouri (subsidy for maintenance)	50
52	Accommodation-house (Glade House), Clinton (subsidy for maintenance)	50
53	Accommodation-house, Te Anau (subsidy for maintenance)	25
54	Accommodation-house, Preservation Inlet (subsidy for maintenance)	50
55	Accommodation-house, Lake Wanaka (subsidy for maintenance)	25
56	Boat-sheds, Deep Cove and Lake Ada	100
57	Guide, Milford Sound	50
58	Jetty, Lake Mahinapua	15
59	Maintenance, Furniture, &c., for Huts, Milford Sound Route	150
60	Planting reserve and making paths, Lake Wanaka	70
61	Planting and improvement, Manuka Island, Lake Wanaka	15
62	Purchase of boat for Lake Pukaki	22
63	Subsidy for steamers, Lake Wanaka	100
64	Subsidy for steamer, Lake Te Anau	100
65	Subsidy for steamer, Lake Manapouri	50
66	Subsidy, Queenstown Band	36
67	Subsidy, Lumsden-Te Anau Mail-service	40
68	Subsidy for steam-launch, Preservation Inlet	50
69	Subsidy for Manapouri-Te Anau coach service	25
70	Subsidy for Pukaki-Wanaka portion coach service	80
		1,103

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
TOURIST DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 15— <i>continua.</i>		
OTHER CHARGES—		
71	Advertising, and purchase of books, photographs, pictures, and distribution of pamphlets, books, &c. ...	4,000
72	Assistance to invalids: Passages to hot springs ...	100
73	Clerical assistance	300
74	Compassionate allowance to widow of — Simmonds, killed by accident	50
75	Egmont National Park (subsidy)	200
76	Fencing, &c., Kairoa and Whakarewa Pas (Taranaki Scenery Preservation Society)	20
77	Foxton Marine Reserve improvements	50
78	Importation and distribution of game and fish ...	500
79	Legal fees <i>re</i> cancelling lease and making new lease, Te Aroha Domain	7
80	Orakei-Korako (improvements)	100
81	Pipiriki drainage (maintenance)	25
82	Renovation and furniture, Head and Branch Offices ...	300
83	Rent of offices, Wellington	300
84	Scenery Societies	100
85	Stewart Island: Purchase of huts, &c.	30
86	Subsidy to Auckland Institute, for conservation of Little Barrier Island	200
87	Subsidy for steamer, Wanganui River	215
88	Subsidy, Taupo Domain	50
89	Subsidy, oil-launch, Lake Kanieri	25
90	Testing springs and analysis of mineral waters ...	150
91	Tongariro National Park	150
92	Travelling allowances and expenses	600
93	Waiotapu paths, plantations, and other improvements ...	150
94	Waitomo Caves: Improvements, &c.	50
95	Contingencies	500
		8,172
		33,093
	Less credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	10,000
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 15	23,093
TOTAL OF CLASS IV.		£80,673

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CLASS V.—COLONIAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 16.—Treasury Department ...	8,204	...	8,204
„ 17.—Friendly Societies Registry Office	670	910	1,580
„ 18.—Land and Income Tax Department	6,426	14,150	20,576
„ 19.—Rates on Crown Lands ...	...	800	800
„ 20.—Treasury : Miscellaneous Services	...	9,245	9,245
TOTAL OF CLASS V. ...	15,300	25,105	40,405

Item	1903-4.	
	£	£
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ...	42
	VOTE No. 16.	
1	SALARIES—	
	Secretary to the Treasury, Receiver- and Paymaster-General (also Registrar New Zealand Consols, £50)	800
	Assistant Secretary to the Treasury and Accountant (also Secretary Civil Service Officers Guarantee Board, £50)	600
	Corresponding Clerk	350
	Cashier	300
	23 Clerks: 1 at £335, 2 at £285, 1 at £260, 1 at £250, 1 at £245, 1 at £225, 2 at £220, 1 at £215, 2 at £210, 1 at £200, 1 at £196, 1 at £190, 1 at £170, 2 at £164, 1 at £155, 1 at £150, 2 at £135, 1 at £105	4,724
	12 Cadets: 1 at £95, 3 at £85, 6 at £75, 1 at £65, 1 at £50	915
	2 Binders: 1 at £3 15s. and 1 at £3 10s. per week	377
	1 Messenger (7s. 6d. per diem)	138
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 16 ...	8,204

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CLASS V.—COLONIAL TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
FRIENDLY SOCIETIES REGISTRY OFFICE.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 4
VOTE No. 17.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Registrar and Actuary	350
	Revising Barrister (also Assistant Law Officer, £550)	50
	Clerk	230
	Cadette	40
		670
2	OTHER CHARGES—	
3	Payment for statistical returns of sickness and mortality	350
4	Extra clerical assistance	510
	Contingencies	50
		910
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 17	1,580
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 28
VOTE No. 18.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Commissioner (also Superintendent Advances to Settlers Office, £250, and Valuer-General, nil)	650
	Deputy Commissioner (also Deputy Superintendent Advances to Settlers Office, £50, and Deputy Valuer-General, £75)	400
	Chief Clerk (also Advances to Settlers Office, £50, and Valuation Department, £25)	310
	Accountant (also Advances to Settlers Office, £50, and Valuator Deceased Persons' Estates, £100)	350
	Receiver (also Advances to Settlers Office £10)	250
	19 Clerks: 1 at £300, 1 at £290, 1 at £280, 1 at £265, 4 at £250, 1 at £250 (also Private Secretary to Rt. Hon. the Premier, £25), 1 at £210, 2 at £200, 2 at £190, 2 at £140, 3 at £130, 1 at £120	4,165
	3 Cadets: 1 at £60, 2 at £50	160
	Lodging-allowance: 3 at £26	78
	Messenger (also Valuation Department, £50, and Advances to Settlers Office, £25)	63
		6,426
2	OTHER CHARGES—	
3	Advertising	250
4	Contribution to Valuation Department	7,500
5	Extra clerical assistance	4,500
6	Law-costs	250
7	Payment to Postal Department	500
8	Travelling-expenses	1,000
	Contingencies	150
		14,150
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 18	20,576

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Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
RATES ON CROWN LANDS.			
VOTE No. 19.			
1	Payable under the Crown and Native Lands Rating Acts, including full amounts payable in respect of security given by local bodies for loans—		
	For current year, including arrears	800	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 19		800
TREASURY: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.			
VOTE No. 20.			
1	Discount and stamp duty on remittances to London ..	2,500	
2	Expenses attending the annual "drawing" of debentures issued under "The Consolidated Loan Act, 1867" ..	335	
3	Expenses in connection with the importation of silver and bronze coin (to be recovered from Royal Mint) ..	955	
4	Exchange and commission	4,000	
5	Extra clerical assistance	1,400	
6	Interest on amount advanced in anticipation of issue of debentures	105	
7	Payment to W. E. Cooper, Clerk, Treasury Department, of one month's salary on leave of absence preceding retirement in excess of the three months' allowed by "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886"	22	
8	Refund to the Public Trustee for payment to next-of-kin of amount paid into the Consolidated Fund in respect of intestate estate—James Stewart ..	16	
9	Salary of Registrar of Consols	50	
10	Salary of Secretary, Civil Service Officers Guarantee Board	50	
11	Wages of assistant binders	312	
12	Contingencies	500	
		10,245	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	1,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 20		9,245
TOTAL OF CLASS V.		£40,405	

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CLASS VI.—OLD-AGE PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 21.—Old-age Pensions Department ...	2,291	1,610	3,901
TOTAL OF CLASS VI. ...	2,291	1,610	3,901

Item		1903-4.	
	OLD-AGE PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.	£	£
	Total number of officers ...	1903-4.	
		18	
	VOTE No. 21.		
	SALARIES—		
1	Registrar	400	
	Chief Clerk	240	
	5 Clerks : 1 at £170, 4 at £164	826	
	3 Cadets at £65	195	
	Auckland—		
	Deputy Registrar	160	
	Cadet	40	
	Wellington—		
	Deputy Registrar (also Registrar of Electors and Registrar of Births, &c., £250)	25	
	Christchurch—		
	Deputy Registrar (also Registrar of Electors, £75, and Registrar of Births, &c., £100)	100	
	Dunedin—		
	Deputy Registrar	150	
	Cadet	65	
	Invercargill—		
	Deputy Registrar (also Clerk of Court and Registrar Supreme Court, £285)	25	
	Cadet	65	
		2,291	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
2	Clerical assistance	500	
3	Contribution to Post Office to pay salaries of officers employed on Old-age Pensions work	510	
4	Travelling-expenses of Registrar, Stipendiary Magistrates, Deputy Registrars, Police Constables, and Interpreters' fees, &c.	400	
5	Contingencies	200	
		1,610	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 21		3,901
	TOTAL OF CLASS VI.		£3,901

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.***CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.**

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 22.—Department of Justice ...	2,530	...	2,530
„ 23.—Crown Law Office ...	2,535	...	2,535
„ 24.—Supreme Court ...	4,665	2,550	7,215
„ 25.—Bankruptcy ...	2,675	1,022	3,697
„ 26.—District, Magistrates', and Wardens' Courts ...	36,485	11,480	47,965
„ 27.—Native Land Court... ..	6,790	3,600	10,390
„ 28.—Validation of Native Titles ...	650	150	800
„ 29.—Maori Land Administration ...	2,376	1,000	3,376
„ 30.—Maori Councils ...	300	800	1,100
„ 31.—Criminal Prosecutions ...	...	13,250	13,250
„ 32.—Coroners ...	...	4,500	4,500
„ 33.—Miscellaneous Services ...	...	11,775	11,775
„ 34.—Prisons ...	19,616	13,325	32,941
TOTAL OF CLASS VII. ...	78,622	63,452	142,074

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND PATENT OFFICE		
		1903-4.
	Total number of officers ...	11
VOTE No. 22.		
SALARIES—		
Under-Secretary (also Registrar of Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks, nil) ...	...	575
Chief Clerk ...	...	300
Translator ...	...	300
3 Clerks: 1 (also Private Secretary to Minister, £25) at £265, 1 at £160, 1 at £140 ...	...	565
3 Clerks, Patent Office: 1 at £275, 1 at £150, 1 at £140	565
Cadet, Patent Office	75
Messenger, &c.	150
TOTAL—VOTE No. 22 ...		2,530

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CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
CROWN LAW OFFICE.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ...	5
1	VOTE No. 23.	
	SALARIES—	
	Solicitor-General	1,000
	Assistant Law Officer (also Revising Barrister, Friendly Societies, £50)	550
	Law Draftsman and Assistant Law Officer	650
	Clerk	250
	Cadet	85
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 23	2,535
SUPREME COURT.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ...	29
1	VOTE No. 24.	
	SALARIES—	
	<i>Auckland—</i>	
	Registrar and Sheriff	400
	Deputy Registrar and Clerk of Awards	275
	Cadet	75
	Crier, Messenger, and Office-cleaner	157
	Assistant Office-cleaner	10
2	<i>Wellington—</i>	
	Registrar, Sheriff, and Registrar Court of Appeal	400
	Deputy Registrar and Clerk of Awards	275
	Clerk	120
	Cadet	85
	Crier and Messenger	150
	Messenger and Office-cleaner, and Office-cleaner to Official Assignee and Magistrate's Court	144
	2 Assistant Office-cleaners	77
3	<i>Christchurch—</i>	
	Registrar and Sheriff	400
	Deputy Registrar and Clerk of Awards	235
	Cadet	75
	Crier and Messenger	127
	Office-cleaner	50
	Assistant Messenger	65
4	<i>Dunedin—</i>	
	Registrar and Sheriff	400
	Deputy Registrar and Clerk of Awards	250
	Clerk and Typewriter	120
	Crier, Messenger, and Office-cleaner	175
5	6 Clerks to Judges at £100	600
	OTHER CHARGES—	
6	Travelling-expenses of Judges, and other expenses of Circuit Courts and Court of Appeal	4,665
	Proportion of fees to be refunded to Sheriffs	2,500
7		50
		2,550
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 24	7,215

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.				1903-4.	
				£	£
	BANKRUPTCY.				
		Total number of officers	1903-4. 9		
	VOTE No. 25.				
	SALARIES—				
1	<i>Auckland—</i>				
	Official Assignee	...	...	450	
	Clerk	...	...	220	
	Cadet	...	...	65	
2	<i>Wellington—</i>				
	Official Assignee	...	...	450	
	Clerk	...	...	220	
3	<i>Christchurch—</i>				
	Official Assignee	...	...	450	
	Clerk	...	...	220	
4	<i>Dunedin—</i>				
	Official Assignee (also Stipendiary Magistrate)	...	...	450	
	Clerk	...	...	150	
				2,675	
	OTHER CHARGES—				
5	Advertising	...	...	100	
6	Commission to Deputy Assignees	...	...	650	
7	Office-cleaning	...	...	42	
8	Postages	...	...	100	
9	Travelling-expenses	...	...	30	
10	Contingencies	...	...	100	
				1,022	
		TOTAL—VOTE No. 25	...		3,697
	DISTRICT, MAGISTRATES', AND WARDENS' COURTS.				
		Total number of officers	1903-4. 158		
	VOTE No. 26.				
	SALARIES—				
1	<i>Auckland—</i>				
	Magistrate	...	...	550	
	4 Clerks: 1 at £325, 1 at £210, 1 at £160, 1 at £105	...	...	800	
	Bailiff	...	...	160	
	Assistant Bailiff	...	...	130	
	Messenger Magistrate's Court, Stamp Office, and Registrar of Deeds Office; and Office-cleaner	...	...	120	
2	<i>Papakura, Pukekohe, Mercer, Waiuku, Hamilton, Newcastle, Cambridge, Raglan, Huntly, and Te Awamutu—</i>				
	Magistrate and Coroner (fees)	...	...	500	
	Clerk and Registrar of Births, &c.	...	...	250	
	Cadet	...	...	95	
3	<i>Onehunga, Otahuhu, Whangarei, Dargaville, Helensville, Warkworth, Maungaturoto, Port Albert, Waipu, and Paparoa—</i>				
	Magistrate, Coroner (fees), and Commissioner Native Land Court	...	...	450	
	Clerk at Whangarei (Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c.)	250	
	Clerk at Maungaturoto, Paparoa, and Waipu	65	

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CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	DISTRICT, MAGISTRATES', AND WARDENS' COURTS— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 26— <i>continued.</i>		
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
4	<i>Russell, Mangonui, Whangaroa, Kaeo, Kaitaia, Hokianga, Waimate, Kaikohe, and Kawakawa—</i> Magistrate, Coroner (fees), and Commissioner Native Land Court	450	
5	<i>Thames, Coromandel, Te Aroha, Paeroa, Waihi, and Mercury Bay—</i> Magistrate and Warden	500	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c.	250	
	Clerk	130	
	Bailiff	175	
	Interpreter	100	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c., at Paeroa	200	
	Clerk	130	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c., at Coromandel	200	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c., at Waihi	220	
	Clerk	150	
6	<i>Tauranga, Rotorua, Taupo, Maketu, Opotiki, and Whakatane—</i> Magistrate, Coroner (fees), and Commissioner Native Land Court	450	
	Clerk and Interpreter, and Registrar of Births, &c.	225	
	Bailiff	50	
7	<i>Gisborne, Wairoa, Tolaga Bay, and Awanui—</i> Magistrate, also Registrar Supreme Court, Sheriff, and Commissioner Native Land Court, and Coroner (fees)	450	
	Clerk, also Registrar of Births, &c.	240	
	Clerk	120	
	Clerk, Interpreter, and Bailiff at Wairoa	175	
	Bailiff	160	
8	<i>New Plymouth, Opunake, Stratford, Inglewood, and Waitara—</i> Magistrate (also District Land Registrar, Registrar of Deeds, Registrar Supreme Court, Commissioner Native Land Court, and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps)	475	
	Clerk (and Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court)	270	
	2 Cadets: 1 at £85, 1 at £65	150	
	Bailiff and Office-cleaner, and Crier to Supreme Court	150	
	Clerk, Stratford	275	
9	<i>Wanganui—</i> District Judge (Masterton, New Plymouth, Hawera, Wanganui, and Palmerston), Registrar Supreme Court, Magistrate, and Coroner (fees)	600	
	Clerk, Sheriff, and Deputy Registrar Supreme Court	270	
	Clerk	120	
	Cadet	85	
	Bailiff, and Crier Supreme Court	120	
10	<i>Hawera, Patea, Mania, Waverley, Eltham, and Raetihi—</i> Magistrate	475	
	Clerk at Hawera, also Registrar of Electors, &c.	210	
	Bailiff	120	
11	<i>Wellington, Hutt, and Upper Hutt—</i> Magistrate	550	
	Clerk	325	
	3 Clerks: 1 at £190, 1 at £150, 1 at £95	435	
	Bailiff	160	
	Assistant Bailiff	130	

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
	DISTRICT, MAGISTRATES', AND WARDENS' COURTS— <i>continued.</i>	
	VOTE No. 26— <i>continued.</i>	
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>	
12	<i>Palmerston North, Feilding, Foxton, Otaki, Marton, Bull's, Hunterville, Taihape, and Mangaweka—</i>	
	Magistrate	475
	Clerk, also Registrar of Electors, Palmerston North	220
	Clerk	120
	Bailiff	120
	Clerk at Marton, Hunterville, and Bull's	230
	Clerk at Feilding	150
13	<i>Masterton, Carterton, Greytown, Featherston, Tenui, Eketahuna, Pahiatua, and Woodville—</i>	
	Magistrate, Sheriff, and Coroner (fees)	450
	Clerk, also Registrar of Electors	250
	Bailiff	130
	Clerk and Bailiff at Pahiatua, and Registrar of Births, &c.	100
14	<i>Napier, Hastings, Waipawa, Ormondville, and Dannevirke—</i>	
	Magistrate, Registrar Supreme Court, and Commissioner Native Land Court	500
	2 Clerks: 1 at £260, 1 at £150	410
	Clerk and Interpreter	200
	Bailiff	160
	Clerk and Bailiff at Hastings	200
	Cadet	60
	Clerk and Bailiff at Dannevirke	175
15	<i>Nelson—</i>	
	District Judge, Magistrate, Registrar Supreme Court, District Land Registrar, Examiner of Titles, and Registrar of Deeds	550
	Clerk, Deputy Registrar Supreme Court, and Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c.	310
	Bailiff, and Crier Supreme Court	120
	Messenger and Office-cleaner, Magistrate's and Supreme Court	75
16	<i>Brightwater, Motueka, Collingwood, and Takaka—</i>	
	Magistrate and Warden (also Collector of Customs, £425)	50
	Clerk and Receiver Gold Revenue, Collingwood	150
17	<i>Blenheim, Picton, Havelock, and Oullensville—</i>	
	Magistrate, Warden, and Registrar of Supreme Court, District Land Registrar, and Coroner (fees)	450
	Clerk (also Sheriff), and Registrar of Electors	240
	Cadet	65
	Bailiff	150
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue at Havelock	150
18	<i>Christchurch, Lyttelton, Leeston, and Southbridge—</i>	
	District Judge, Canterbury, Westland, and Otago	900
	Magistrate and Coroner (fees)	550
	3 Clerks: 1 at £325, 1 at £220, 1 at £150	695
	Cadet	105
	Bailiff	160
	2 Assistant Bailiffs: 1 at £135, 1 at £70	205
	Clerk and Registrar of Births, &c., at Lyttelton	150

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CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	DISTRICT, MAGISTRATES', AND WARDENS' COURTS— <i>continued.</i>	1903—4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 26— <i>continued.</i>		
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
19	<i>Kaiapoi, Rangiora, Amberley, Oxford, Darfield, Culverden, Kaikoura, Akaroa, and Little River—</i> Magistrate and Coroner (fees), and Commissioner Native Land Court	500	
	Clerk, Kaiapoi and Rangiora, also Registrar of Electors	225	
	Clerk and Bailiff at Darfield, also Registrar of Electors	110	
20	<i>Timaru, Temuka, Ashburton, Geraldine, and Rakaia—</i> Magistrate, Coroner (fees), and Sheriff	475	
	Clerk (also Registrar of Electors)	275	
	Cadet	75	
	Bailiff	150	
	Clerk, Ashburton	240	
	Bailiff and Assistant Clerk	120	
21	<i>Greymouth, Reefton, Ahaura, Westport, Charleston, Lyell, and Murchison—</i> Magistrate, Warden, and Coroner (fees)	475	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue at Greymouth, and Registrar of Births, &c.	275	
	Clerk	175	
	Cadet	80	
	Bailiff	130	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, Reefton; Sheriff, Land Officer, and Registrar of Births, &c.	200	
	Bailiff and Assistant Clerk	150	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, Westport; Registrar of Electors, Local Land Officer, and Clerk to Agent Colliery Reserve	275	
	Cadet	95	
	Assistant Clerk and Bailiff	150	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, &c., Ahaura	150	
	Bailiff and Assistant Clerk	120	
22	<i>Hokitika, Ross, Stafford, Goldsborough, Kumara, and Okarito—</i> Magistrate, Sheriff, Registrar Supreme Court (also £325 as District Land Registrar and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps)	125	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, and Registrar of Electors	240	
	Cadet	85	
	Messenger and Office-cleaner, Magistrate's Court and Stamp and Deeds Offices	130	
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, Kumara, and Registrar of Births, &c.	220	
	Bailiff	110	
23	<i>Dunedin, Outram, Mosgiel, and Port Chalmers—</i> Magistrate and Coroner (fees)	550	
	4 Clerks: 1 at £325, 1 at £170, 1 at £130, 1 at £120	745	
	Bailiff	160	
	Assistant Bailiff	120	
	Clerk and Bailiff at Port Chalmers, and Registrar of Births, &c.	190	
24	<i>Oamaru, Palmerston, Hawksbury, Hampden, Waimate, Kurow, and Livingstone—</i> Magistrate and Coroner (fees)	500	
	Clerk at Oamaru, Registrar of Births &c., and Registrar of Electors	240	
	Cadet	50	
	Bailiff	150	
	Clerk and Bailiff at Waimate	150	

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DISTRICT, MAGISTRATES', AND WARDENS' COURTS— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 26— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
25	<i>Invercargill, Campbelltown, Wyndham, Lumsden, Riverton, Otautau, Orepuki, and Winton—</i>	
	Magistrate, Warden, and Coroner (fees)	475
	Clerk, also Registrar Supreme Court	285
	2 Clerks: 1 at £170, 1 at £130	300
	Cadet	105
	Bailiff, and Crier, &c., Supreme Court	155
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue, Riverton and Orepuki, and Registrar of Births, &c.	170
	Cadet	95
26	<i>Clyde, Alexandra, Cromwell, Roxburgh, Arrow, Queenstown, and Pembroke—</i>	
	Magistrate, Warden, and Coroner (fees)	450
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue at Clyde and Alexandra	275
	Cadet	65
	Clerk, Receiver of Gold Revenue, Registrar of Births, &c., at Cromwell	200
	Cadet	75
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue at Queenstown	220
	Cadet	70
27	<i>Naseby, Black's, St. Bathans, Hamilton's, Hyde, Middlemarch, and Macrae's—</i>	
	Magistrate, Warden, and Coroner (fees)	450
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue	220
	Bailiff and Assistant Clerk	175
28	<i>Lawrence, Gore, Milton, Balclutha, Kaitangata, Waikaiti, Tapanui, Clinton, and Owaka—</i>	
	Magistrate, Warden, and Coroner (fees)	450
	Clerk and Receiver of Gold Revenue at Lawrence, and Registrar of Births, &c., also Registrar of Electors	250
	Clerk	120
	Clerk at Gore	190
	Bailiff at Gore	60
29	<i>Chatham Islands—</i>	
	Magistrate, Customs Officer, Postmaster, &c.	250
	Clerk	15
30	Additional Magistrate	
31	96 Police Constables acting as Clerks of Courts: 91 at £10, 2 at £30, 3 at £15	
		1,015
		36,485
OTHER CHARGES—		
32	Travelling expenses and allowances	6,000
33	Mileage fees to be refunded to Bailiffs	3,500
34	Rents	330
35	Office-cleaners	1,650
		11,480
TOTAL—VOTE NO. 26		47,965

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CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	NATIVE LAND COURT.		1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ...		1903-4. 24	
	VOTE No. 27.			
	SALARIES—		£	£
1	<i>Head Office—</i>			
	Chief Judge (also Chief Judge Validation Court, and Registrar-General of Land, nil) ...		800	
	6 Judges: 2 at £550, 1 at £500, 2 at £400, 1 at £375		2,775	
	3 Clerks and Interpreters: 1 at £220, 1 at £180, 1 at £170		570	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £160		340	
	Clerk to Chief Judge		200	
2	<i>Auckland—</i>			
	Registrar (also Clerk Maori Land Administration, £65)		240	
	4 Clerks: 1 at £200, 1 at £195, 2 at £150		695	
3	<i>Wellington—</i>			
	Registrar (also Registrar under Maori Lands Administration Act, £75)		230	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £210, 1 at £130		340	
	Clerk and Interpreter		200	
4	<i>Gisborne—</i>			
	Registrar		240	
	Clerk		160	
			6,790	
	OTHER CHARGES—			
5	Payment of Assessors, Extra Clerks, and Interpreters...		1,150	
6	Travelling Allowances and Expenses		2,000	
7	Rent		200	
8	Contingencies		250	
			3,600	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 27 ...			10,390
	VALIDATION OF NATIVE TITLES.			
	Total number of officers ...		1903-4. 1	
	VOTE No. 28.			
	SALARIES—			
1	Judge under "The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893"		650	
2	OTHER CHARGES—			
	Assessors, Travelling-expenses and Contingencies		150	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 28 ...			800
	MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION.			
	Total number of officers ...		1903-4. 15	
	VOTE No. 29.			
	SALARIES—			
1	Recorder (also Registrar Native Land Court, Wellington, £230)		75	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £185, 1 at £130		315	
	2 Interpreters: 1 at £190, 1 at £110		300	
			690	
2	<i>Tokerau District Maori Land Council—</i>			
	Clerk and Interpreter		157	
3	<i>Wairariki District Maori Land Council—</i>			
	Clerk and Interpreter		157	
4	<i>Waikato District Maori Land Council—</i>			
	Clerk (also Registrar Native Land Court, Auckland, £240)		65	

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 29— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
5	<i>Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Council—</i>	
	President	340
	Clerk and Interpreter	157
6	<i>Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Council—</i>	
	Clerk and Interpreter	157
7	<i>Aotea District Maori Land Council—</i>	
	Clerk and Interpreter	156
8	<i>Ikaroa District Maori Land Council—</i>	
	President (also Superintendent Maori Councils, nil)	340
	Clerk and Interpreter	157
		1,686
OTHER CHARGES—		
9	Election of Councils	600
10	Contingencies, travelling allowances and expenses, extra clerical assistance, and other expenses in connection with the administration of the Act	900
		1,500
		3,876
	Less fees received and receivable by Councils and other recoveries	500
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 29	3,376
MAORI COUNCILS.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 2
VOTE No. 30.		
SALARIES—		
1	2 Sanitary Inspectors at £150	300
		300
OTHER CHARGES—		
2	Subsidies to Maori Councils	500
3	Contingencies	300
		800
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 30	1,100
CRIMINAL PROSECUTIONS.		
VOTE No. 31.		
1	Fees to Crown Solicitors and Prosecutors	3,000
2	Expenses of Witnesses	7,500
3	Payment of Jurors under "The Juries Act, 1880"	2,750
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 31	13,250
"CORONERS ACT, 1867."		
VOTE No. 32.		
1	Fees and Expenses on Inquests	3,000
2	Payment of Jurors	1,500
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 32	4,

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Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.			
VOTE No. 33.			
1	Advertising, purchase of books, &c.	100	
2	Compassionate allowance to widow of late Bailiff Redmond, Tauranga	50	
3	Compassionate allowance to widow of late Bailiff, Blenheim	150	
4	Compassionate allowance to widow of late Messenger Grantham, Patent Office, Wellington	50	
5	Compassionate allowance to Catherine Allen, widow of late John Allen, S.M., Blenheim	150	
6	Compilation of Maori history	400	
7	Deficiency in accounts of the late Deputy-Assignee, Hokitika	16	
8	Expenses of winding up companies under "Companies Act, 1901"	50	
9	Expenses under Shorthand Reporters Act	100	
10	Expenses incurred in connection with survey of Mangapapa No. 2 Block, as recommended by Lands Committee	100	
11	Expenses of Royal Commission under "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901"	534	
12	Extra clerical assistance, copying, interpreting, &c.	750	
13	Fees to Patent Office Agents	50	
14	Fidelity guarantee premiums	220	
15	Fuel, light, water, and cleaning	1,500	
16	Interest on £2,000, part purchase-money of Stewart Island	160	
17	Law-costs <i>in re</i> Hawke's Bay Native cases	100	
18	Native hostelries (to be refunded from Native Civil List)	3,000	
19	Native water-supply, Ohinemuri	1,000	
20	Payments to Printing Office for Patent Office <i>Gazette</i>	150	
21	Payment to Survey Department for lithographing, preparation of plans, &c.	500	
22	Purchase of reports and treatises for Crown Law Office	100	
23	Purchase of typewriters	100	
24	Refund of part of fine imposed on Mrs. Roy for breach of Stamp Act	15	
25	Refund of costs and deposits paid in connection with appeal case <i>re</i> Ruatoki Block, as recommended by Public Petitions Committee	55	
26	Refund of Native stamp duty on purchase of church-site, Porirua, as recommended by Public Petitions Committee	25	
27	Statutes Revision Commission	1,000	
28	Subscriptions to telephone exchanges	450	
29	Travelling allowances and expenses	400	
30	Contingencies	500	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 33			11,775
PRISONS.			
Increases under Regulation.			
		1903-4.	
Total number of officers		135	
VOTE No. 34.			
SALARIES—			
1	<i>Inspector's Office—</i>		
	Inspector of Prisons		700
	Clerk		250

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CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item-	PRISONS— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 34— <i>continued.</i>		
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
2	<i>Auckland—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	330
	Surgeon	...	100
	Matron	...	110
	Chief Warder	...	180
	3 Principal Warders at £160	...	480
	20 Warders: 7 at £150, 4 at £145, 1 at £140, 2 at £135, 2 at £130, 4 at £125	...	2,800
	Assistant Matron	...	75
3	<i>New Plymouth—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	300
	Surgeon	...	50
	Matron	...	40
	Principal Warder	...	160
	3 Warders: 2 at £135, 1 at £130	...	400
4	<i>Wellington Prisons—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	400
	Surgeon	...	100
	Matron	...	110
	Chief Warder	...	180
	2 Principal Warders at £160	...	320
	21 Warders: 6 at £150, 2 at £145, 3 at £135, 5 at £130, 2 at £125, 3 at £120	...	2,855
	Assistant Matron	...	75
5	<i>Wanganui—</i>		
	Gaoler, with rank of Chief Warder	...	195
	Surgeon	...	50
	Matron	...	40
	Principal Warder	...	160
	2 Warders: 1 at £150, 1 at £125	...	275
6	<i>Napier—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	250
	Surgeon	...	50
	Matron	...	40
	Principal Warder	...	160
	3 Warders: 1 at £150, 1 at £140, 1 at £120	...	410
7	<i>Westport—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	156
8	<i>Picton—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	156
9	<i>Lyttelton—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	400
	Surgeon	...	100
	Matron	...	110
	Chief Warder	...	180
	2 Principal Warders at £160	...	320
	14 Warders: 4 at £150, 1 at £145, 1 at £140, 3 at £135, 1 at £125, 4 at £120	...	1,895
	Assistant Matron	...	75
10	<i>Hokitika—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	230
	Surgeon (also Lunatic Asylum, £150)	...	50
	Matron	...	50
	Principal Warder	...	160
	2 Warders at £130	...	260
11	<i>Dunedin—</i>		
	Gaoler	...	300
	Surgeon (also Industrial School, £50)	...	100
	Matron	...	100
	Chief Warder	...	180
	2 Principal Warders at £160	...	320
	10 Warders: 2 at £150, 3 at £130, 3 at £125, 2 at £120	...	1,305
	Assistant Matron	...	70

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CLASS VII.—JUSTICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
	PRISONS—<i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 34—<i>continued.</i>		
	SALARIES—<i>continued.</i>		
12	<i>Invercargill—</i>		
	Gaoler	200	
	Matron	40	
	Principal Warder	160	
	3 Warders: 1 at £130, 2 at £125	380	
	Medical Attendance	50	
13	<i>Timaru—</i>		
	Gaoler	156	
14	<i>Oamaru—</i>		
	Gaoler	156	
15	<i>Clyde—</i>		
	Gaoler	156	
16	<i>Naseby—</i>		
	Gaoler	156	
		19,616	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
17	Clothing, Bedding, Furniture, &c.	1,400	
18	Coals and Materials for Brick-making	600	
19	Gas and Water	800	
20	Gratuities to Prisoners on Discharge	500	
21	Lodging-allowances	775	
22	Medicines and Medical Comforts	350	
23	Other Necessaries	300	
24	Payment to Dr. J. Teare in settlement of claims in case of Brown v. Teare	100	
25	Rations, Fuel, &c.	6,200	
26	Subscriptions to Telephones	100	
27	Temporary Officers	300	
28	Tools and Materials for Prison Labour, &c.	400	
29	Travelling-expenses, and Conveyance of Prisoners	900	
30	Uniforms for Prison Officers	400	
31	Barracks: Prisoners Tree-planting at Waitapu and Hanmer	3,000	
32	Contingencies	200	
		16,325	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	3,000	
		13,325	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 34		32,941
	TOTAL OF CLASS VII.		£142,074

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CLASS VIII.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

		1903-4.		
		Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
		£	£	£
Vote 35.—Postal and Telegraph Salaries—				
	Classified Officers ...	267,427	}	310,427
	Non-permanent Officers ...	43,000		
„	36.—Telegraph Cable Subsidies ...	...	10,000	10,000
„	37.—Conveyance of Mails by Sea ...	...	53,772	53,772
„	38.—Conveyance of Inland Mails ...	...	51,465	51,465
„	39.—Ocean Mail-services ...	...	622	622
„	40.—Carriage of Mails by Railway ...	...	19,301	19,301
„	41.—Maintenance of Telegraph and Telephone Lines ...	...	27,831	27,831
„	42.—Miscellaneous Services ...	...	53,687	53,687
TOTAL OF CLASS VIII. ...		310,427	216,678	527,105

Item.	No. of Officers.		Classification and Increases under Act.	1903-4.	
	1903 4.			£	£
POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH SALARIES.					
VOTE No. 35.					
FIRST DIVISION.					
1	1		Secretary ...	800	
	1		Superintendent of Electric Lines ...	750	
	1		Assistant Secretary and Inspector...	700	
				2,250	
CLEBICAL DIVISION.					
2	6		<i>First Class, First Grade.</i> —From £470 to £500, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each.		
			2 at £500, 4 at £470 ...	2,880	
3	5		<i>First Class, Second Grade.</i> —From £420 to £450, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each.		
			3 at £435, 2 at £420 ...	2,145	
4	2		<i>Second Class.</i> —From £370 to £400, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each.		
			1 at £400, 1 at £370 ...	770	
5	10		<i>Third Class.</i> —From £315 to £355, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each and One of £10.		
			3 at £355, 3 at £345, 2 at £330, 1 at £325, 1 at £315 ...	3,400	

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CLASS VIII.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>			1903-4.	
Item.	No. of Officers.	POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH SALARIES— <i>continued</i>		
			1903-4.	
		VOTE No. 35— <i>continued.</i>		
		CLERICAL DIVISION— <i>continued.</i>	£	£
6	18	<i>Fourth Class.</i> —From £260 to £300, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each and One of £10. 3 at £300, 2 at £290, 9 at £275, 4 at £260	4,995	
7	36	<i>Fifth Class, First Grade.</i> —From £235 to £250, by One Annual Increment of £15. 25 at £250, 11 at £235	8,835	
8	69	<i>Fifth Class, Second Grade.</i> —From £190 to £220, by Three Annual Increments of £10 each. 42 at £220, 25 at £210, 1 at £200, 1 at £190	14,880	
9	608	<i>Sixth Class.</i> —From £115 to £180, by Three Annual Increments of £15 each and Two of £10 each. Officers in this class with more than twenty years' service receive Two Annual Additional Increments of £10 each. Postal: 96 at £180, 14 at £170, 27 at £160, 8 at £150, 20 at £145, 16 at £130, 9 at £115 Telegraph: 263 at £180, 18 at £170, 50 at £160, 1 at £156, 1 at £150, 17 at £145, 46 at £130, 22 at £115	31,195	
10	...	<i>Sixth Class.</i> —Special section for Senior Officers of more than twenty years' service, two increments of £10, but without promotion from the class. 1 at £30, 100 at £20, 19 at £10	69,681	
11	341	<i>Cadets.</i> —From £40 to £100, by One Annual Increment of £10, One of £15, One of £20, and One of £15; with Lodging-allowance of £26 a Year for the First Two Years and £13 the Third when Cadet stationed from Home. 152 at £100, 67 at £85, 80 at £65, 41 at £50, 1 at £40	2,220	
12	4	<i>Chief Postmasters, First Grade.</i> —From £445 to £500, by Two Annual Increments of £20 each and One of £15. 2 at £500, 2 at £465	28,185	
13	8	<i>Chief Postmasters, Second Grade.</i> —From £370 to £425, by Three Annual Increments of £15 each and One of £10. 5 at £425, 1 at £415, 1 at £400, 1 at £385	1,930	
14	5	<i>Chief Postmasters, Third Grade.</i> —From £310 to £350, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each and One of £10. 3 at £350, 2 at £325	3,325	
15	15	<i>Postmasters, First Grade.</i> —From £260 to £300, by Two Annual Increments of £15 each and One of £10. 6 at £300, 5 at £290, 4 at £275	1,700	
16	27	<i>Postmasters, Second Grade.</i> —From £220 to £250, by Three Annual Increments of £10 each. 16 at £250, 5 at £240, 6 at £230	4,350	
			6,580	

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Item.	No. of Officers. 1903-4.	POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
			£	£
		VOTE No. 35— <i>continued.</i>		
		CLERICAL DIVISION— <i>continued.</i>		
17	29	<i>Postmasters, Third Grade.</i> —From £185 to £210, by One Annual Increment of £10 and One of £15. 18 at £210, 8 at £195, 3 at £185 ...	5,895	
18	34	<i>Postmasters, Fourth Grade.</i> —From £140 to £180, by Two Annual Increments of £10 each and One of £15. 2 at £200, 2 at £190, 28 at £180, 1 at £160, 1 at £150 ...	6,130	
		NON-CLEBICAL DIVISION.		
19	25	<i>Cadettes.</i> —From £40 to £120, by Three Annual Increments of £10 each, One of £15, and Seven of £5 each; with Lodging-allowance of £26 for the First Year, £20 the Second, £15 the Third, and £10 the Fourth Year, when Cadette stationed from Home. 11 at £120, 7 at £115, 1 at £110, 4 at £100, 1 at £95, 1 at £90 ...	2,820	
20	175	<i>Cadettes (Telephone Exchange).</i> —From £40 to £80, by Four Annual Increments of £10 each; with Lodging-allowance of £20 for the First Year, £10 the Second, and £5 the Third Year, when Cadette stationed from Home. 103 at £80, 10 at £70, 20 at £60, 42 at £50	12,240	
21	51	<i>Linemen, First Grade.</i> —From £135 to £150, by Three Annual Increments of £5 each. 1 at £155, 41 at £150, 2 at £145, 5 at £140, 1 at £135, 1 at £130 ...	7,560	
22	18	<i>Linemen, Second Grade.</i> —From £110 to £125, by Three Annual Increments of £5 each. 16 at £125, 1 at £115, 1 at £110 ...	2,225	
23	10	<i>Post Office Sorters.</i> —From £90 to £150, by Six Annual Increments of £10 each. 6 at £150, 2 at £130, 2 at £90 ...	1,340	
24	31	<i>Letter-carriers, First Grade.</i> —From £135 to £150, by Three Annual Increments of £5 each ... 1 at £155, 19 at £150, 2 at £145, 7 at £140, 2 at £135 ...	4,545	
25	45	<i>Letter-carriers, Second Grade.</i> —From £105 to £125, by One Annual Increment of £10 and Two of £5 each. 15 at £125, 18 at £120, 8 at £115, 4 at £105	5,375	
26	154	<i>Letter-carriers, Third Grade.</i> —From £60 to £100, by Two Annual Increments of £10 each and Two of £5 each. 5 at £95, 62 at £90, 41 at £80, 46 at £70 ...	12,555	
27	13	<i>Post Office Messengers, First Grade.</i> —From £105 to £140, by Two Annual Increments of £10 each and Three of £5 each. 1 at £140, 7 at £130, 2 at £125, 2 at £115, 1 at £100 ...	1,630	

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CLASS VIII.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	No. of Officers.	POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
			1903-4.	
		VOTE No. 35— <i>continued.</i>	£	£
		NON-CLERICAL DIVISION— <i>continued.</i>		
28	36	<i>Post Office Messengers, Second Grade.</i> —From £60 to £95, by Three Annual Increments of £10 each and One of £5 1 at £95, 9 at £90, 2 at £80, 18 at £70, 3 at £60, 3 at £50	2,655	
29	6	<i>Counter Clerks (Telegraph).</i> —From £110 to £150, by Four Annual Increments of £10 each. 2 at £150, 1 at £140, 2 at £130, 1 at £110	810	
30	11	<i>Assistant Counter Clerks (Telegraph).</i> —From £50 to £100, by Five Annual Increments of £10 each 1 at £100, 3 at £90, 3 at £80, 2 at £70, 2 at £60	870	
31	6	<i>Assistant Exchange Clerks.</i> —From £130 to £150, by Two Annual Increments of £10 each. 5 at £150, 1 at £140	890	
32	55	<i>Junior Exchange Clerks.</i> —From £60 to £120, by Four Annual Increments of £10 each and Four of £5 each. 1 at £125, 5 at £120, 2 at £115, 4 at £110, 2 at £105, 5 at £100, 9 at £90, 5 at £80, 19 at £70, 1 at £60, 2 at £50	4,805	
33	32	<i>Assistant Despatch Clerks.</i> —From £50 to £100, by Seven Annual Increments of £10 each. 4 at £120, 2 at £110, 1 at £100, 7 at £90, 7 at £80, 5 at £70, 6 at £60	2,700	
34	38	<i>Distributors.</i> —From £50 to £80, by Three Annual Increments of £10 each. 2 at £80, 12 at £70. 24 at £60	2,440	
35	9	<i>Post-office Boy Messengers.</i> —From £26 to £36, by One Annual Increment of £5, One of £3, and One of £2. 1 at £36, 2 at £34, 6 at £31	290	
36	465	<i>Telegraph Message Boys.</i> —From £26 to £36, by Increments of £5, £3, and £2. Message Boys	15,222	
			282,318	
		Less proportion of increases to Salaries provided for, but not payable during current year	6,683	
			275,635	
37	...	New Stations, Telegraphists, Cadets, and Messengers, and training Cadets	4,500	
			280,135	
		Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	12,975	
			267,160	
38	...	Contribution to Railway Department for combined Post-Telegraph-Railway Offices	10,000	

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CLASS VIII.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	No. of Officers.		1903-4.	
	1903-4.		£	£
			POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>	
			VOTE No. 35— <i>continued.</i>	
			NON-CLERICAL DIVISION— <i>continued.</i>	
39	...	1,650 Country Postmasters	33,000	
40	.	Salary of master of cable-steamer from 1st August, 1903, to 31st March, 1904. at £400 per annum	267	
			310,427	
		2,401		
		TOTAL—VOTE No. 35		310,427
			TELEGRAPH CABLE SUBSIDIES.	
			VOTE No. 36.	
1		Pacific Cable—New Zealand's proportion of estimated deficiency	10,000	
		TOTAL—VOTE No. 36		10,000
			CONVEYANCE OF MAILS BY SEA.	
			VOTE No. 37.	
1		Bluff and Stewart Island Services	245	
2		Invercargill and Te Oneroa	300	
3		Chatham Islands Service	300	
4		Blind Bay Service	125	
5		San Francisco Service (three-weekly)	17,500	
6		Cost of Transit from San Francisco to New York and from New York to Queenstown of Homeward Mails	6,132	
7		Interprovincial Service (San Francisco Service)	4,500	
8		Suez Services	4,000	
9		Mail Agents and Travelling-allowance	1,000	
10		Auckland Steam Services	1,140	
11		Hokitika and Southern Ports Service	600	
12		Westport and Karamea and Little Wanganui Services	400	
13		Fiji Service	1,690	
14		New Zealand and Pacific Islands Service	1,200	
15		Great Barrier Service	250	
16		Vancouver Service	200	
17		Wellington and Pelorus Sound Service	365	
18		Wellington—Motueka Service	475	
19		Salary, Resident Agent, San Francisco (also £50 from Department of Commerce and Industries)	50	
20		Postal Union Transit Charges	700	
21		Gratuities for the Conveyance of Letters and Printed Matter	12,000	
22		Landing and shipping Mails	600	
		TOTAL—VOTE No. 37		53,772

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CLASS VIII.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
CONVEYANCE OF INLAND MAILS.		
VOTE No. 38.		
1	Auckland	8,400
2	Thames	2,100
3	New Plymouth	1,400
4	Napier	3,350
5	Gisborne	1,120
6	Wanganui	4,650
7	Wellington	6,450
8	Blenheim	1,025
9	Nelson	2,165
10	Westport	1,130
11	Greymouth	875
12	Hokitika	1,160
13	Christchurch	5,000
14	Timaru	1,480
15	Oamaru	590
16	Dunedin	7,120
17	Invercargill	2,700
18	Additional amount required on account of increased tendering, new services, &c., for triennium 1904-6— One quarter, 1st January, 1904, to 31st March, 1904, at £3,000 per annum	750
TOTAL—VOTE No. 38		51,465
OCEAN MAIL-SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 39.		
1	Transit of Mails <i>via</i> Vancouver across Canada during 1898-99	622
TOTAL—VOTE No. 39		622
CARRIAGE OF MAILS BY RAILWAY.		
VOTE No. 40.		
1	Carriage of Mails by Special Trains	1,500
2	Haulage of Mail-car, Auckland-Hamilton	
	Conveyance of Ordinary Mails by Railway	£42,458 0 0
	Less Cost of Postage, Telegrams, Tele- phone-exchange Connections, Post- office Box Rents, &c.	24,657 0 0
		17,801
TOTAL—VOTE No. 40		19,301
MAINTENANCE OF TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE LINES.		
VOTE No. 41.		
1	Extra Labour	15,000
2	Material for Repairs	12,000
3	Refund to Baxter Bros. of deposit on cancelled contract for telegraph arms	81
4	Subsidy to Marine Department for s.s. "Tutanekai" for Cable Laying and Repairing, including wages and up-keep of the steamer from 1st August, 1903, to 31st March, 1904	1,250
5	Travelling-expenses of Inspectors and Linemen	5,500
		33,831
Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"		6,000
TOTAL—VOTE No. 41		27,831

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 42.		
1	Stationery, &c.	10,000
2	Special Allowance to Telegraph Messengers during their First Year's Service	1,000
3	Light, Fuel, and Water	6,000
4	Advertising and Printing	600
5	Allowances to Tellers for Calculation of Savings-Bank Interest, to Clerks in Railway Travelling Post-offices, House Allowances, Forage, &c.	5,000
6	Carriage of Private Bags	350
7	Cleaning and Scavenging	2,600
8	Compensation to W. Wise for injury sustained while employed by Department	75
9	Deficiencies due to fires, burglaries, &c., at the follow- ing offices:—	
	Upper Symonds Street (burglary)	£17
	Caversham (burglary)	35
	Woodlands (burglary)	11
	Otaki (fire)	15
	Tinakori Road (burglary)	34
		112
10	Lodging Allowances to Cadets	3,000
11	Overtime	2,500
12	Office Expenses	4,000
13	Parcel-post Expenses	3,750
14	Postal Inspectors' Travelling-expenses	1,000
15	Purchase and Hire of Bicycles, and Allowances to Letter- carriers, &c., using their own Machines	1,000
16	Rent of Premises for Post-office Savings-bank, Wellington at £900 per annum	900
17	Repairs, Fittings, New Buildings, &c.	3,000
18	Temporary Letter-carriers and Messengers	4,500
19	Travelling, Removal, and Relieving Expenses	7,000
20	Uniform Clothing	2,300
		58,687
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	5,000
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 42	53,687
TOTAL OF CLASS VIII.		£527,105

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CLASS IX.—CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 43.—Customs Offices and Services ...	30,772	5,714	36,486
„ 44.—Customs : Miscellaneous Services ...	...	3,960	3,960
TOTAL OF CLASS IX. ...	30,772	9,674	40,446

Item.	CUSTOMS OFFICES AND SERVICES.	1903-4.	
		£	£
	Total number of officers ...	1903-4. 158	
	VOTE No. 43.		
	SALARIES—		
1	<i>Head Office—</i>		
	Secretary and Inspector of Customs, and Secretary, Marine Department		700
	Chief Clerk		400
	3 Clerks: 1 at £170, 1 at £145, 1 at £115		430
	Clerk (Audit)		300
	Writer (Audit) (including extra-duty pay)		300
	Cadet at £95		95
	Messenger and Storeman		140
	Customs Expert		800
2	<i>Auckland—</i>		
	Collector		600
	Landing Surveyor		385
	First Clerk		300
	5 Clerks: 1 at £160, 1 at £150, 1 at £125, 1 at £115, 1 at £105		655
	5 Cadets: 1 at £95, 1 at £85, 1 at £75, 1 at £50, 1 at £40		345
	Clerk and Warehouse Keeper		190
	7 Landing Waiters and Examining Officers: 1 at £260, 1 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £225, 1 at £200, 2 at £180		1,535
	Tide Surveyor and Examining Officer		230
	4 Lockers: 1 at £183, 1 at £175, 2 at £164		686
	3 Lockers (Writers) at £187		561
	Messenger at 7s. 6d. per day		138
	Boatman at 8s. 6d. per day		156
3	<i>Whangarei—</i>		
	Coastwaiter (also Postal Officer)		50
4	<i>Whangaroa—</i>		
	Coastwaiter		50
5	<i>Thames—</i>		
	Coastwaiter		50
6	<i>New Plymouth—</i>		
	Collector and Examining Officer		350
	Clerk		115
	Officer at Waitara		75
7	<i>Wanganui—</i>		
	Collector and Examining Officer		375
	Clerk and Landing Waiter		270
	2 Cadets: 1 at £95, 1 at £60		155

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CLASS IX.—CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.
CUSTOMS OFFICES AND SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>	
VOTE No. 43—<i>continued.</i>	
SALARIES—<i>continued.</i>	
	£ £
8	<i>Wellington—</i>
	Collector 500
	Landing Surveyor 400
	First Clerk 290
	2 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £115 295
	7 Cadets: 1 at £95, 1 at £85, 2 at £75, 1 at £60, 2 at £40 470
	Tide Surveyor 200
	Warehouse Keeper 180
	8 Landing Waiters and Examining Officers: 1 at £290, 1 at £230, 1 at £220, 2 at £200, 1 at £190, 1 at £170, 1 at £160 1,660
	2 Lockers (Writers) at £187 374
	4 Lockers at 10s. per day 624
	1 Boatman at 8s. per day, and 1 Messenger at 8s. per day 292
9	<i>Napier—</i>
	Collector and Surveyor 400
	Landing Waiter and Locker 260
	2 Clerks: 1 at £140, 1 at £115 255
	Cadet at £95 95
10	<i>Poverty Bay—</i>
	Collector and Examining Officer 320
	Cadet 40
11	<i>Wairau—</i>
	Officer in Charge (also Registrar of Births, &c., nil) 255
12	<i>Nelson—</i>
	Collector and Surveyor (also Magistrate and Sheriff and Warden, £50) 425
	Landing Waiter and Examining Officer 250
	Clerk and Locker 140
	Cadet 75
13	<i>Westport—</i>
	Collector and Examining Officer 310
	Cadet 65
14	<i>Greymouth—</i>
	Collector and Examining Officer 310
	Locker and Messenger 160
15	<i>Hokitika—</i>
	Collector and Examining Officer 270
16	<i>Bluff Harbour—</i>
	Officer in Charge 180
17	<i>Invercargill—</i>
	Collector and Surveyor 380
	Clerk and Warehouse Keeper 135
	Landing Waiter and Examining Officer 250
	Locker 156
	Cadet 40
18	<i>Dunedin—</i>
	Collector 550
	Landing Surveyor 335
	First Clerk 280
	3 Clerks: 1 at £160, 1 at £125, 1 at £115 400
	5 Cadets: 2 at £85, 1 at £75, 1 at £65, 1 at £50 360
	6 Landing Waiters and Examining Officers: 1 at £290, 1 at £270, 1 at £260, 1 at £240, 1 at £220, 1 at £200 1,480
	5 Lockers at 10s. per day 780
	2 Lockers (Writers) at £187 374
	Messenger at 8s. per day 146
19	<i>Port Chalmers—</i>
	Tide Surveyor and Examining Officer 300
20	<i>Oamaru—</i>
	Collector and Examining Officer 310
21	<i>Timaru—</i>
	Collector and Examining Officer 375
	Cadet 95

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CLASS IX.—CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
CUSTOMS OFFICES AND SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 43— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
22	<i>Lyttelton and Christchurch—</i>	£
	Collector	475
	Landing Surveyor	350
	First Clerk	280
	4 Clerks: 1 at £170, 1 at £145, 1 at £125, 1 at £115...	555
	4 Cadets: 1 at £85, 1 at £75, 1 at £65, 1 at £50	275
	Tide Surveyor	250
	1 Warehouse Keeper	175
	4 Landing Waiters and Examining Officers: 1 at £240, 1 at £210, 1 at £200, 1 at £170	820
	2 Lockers (Writers) at £187	374
	3 Lockers: 2 at 10s. per day, 1 at 8s. per day	437
	Boatman	127
	Messenger at 7s. 6d. per day	137
	Contribution to other Votes—	
23	Marine and Harbours	85
24	Postal and Telegraph	80
25	Working Railways	75
		30,772
OTHER CHARGES—		
26	Cost of Instruments, Books, Uniform Trimmings, &c. ...	50
27	Expenses connected with Customs and Excise Convictions and Seizures	500
28	Expenses of Head Office and Local Offices...	850
29	Hire of Boats and Launches	160
30	Local Chemical Analysts	400
31	Rewards, &c., Prevention of Smuggling, Illicit Distilla- tion, and Opium Importation	400
32	Telephones	200
33	Tidewaiters, Extra Clerical and other Assistance	1,700
34	Travelling Allowances and Expenses	1,600
35	Contingencies	150
		6,010
	Less contributions from Defence and Police De- partments	296
		5,714
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 43 ...	36,486
CUSTOMS: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 44.		
OTHER CHARGES—		
1	Bonus on exportation of canned and cured fish	700
2	Compassionate allowance to widow of E. Patten, late Collector of Customs	150
3	Drawback on goods shipped to Cook Islands, notwith- standing anything to the contrary in "The Cook and other Islands Government Act, 1901"	200
4	Expenses under "The Immigration Restriction Act, 1899"	50
5	Refund of duty on bronze statue of the late Queen, and tablets in memory of fallen troopers	399
6	Refund of duty on machinery for Calliope Dock, Auckland	676
7	Refund of duty on memorial to deceased troopers and in commemoration of the Coronation of His Majesty the King	200
8	Refund of duty on memorial bust of late Sir J. McKenzie	36
9	Refund of duty on memorial statue to Her late Majesty Queen Victoria	500

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Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
	CUSTOMS: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES— <i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 44— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES— <i>continued.</i>		
10	Refund of duty on beer-duty stamps placed on casks of beer spoiled in process of brewing ...	45	
11	Refund of duty on hat-making machinery ...	484	
12	Refund of duty on glass window in memory of the late R. J. S. Harman, Christchurch ...	26	
13	Refund of duty on memorial tablet to the late F. M. Russell, of the Third New Zealand Contingent ...	6	
14	Refund of duty on statuary obtained for the Albert Park, Auckland ...	209	
15	Refund of duty on a stained-glass window placed in Christ College Chapel in memory of Dean Jacobs ...	7	
16	Refund of duty on hat-making machinery ...	8	
17	Refund of duty on the post-office clock, Gisborne ...	64	
18	Refund of poll-tax collected in error under "The Chinese Immigrants Act Amendment Act, 1896" ...	100	
19	Remission of duty on furniture, Veterans' Home ...	100	
		3,960	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 44 ...		3,960
TOTAL OF CLASS IX.			£40,446

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**CLASS X.—MARINE AND HARBOURS AND INSPECTION
OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENTS.**

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 45—Marine and Harbours...	15,486	10,685	26,171
„ 46.—Government Steamers	...	10,030	10,030
„ 47.—Inspection of Machinery	5,061	3,645	8,706
„ 48.—Marine: Miscellaneous Services	...	11,728	11,728
TOTAL OF CLASS X.	20,547	36,088	56,635

Item.	MARINE AND HARBOURS.		1903-4.	
		1903-4.	£	£
	Total number of officers	...	119	
	VOTE No. 45.			
1	SALARIES—			
	MARINE HEAD OFFICE			
	Secretary	...	400	
	Chief Clerk	...	320	
	Clerk	...	260	
	Clerk	...	185	
	Cadet	...	85	
	Cadet (3 months, at £65)	...	16	
	Nautical Adviser, Inspector and Surveyor of Ships, and Examiner of Masters and Mates	...	450	
			1,716	
	HARBOURS—			
2	<i>Manukau—</i>			
	Harbourmaster and Pilot (also Inspector of Fisheries, £10)	...	220	
	Signalman	...	130	
	Boatman at £8 per month	...	96	
	Lightkeeper at Heads	...	130	
3	<i>Auckland—</i>			
	Bean Rock Lightkeeper	...	160	
4	<i>Hokianga—</i>			
	Harbourmaster and Pilot and Coast Waiter	...	150	
	2 Boatmen at £6 10s. per month	...	156	
5	<i>Kaipara—</i>			
	Harbourmaster and Pilot and Customs Officer	...	250	
	2 Signalmen (also Lightkeepers)	...	30	
	Chief Boatman at £10 per month	...	120	
	Boatman at £7 10s. per month	...	90	
6	<i>Mokau—</i>			
	Signalman	...	40	
7	<i>Opunake—</i>			
	Signalman	...	25	
8	<i>Foxton—</i>			
	Harbourmaster and Pilot	...	190	
9	<i>Wellington—</i>			
	Assistant Lightkeeper, Somes Island	...	110	
10	<i>Napier Bluff Lighthouse—</i>			
	Lightkeeper	...	20	

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CLASS X.—MARINE AND HARBOURS, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—*continued.*

Item	1903-4.	
	£	£
MARINE AND HARBOURS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 45— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
HARBOURS— <i>continued.</i>		
11	Wairau—	
	Signalman	145
12	Waitapu—	
	Harbourmaster	25
13	Collingwood—	
	Harbourmaster and Lightkeeper	35
14	Karamea—	
	Signalman	40
15	Okarito—	
	Harbourmaster	50
		2,212
	Less contributions from Customs Vote	85
		2,127
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
16	Buoys and beacons, and gas for lights	200
17	Buoys and beacons, Aotea Harbour	30
18	Buoy-chain, stores, and oil	500
19	Iron buoys	120
20	Removal of snags, Wairau River	50
21	Removal of buildings, Foxton Pilot-station	380
22	Wages and rent	300
23	Sand-scoops for Okarito	25
24	Report on Wairoa River	60
25	Contingencies	350
		2,015
LIGHTHOUSES—		
26	<i>Salaries—</i>	
	29 Principal Keepers: 1 at £180, 15 at £160, 6 at £150, 1 at £140, 6 at £130	4,400
	42 Assistant Keepers: 3 at £130, 8 at £120, 10 at £110, 8 at £100, 12 at £90, and 1 at £50	4,380
	3 Keepers for six months	155
	Artificer	210
		9,145
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
27	Carriage of mails	170
28	Keeper's station and travelling-allowances	400
29	Oil and stores	3,900
30	Repairs to lighthouses, dwellings, &c.	850
31	Wages of temporary keepers	300
32	Repairs to road, Puysegur Point	60
33	Contingencies	350
		6,030
		15,175
WEATHER-REPORTING OFFICER—		
34	Wellington	350
SUPERINTENDENTS OF MERCANTILE MARINE AND EXAMINERS OF MASTERS AND MATES—		
35	1 each at Auckland, Wellington, Lyttelton, and Dunedin, at £265 a year	1,060
36	Assistance	300
		1,360
PROTECTION OF FISH AND OYSTERS—		
37	<i>Salaries—</i>	
	Chief Inspector of Fisheries	300
	6 Inspectors: 1 at £117, 1 at £25, 1 at £24, 3 at £10	196
	Wages of attendants, Hakataramea Hatchery	292
		788

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CLASS X.—MARINE AND HARBOURS, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MARINE AND HARBOURS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 45— <i>continued.</i>		
PROTECTION OF FISH AND OYSTERS— <i>continued.</i>		
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
38	Fish-hatcheries	1,000
39	Import of salmon-ova	250
40	Salmon-hatchery at Hakataramea	330
41	Survey of Foveaux Strait oyster-beds	160
42	Import of white-fish ova	300
43	Supply of fish-ova and acclimatisation of fish	300
44	Travelling-expenses and contingencies	300
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 45	2,640
		26,171
GOVERNMENT STEAMERS.		
VOTE No. 46.		
1	Working-expenses of Government steamers within or outside the colony	11,000
2	New machinery, repairs, alterations, &c.	150
3	New propeller boss; insulating ends of boiler	320
4	Gratuity to Fireman John Blair on retirement	60
		11,530
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	1,500
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 46	10,030
INSPECTION OF MACHINERY AND SURVEY OF STEAMERS.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 20
VOTE No. 47.		
<i>Salaries—</i>		
1	Chief Inspector of Machinery, Principal Engineer Surveyor, &c.	475
	15 Inspectors of Machinery and Engineer Surveyors: 1 at £325, 1 at £300, 2 at £295, 8 at £285, 1 at £275, 1 at £275 (6 months), and 1 temporary (4 months)	4,006
	2 Clerks: 1 at £235 (also Private Secretary to Right Hon. the Premier, £25), 1 at £230	465
	2 Cadets: 1 at £75, 1 at £40	115
		5,061
<i>Other Charges—</i>		
2	Travelling allowances and expenses	2,300
3	Rent, cleaning offices, and fuel... ..	400
4	Advertising	50
5	Alterations and repairs to offices	25
6	Compassionate allowance to widow of the late R. G. Stone, temporary clerk in the Inspector of Machinery's Office	117
7	Furniture and additions to offices	50
8	Gas	25
9	Reimbursement to H. Wetherilt of money lost in wreck of s.s. "Elingamite"	13
10	Telephone rents	50
11	Travelling expenses and allowances of H. Wetherilt (including railway fare of himself and wife, Dunedin to Invercargill)	15
12	Contingencies	600
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 47	3,645
		8,706

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS X.—MARINE AND HARBOURS, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MARINE: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 48.		
MARINE: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—		
1	Charts and books	120
2	Checking overcrowding of steamers, and legal expenses	200
3	Compensation to Charles Moeller on account of his long services in Marine Department	50
4	Compensation for loss of office to S. A. Leech, late Harbourmaster, Westport	50
5	Compassionate allowance to Joseph Collier for past services as pilot	50
6	Contribution to Public Health Department Vote	36
7	Dolphins at Karamea Wharf	45
8	Expenses connected with inquiries into wrecks, relief of distressed seamen, and survey of unseaworthy ships	350
9	Fog-signals	500
10	Landing-jetty at Castlepoint	150
11	Leading-lights for Kawhia	30
12	Maintenance of Waitapu Leading-lights	50
13	Moiety of cost of survey of coast by H.M.S. "Penguin"	7,938
14	N.Z. Nautical Almanac	280
15	Oil-launch for Manukau Harbour	250
16	Payment of crew of boat which intercepted the s.s. "Zealandia" to give news of the wreck of the s.s. "Elingamite"	35
17	Pension to widow of late Lightkeeper P. A. Deck	24
18	Rent and expenses connected with examinations, &c.	100
19	Repairs to Motueka protective works	60
20	Snagging the Mokau River	25
21	Subsidy to steamer for Kaipara Harbour work	340
22	Tide-gauges	175
23	Wharf, Manukau Harbour	100
24	Wairau River protective works	320
25	Contingencies	550
		11,828
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	100
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 48	11,728
TOTAL OF CLASS X.		£56,635

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CLASS XI.—PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 49.—Printing and Stationery ...	22,469	20,022	42,491
TOTAL OF CLASS XI. ...	22,469	20,022	42,491

Item	1903-4.	
Classification and Increases under Regulation.	£	£
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.		
		1903-4.
	Total number of officers ...	336
VOTE No. 49.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Government Printer, Manager of Stationery Office, and Controller of Stamp Printing ...	540
	Superintending Overseer ...	300
	Chief Clerk and Accountant ...	325
	Copy Supervisor (also <i>Hansard</i> Supervisor, £125) ...	225
	6 Clerks: 1 at £230, 2 at £190, 2 at £160, 1 at £120 ...	1,050
	2 Cadets: 1 at £75, 1 at £70 ...	145
	2 Warehousemen: 1 at £175, 1 at £156 ...	331
	8 Overseers and Sub-overseers: 1 at £285, 1 at £250, 1 at £246, 1 at £240, 1 at £216, 1 at £205, 1 at £200, 1 at £197 ...	1,839
	4 Readers: 1 at £240, 1 at £220, 1 at £205, 1 at £202 ...	867
	Type Storeman ...	195
	Divider ...	190
	25 Compositors: 5 at £180, 1 at £174, 4 at £172, 2 at £166, 6 at £164, 7 at £160 ...	4,198
	16 Binding Storekeeper, Book-finishers, Bookbinders, and Paper-rulers: 1 at £195, 1 at £189, 2 at £180, 3 at £172, 3 at £164, 6 at £160 ...	2,712
	Forewoman, Girls' Room ...	120
	23 Folders and Sewers: 1 at £78, 5 at £65, 7 at £58, 10 at £52 ...	1,329
	9 Machinemen, Pressman, &c.: 1 at £178, 1 at £165, 1 at £166, 1 at £160, 2 at £156, 2 at £154, 1 at £146 ...	1,435
	4 Stamp Printers and Perforator: 1 at £285, 1 at £195, 1 at £180, 1 at £130 ...	790
	2 Stereotyper and Electrotyper: 1 at £325, 1 at £164 ...	489
	2 Engineer and Engine-driver: 1 at £220, 1 at £155 ...	375
	Carpenter ...	156
	Packer ...	142
2	Folders, Sewers, and Machine-workers (females) ...	1,400
3	Apprentices, Machine Boys, Reader Boys, Errand Boys, Perforators, and Gummers ...	2,000
4	Piecework and Occasional Hands (including Contract Work for Railways, Insurance, Post and Telegraph, Public Trust, and other Departments) ...	11,000
		32,153

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CLASS XI.—PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT—<i>con.</i>		
VOTE No. 49—<i>continued.</i>		
OTHER CHARGES—		
5	Stationery, Paper, Parchment, &c.	19,500
6	Stores, Bookbinding Material, Printing Ink	2,500
7	Freight, Packing, Insurance, Wharf Labour, &c.	2,750
8	Machinery, Type, and Printing Material	1,750
9	Binding Statutes for Public Libraries	100
10	Blocking-press and bookbinding tools for Parliamentary Library	60
11	Fuel, Gas, and Lighting	500
12	Overtime	500
13	Printing Consolidated Statutes	500
14	To meet payment under "The Workers' Compensation for Accidents Act, 1900"	400
15	Two linotype and two monotype machines... ..	3,712
16	Type for consolidated statutes	300
17	Water-rates	150
18	Contingencies	300
		33,022
LITHOGRAPHIC AND PHOTOGRAPHIC BRANCH.		
19	SALARIES—	
	Foreman Lithographer and Photographer	270
	4 Draughtsmen: 2 at £270, 1 at £204, 1 at £164	908
	11 Lithographic Printers, &c.: 2 at £175, 1 at £172, 1 at £170, 5 at £165, 1 at £156, 1 at £117	1,790
	4 Stone-grinders, &c.: 1 at £156, 1 at £141, 1 at £135, 1 at £125	557
	3 Photographer's Assistants and Etchers: 1 at £185, 1 at £156, 1 at £135	476
	Charwoman	65
	9 Machine-feeders, &c.	250
		4,316
20	OTHER CHARGES—	
	Paper, Ink, Stores, &c.	750
21	Machinery	250
		5,316
		70,491
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	28,000
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 49	42,491
TOTAL OF CLASS XI.		£42,491

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CLASS XII.—STAMP AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 50.—Stamp Department ...	5,461	2,755	8,216
„ 51.—Land and Deeds Registry ...	9,944	10,383	20,327
TOTAL OF CLASS XII. ...	15,405	13,138	28,543

Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
	STAMP DEPARTMENT.		
	Total number of officers ...		1903-4. 28
	VOTE No. 50.		
	SALARIES—		
1	<i>Head Office—</i>		
	Secretary, Controller Legacy Duties, Deputy Commissioner, and Registrar Joint-stock Companies ...	650	
	Chief Clerk and Accountant ...	300	
	Valuator Deceased Persons' Estates (also Accountant Land and Income Tax Department, £350, and Accountant Advances to Settlers Office, £50) ...	100	
	Custodian and Issuer of Stamps ...	270	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £220, 1 at £200 ...	420	
	Chief Stamper ...	250	
	8 Stampers: 1 at £135, 1 at £130, 1 at £100, 1 at £90, 1 at £65, 1 at £40, 1 at £35, 1 at £30 (six months) ...	610	
	Messenger at 8s. a day ...	146	
2	<i>Auckland—</i>		
	2 Clerks: 1 at £240, 1 at £170 ...	410	
3	<i>Wellington—</i>		
	Clerk ...	210	
	Cadette ...	90	
	Cadet ...	65	
4	<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>		
	Clerk ...	100	
5	<i>Canterbury—</i>		
	Deputy Commissioner ...	265	
	2 Cadets: 1 at £85, 1 at £70 ...	155	
6	<i>Otago—</i>		
	Deputy Commissioner ...	305	
	Cadet ...	100	
	Cadette ...	70	
7	<i>Invercargill—</i>		
	Clerk ...	160	
8	<i>Contributions to Votes—</i>		
	“ Land and Deeds Registry ” ...	785	
		5,461	

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Item.	STAMP DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 50— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES—		
9	Auditing stamps	87	
10	Cleaning offices	25	
11	Extra assistance	300	
12	Gas, water, and fuel	20	
13	Legal expenses	250	
14	New dies (King's head) for envelopes and letter-cards, &c.	84	
15	Postage-stamp and other paper	900	
16	Printing-inks	250	
17	Remission of duty on estates of deceased members of contingents	100	
18	Refund of duty in the estate of William Geary, deceased	4	
19	Travelling allowances and expenses	150	
20	Three special plates for universal penny stamps	285	
21	To meet defalcations of the late Chief Clerk, Stamp Department, Wellington	150	
22	Contingencies	150	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 50	2,755	8,216
	LAND AND DEEDS REGISTRY.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 44	
	VOTE No. 51.		
	SALARIES—		
1	<i>Auckland</i> —		
	District Land Registrar	550	
	Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Chief Clerk	275	
	Draughtsman	250	
	3 Clerks: 1 at £190, 2 at £165	520	
2	<i>Taranaki</i> —		
	Assistant Land Registrar and Deputy Registrar of Deeds	270	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £150, 1 at £115	265	
3	<i>Wellington</i> —		
	District Land Registrar	550	
	Examiner of Titles	350	
	Chief Clerk	230	
	Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Assistant Land Registrar	315	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £150	330	
	Typiste, Wellington (six months)	50	
	Messenger	139	
4	<i>Hawke's Bay</i> —		
	District Land Registrar and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps	500	
	Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Chief Clerk	270	
5	<i>Poverty Bay</i> —		
	District Land Registrar and Examiner of Titles (also President Maori Land Council and Judge of Validation and Native Land Court, nil)	400	
	Assistant Land Registrar, Deputy Registrar of Deeds, and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps	270	
6	<i>Nelson</i> —		
	Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps	270	
	Clerk	125	
	Cadet	70	

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CLASS XII.—STAMP AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
	LAND AND DEEDS REGISTRY—<i>continued.</i>	
	VOTE No. 51— <i>continued.</i>	
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>	
7	<i>Marlborough—</i>	
	District Land Registrar and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps	250
8	<i>Canterbury—</i>	
	District Land Registrar and Registrar of Deeds	550
	Assistant Land Registrar and Chief Clerk	275
	Deputy Registrar of Deeds	200
	2 Clerks: 1 at £200, 1 at £170	370
	3 Cadets: 1 at £105, 1 at £95, 1 at £85	285
	Cadette	85
9	<i>Westland—</i>	
	District Land Registrar, Registrar Supreme Court, Sheriff, and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps (also £125 as Magistrate)	325
	Clerk (and for Stamp and Supreme Court Offices)	165
10	<i>Otago—</i>	
	District Land Registrar	550
	Assistant Land Registrar and Chief Clerk	275
	2 Clerks: 1 at £195, 1 at £180	375
	Office-cleaner	40
11	<i>Southland—</i>	
	District Land Registrar, Deputy Commissioner of Stamps, and Registrar Supreme Court	425
	Assistant Land Registrar and Chief Clerk	260
	2 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £120	300
		10,729
	Less contributions from Stamp Department	785
		9,944
	OTHER CHARGES—	
12	Advertising	600
13	Binding books	150
14	Book Typewriter	33
15	Cleaning offices	80
16	Compassionate allowance to widow of D. Kelly, Recording Clerk, Lands and Deeds, Auckland, as recommended by Public Petitions Committee	75
17	Contract work for recording, &c.	2,600
18	Draughtsman's work performed by the Survey Department	3,500
19	Extra assistance	2,400
20	Fuel, light, and water	150
21	Rent	525
22	Travelling allowances and expenses	200
23	Contingencies	70
		10,383
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 51	20,327
	TOTAL OF CLASS XII.	£28,543

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CLASS XIII.—MINISTER OF EDUCATION.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 52.—Head Office	4,769	948	5,712
„ 53.—Public Schools ... ..	...	456,282	456,282
„ 54.—Secondary Education ... ..	...	23,050	23,050
„ 55.—Drill in Schools	300	5,340	5,640
„ 56.—Native Schools	17,250	3,325	20,575
„ 57.—Industrial Schools	6,906	17,128	24,034
„ 58.—School for Deaf-mutes	2,415	1,792	4,207
„ 59.—School for Blind .. ... ..	...	639	639
„ 60.—Technical Instruction	710	15,820	16,530
„ 61.—Miscellaneous Services ... ..	...	4,289	4,289
TOTAL OF CLASS XIII.	32,350	528,608	560,958

Item.	EDUCATION DEPARTMENT. HEAD OFFICE.	1903-4.	
		1903-4. 26	
	Total number of officers	26	
	VOTE No. 52.		
1	SALARIES—		£
	Secretary and Inspector-General	650	£
	Assistant Secretary	450	
	Chief Clerk and Accountant	350	
	Clerk (also Inspector of Industrial Schools)	270	
	8 Clerks: 1 at £240, 1 at £202, 1 at £182, 1 at £180, 1 at £175, 1 at £170, 1 at £130, 1 at £120	1,399	
	11 Cadets: 1 at £100, 1 at £95, 6 at £85, 3 at £65	900	
	Clerk (also Private Secretary to Attorney-General, £25)	345	
	Clerk (also Private Secretary to the Right Hon. the Premier, £25)	240	
	2 Messengers: 1 at 8s. per diem, 1 at 1s. per diem (also Messenger, Colonial Secretary's Department, at £138)	165	
		4,769	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
2	Clerical assistance	425	
3	Cleaning, fuel, &c., for Branch Office	30	
4	Travelling-expenses	350	
5	Telephone subscriptions	63	
6	Books of reference	25	
7	Contingencies	50	
		943	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 52		5,712

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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	

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DRILL IN SCHOOLS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 55— <i>continued.</i>		
9	Shooting-prizes paid cadets in error	3
10	Travelling-expenses	120
11	Contingencies	50
		5,740
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	400
		5,340
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 55	5,640
NATIVE SCHOOLS.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 197
1	VOTE No. 56.	
	SALARIES—	
	Salaries of Masters, &c., for Village Schools	16,500
	Organizing Inspector	450
	Assistant Inspector	300
		17,250
2	OTHER CHARGES—	
3	Allowances for warming Schoolrooms, Flags, Pictures, &c. Boarding-school Charges, Apprenticeship, and Higher Education of Native Youths (including material, passages, &c.)	100
4	Books, Sewing Material, and other Requisites	2,600
5	Carriage of School Furniture	550
6	Expenses of Magic-lanterns	20
7	Ferrying Children	25
8	Planting-sites	80
9	Special Allowances to Teachers in isolated Districts	30
10	Technical Schools and Classes (including material, instructors, scholarships, &c.)	120
11	Travelling-expenses (including removals of teachers)	850
12	Contingencies	800
		150
		5,325
	Amount to be recovered from the Civil List	2,000
		3,325
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 56	20,575
INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 88
1	VOTE No. 57.	
	SALARIES—	
	Assistant Inspector	275
	3 Visiting Officers of Boarded-out and Service Inmates: 1 at £188 (6 months), 1 at £186, 1 at £156	436
	Schools—	
2	Auckland—	
	Manager	135
	Medical Officer	50
	Attendants	211
3	Levin—	
	Manager at £180, and Matron at £70 (6 months)	125
	Medical Officer at £60 (6 months)	30
	Schoolmaster at £200; 2 Assistants: 1 at £150, 1 at £110 (6 months)	230
	Attendants at £750 (6 months)	375

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

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 57— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
<i>Schools—continued.</i>		
4	Burnham—	
	Manager at £180, and Matron at £60 ...	240
	Medical Officer (also £20, School for Deaf-mutes) ...	80
	Schoolmaster at £175, and Assistant at £130 ...	305
	Attendants ...	1,426
5	Caversham—	
	Manager at £180, and Matron at £60 ...	240
	Medical Officer ...	50
	Schoolmaster at £200 (including £30 for house allowance); 3 Assistants: 1 at £110, 1 at £80, 1 at £100 (6 months) ...	440
	Attendants ...	750
	Official Correspondent ...	125
6	Te Oranga Home, Burwood, Canterbury—	
	Manager ...	150
	Schoolmistress at £100 (9 months) ...	75
	Attendants ...	263
7	Wellington Receiving Home—	
	Manager (also Official Correspondent) ...	120
	Attendants ...	170
8	Christchurch Receiving Home—	
	Manager (also Official Correspondent) ...	125
	Attendants ...	180
9	Home for Weak-minded Children—	
	Matron and Steward at £200 (6 months) ...	100
	Attendants at £100 (6 months) ...	50
10	Home for Epileptic Children—	
	Matron and Steward at £200 (6 months) ...	100
	Attendants at £100 (6 months) ...	50
		6,906
OTHER CHARGES—		
11	Boarding-out of Children (including board, medical attendance, &c.) ...	8,000
12	Books for Libraries at Government schools ...	25
13	Maintenance of Government Schools (including provisions, fares, &c.) ...	11,000
14	Maintenance, &c., of Children in Private Industrial Schools, viz.: St. Mary's, Auckland; St. Joseph's, Wellington; St. Mary's, Nelson; St. Vincent de Paul's, Dunedin ...	3,400
15	Maintenance of Inmates in other Institutions ...	300
Rent—		
16	Burwood (Te Oranga Home) ...	107
17	Wellington ...	72
18	Christchurch ...	100
19	Technical Instruction (tools, requisites, &c.) ...	450
20	Travelling and Removal Expenses ...	1,400
21	Amount due to Earnings Accounts of Inmates and Ex-inmates ...	74
22	Contingencies ...	200
		25,128
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891" ...	8,000
		17,128
TOTAL—VOTE No. 57 ...		24,034

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Item.			1903-4.	
			£	£
SCHOOL FOR DEAF-MUTES.				
			1903-4.	
Total number of officers ...			23	
VOTE No. 58				
1	SALARIES—			
	Director	...	450	
	7 Teachers: 1 at £220, 1 at £200, 3 at £150, 1 at £120, 1 at £100	...	1,090	
	3 Instructors, special classes	...	250	
	Medical Officer (also £80, Industrial School, Burnham)	...	20	
	Steward and Matron	...	200	
	Sub-matron	...	60	
	Servants	...	345	
			2,415	
OTHER CHARGES—				
2	Maintenance	...	1,500	
3	Outside pupil (Auckland), instruction	...	20	
4	Outside pupils (Victoria), instruction, &c.	...	100	
5	Rent	...	172	
6	Travelling-expenses, including transit of children	...	250	
7	Contingencies	...	50	
			2,092	
Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"			...	300
			1,792	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 58				4,207
SCHOOL FOR BLIND.				
VOTE No. 59.				
1	Maintenance: 25 pupils at £25 per annum each	...	625	
2	Outside pupil (Canterbury), instruction, &c.	...	24	
3	Railway fare of Instructor	...	30	
4	Contingencies	...	10	
			689	
Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"			...	50
TOTAL—VOTE No. 59				639
TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.				
			1903-4.	
Total number of officers ...			2	
VOTE No. 60.				
SALARIES—				
1	2 Inspectors: 1 at £360, 1 at £350	...	710	
OTHER CHARGES—				
2	Capitation	...	9,200	
3	Examination expenses	...	375	

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 60— <i>continued.</i>		
OTHER CHARGES— <i>continued.</i>		
4	Material, apparatus, and appliances	1,000
5	Travelling-expenses	530
6	Training of Teachers	2,275
7	Railway fares for students attending registered classes of individuals	200
8	Scholarships	2,000
9	Contingencies	300
		15,880
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	60
		15,820
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 60	16,530
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 61.		
1	Books for schools, Cook and other Islands	25
2	Expenses incurred in connection with inquiry ordered by His Excellency the Governor (<i>Mace v. Veysey</i>)	24
3	Expenses incurred in connection with the Rhodes Scholarship Conference	85
4	Flags for public schools	50
5	Grant in aid of libraries	400
6	Gratuity to Mrs. Winkelmann, late Native-school teacher	50
7	Milne Seismograph, No. 20 (Wellington), (maintenance and buildings)	35
8	Railway fares of school-children to visit naval squadron at Lyttelton	140
9	"Sir George Grey" Scholarships — One to each University College (Science)	300
10	Subsidies to public libraries, on basis of voluntary con- tributions	3,000
11	Victoria College — Continuance of lapsed Queen's Scholarships	180
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 61	4,289
TOTAL OF CLASS XIII.		£560,958

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CLASS XIV.—LUNACY AND CHARITABLE DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 62.—Lunatic Asylums	35,559	33,875	69,434
„ 63.—Inebriates' Homes	1,851	2,650	4,501
„ 64.—Charitable	260	3,827	4,087
TOTAL OF CLASS XIV.	37,670	40,352	78,022

Item.	LUNACY AND CHARITABLE DEPARTMENT.	1903-4.	
		£	£
	LUNATIC ASYLUMS.		
	Total number of officers		1903-4. 391
	VOTE No. 62.		
	SALARIES—		
1	<i>Head Office—</i>		
	Inspector of Lunatic Asylums (also Charitable, £200) ..	1,000	
	Assistant Inspector of Asylums	750	
	Female Inspector of Asylums	260	
	Clerk (also Charitable, £60)	220	
2	<i>Auckland—</i>		
	Resident Medical Superintendent	600	
	Assistant Medical Officer	250	
	Clerk and Storekeeper	150	
	Matron	100	
	Official Visitor	25	
	56 Attendants and Servants—		
	31 Male Attendants: 1 at £130, 4 Artisan Attendants at £125, 7 at £100, 1 at £95, 2 at £90, 1 at £85, 5 at £80, 4 at £75, 6 at £70; Farm Manager at £120; Engineer at £125; 21 Female Attendants: 1 at £60, 2 at £57 10s., 1 at £55, 1 at £52 10s., 6 at £45, 3 at £42 10s., 7 at £40; Laundress at £60; Cook at £57 10s	4,132	
3	<i>Wellington—</i>		
	Resident Medical Superintendent	600	
	Relieving Medical Officer for Asylums and Assistant Medical Officer	250	
	Clerk and Storekeeper, £140, and House Allowance, £36	176	
	Matron	100	
	Official Visitor	13	
	35 Attendants and Servants—		
	20 Male Attendants: 1 at £140, 3 Artisan Attendants at £125, 4 at £100, 1 at £95, 2 at £80, 9 at £70; Engineer at £150; Cook and Baker at £120; 12 Female Attendants: 3 at £60, 1 at £52 10s., 1 at £50, 2 at £47 10s., 2 at £42 10s., 3 at £40; Laundress at £50	2,702	

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CLASS XIV.—LUNACY AND CHARITABLE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
	LUNATIC ASYLUMS—<i>continued.</i>	
	VOTE No. 62 —<i>continued.</i>	
	SALARIES—<i>continued.</i>	
4	Porirua—	
	Resident Medical Superintendent	600
	Assistant Medical Officer	250
	Clerk and Storekeeper	150
	Assistant Clerk and Storekeeper	100
	Head Attendant	130
	Matron	100
	Engineer	240
	Assistant Engineer	150
	Official Visitor	25
	65 Attendants and Servants—	
	35 Male Attendants: 4 Artisan Attendants at £125, 2 at £110, 6 at £100, 1 at £95, 1 at £90, 8 at £80, 5 at £75, 3 at £70, 5 at £70 (6 months); Farm Manager at £120; Ploughman at £70; Farm Hand at £80; Fireman at £90; 22 Female Attendants: 1 at £60, 1 at £55, 3 at £50, 3 at £45, 3 at £42 10s., 11 at £40; Laundress at £60; Assistant Laundress at £50; Cook at £60; Assistant Cook at £50	
		4,452
5	Nelson—	
	Visiting Medical Officer	200
	Superintendent	200
	Matron	75
	Official Visitor	13
	17 Attendants and Servants—	
	9 Male Attendants: 1 at £125, 2 at £100, 1 at £90, 4 at £80, 1 at £75; 7 Female Attendants: 1 at £55, 3 at £42 10s., 3 at £40; Cook at £52	
		1,164
6	Christchurch—	
	Resident Medical Superintendent	600
	Assistant Medical Officer	250
	Clerk and Storekeeper	200
	Assistant Clerk and Storekeeper	100
	Matron	100
	Official Visitor	13
	65 Attendants and Servants—	
	30 Male Attendants: 1 at £130, 1 at £120, 1 at £110, 1 at £95, 4 at £90, 6 at £80, 3 at £75, 8 at £70, 5 at £70 (6 months); Engineer at £200; Plumber at £130; Plasterer at £120; Painter at £120; Carpenter at £120; Gardener at £100; Baker at £100; Farm Bailiff and Wife (Dairywoman) at £130; Messenger and Wife (Housemaid) at £80; Stoker at £90; 22 Female Attendants: 1 at £60, 2 at £55, 1 at £52 10s., 1 at £50, 5 at £45, 5 at £42 10s., 7 at £40; Laundress at £50; Cook at £60; Kitchenmaid at £45	
		4,589
7	Hokitika—	
	Visiting Medical Officer (also Prisons, £50)	150
	Superintendent	300
	Matron	85
	Official Visitor	13
	19 Attendants and Servants—	
	11 Male Attendants: 3 at £125, 1 at £90, 2 at £87 10s., 1 at £85, 1 at £80, 3 at £80 (9 months); Farm Labourer at £65; 6 Female Attendants: 4 at £50, 2 at £50 (9 months); Cook and Laundress at £50	
		1,375

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CLASS XIV.—LUNACY AND CHARITABLE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
LUNATIC ASYLUMS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 62—<i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES—<i>continued.</i>		
8	<i>Seacliff—</i>	
	Resident Medical Superintendent	600
	Assistant Medical Officer	250
	Clerk and Storekeeper	160
	Assistant Storekeeper	100
	Assistant Clerk, £60; Office-boy, £20	80
	Matron	110
	Engineer	230
	Assistant Engineer	150
	Official Visitors	50
	94 Attendants and Servants—	
	50 Male Attendants: 1 at £145, 1 at £145 (Plumber),	
	4 at £110, 6 at £100, 2 at £95, 1 at £90, 3 at £85,	
	13 at £80, 2 at £75, 17 at £70; Farm Manager	
	and Gardener at £150; Fisherman at £100; 2 Farm	
	Hands: 1 at £60, 1 at £52; 1 Carpenter at £145	
	(6 months); Baker at £52; Assistant Cook at £39;	
	34 Female Attendants: 1 at £60, 2 at £55, 2 at	
	£52 10s., 2 at £47 10s., 10 at £45, 5 at £42 10s.,	
	12 at £40; Cook at £65; Assistant Cook at £20;	
	Laundress at £60	6,427
	Increase of Salaries to Attendants during year underscale	450
		35,559
	OTHER CHARGES—	
9	Amount required to allow of a month's leave for recreation to all persons in attendance on patients, and to allow an extra day's holiday every fortnight	800
10	Amount required to repay sums deducted from attendants' salaries under "The Civil Service Officers' Guarantee Act, 1893"	10
11	Bedding and clothing	6,000
12	Compassionate allowance to widow of late Attendant Dunbar, Auckland Asylum	140
13	Expenses transfer of attendants and patients, &c.	120
14	Farm	4,500
15	Fees to medical witnesses	1,200
16	Fuel and light	5,500
17	Gratuities to patients on discharge	50
	Necessaries—	
18	Ironmongery, crockery, tools, brushware, &c.	2,000
19	Repairs to buildings, timber, oils, paints, &c.	2,500
20	Soap, soda, tobacco, &c.	2,000
21	Furniture and drapery	1,000
22	Water-supply, burials, railages, &c.	1,000
23	Miscellaneous	2,500
24	Rations	23,000
25	Subscriptions to medical periodicals, telephone, advertising, &c.	50
26	Supply of crockery from England	900
27	Surgery and dispensary	500
28	Travelling allowances and expenses	180
29	Uniforms for attendants	650
30	Wines, spirits, &c.	125
31	Contingencies	150
		54,875
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	21,000
		33,875
TOTAL—VOTE No. 62		

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CLASS XIV.—LUNACY AND CHARITABLE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
INEBRIATES' HOMES.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 19
1	VOTE No. 63.	
	SALARIES—	
	<i>Inebriates' Home, Waitati—</i>	
	Medical Superintendent	400
	Manager (eleven months at £180)	165
	Head Attendant	120
	Matron	100
	Clerk	50
	14 Attendants and Servants—	
	Males: 1 at £100, 4 at £75, 2 at £70; Farm Manager at £90, Gardener at £100, Cook at £100, Kitchenman at £52. Females: 1 at £42 10s., 1 at £40, Cook at £52	1,016
		1,851
	OTHER CHARGES—	
2	Rations	1,200
3	Fuel and light	75
4	Surgery, drugs, and appliances	50
5	Washing	100
6	Furniture, bedding, clothing, &c.	400
7	Fowl-houses	100
8	Farm stock and implements	225
9	Necessaries, incidental and miscellaneous	300
10	Store and office	200
11	Sanitary works, including septic tanks, closets, and bathrooms	150
12	Storeroom	50
13	Alterations and improvements to buildings, &c.	200
14	Contingencies	300
		3,350
		201
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of 'The Public Revenues Act, 1891'	700
	TOTAL VOTE No. 63	4,501
CHARITABLE.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 2
1	VOTE No. 64.	
	SALARIES—	
	<i>Head Office—</i>	
	Inspector of Hospitals and Charitable Institutions (also Lunatic Asylums, £1,000)	200
	Clerk (also Lunatic Asylums, £220)	60
		260

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Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
CHARITABLE— <i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 64— <i>continued.</i>			
OTHER CHARGES—			
2	Burial Expenses of Destitute Persons	100	
3	Compassionate Allowance—		
	Widow and Family of Denis Phelan	52	
4	Establishing Ambulance Service in outlying parts of Taranaki District	100	
5	Expenses in connection with “The Nurses Registration Act, 1901”	175	
6	Expenses, Commission of inquiry into Costley Home ...	100	
7	Grant to Benevolent Societies’ Work	100	
8	Grant for Refuge Work	1,750	
9	Maintenance of Destitute Persons from Thermal Springs District	100	
10	Old Men’s Home, Ashburton	500	
11	Refund of Amounts paid by Police in connection with Destitute Persons	50	
12	Salvation Army Prison-brigade Work	450	
13	Travelling Allowances and Expenses	250	
14	Contingencies	100	
		3,827	
	TOTAL—VOTE NO. 64		4,087
TOTAL OF CLASS XIV. ... ..		...	£78,022

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XV.—DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 65.—Department of Labour ..	3,810	6,200	10,010
TOTAL OF CLASS XV. ..	3,810	6,200	10,010

Item.	DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR.		1903-4.	
		1903-4.	£	£
	Total number of officers ...	40		
	VOTE No. 65.			
1	SALARIES—			
	Secretary and Chief Inspector of Factories ...		480	
	Chief Clerk, also Deputy Chief Inspector ...		400	
	Clerk ...		200	
	Clerk ...		130	
	Shorthand-writer and Typist ...		190	
	15 Inspectors of Factories: 3 at £240, 1 at £215, 1 at £190, 1 at £175, 1 at £170, 1 at £165, 2 at £140, 5 at £75 ...		2,290	
	Cadet ...		70	
	Cadet ...		50	
			3,810	
	OTHER CHARGES—			
2	Expenses of Bureau ...		3,000	
3	Expenses in connection with the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Acts ...		3,500	
			6,500	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891" ...		300	
			6,200	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 65 ...			10,010
	TOTAL OF CLASS XV. ...			£10,010

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XVI.—MINES DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 66.—Mines Department	7,085	..	7,085
.. 67.—Meteorological and Museum Department	376	465	841
.. 68.—Miscellaneous Services	..	14,975	14,975
TOTAL OF CLASS XVI.	7,461	15,440	22,901

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MINES DEPARTMENT.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ...	24
VOTE No. 66.		
1 SALARIES—		
Under-Secretary	...	600
Inspecting Engineer	...	500
4 Inspectors of Mines: 3 at £310, 1 at £250	...	1,180
4 Assistant Inspectors of Mines: 2 at £210, 1 at £185, 1 at £150	...	755
Geologist	...	600
Chief Clerk (also Secretary, Board of Examiners under Mining and Coal-mines Acts, £50; and Private Secretary to the Premier, £25)	...	385
Clerk	...	260
Clerk and Shorthand-writer	...	150
Secretary, Board of Examiners under Mining and Coal-mines Acts	...	50
Secretary, Mining Bureau	...	300
Analyst	...	425
Clerk and Curator, Meteorological Observer, and Statistical Clerk	...	350
Government Geologist	...	380
Draughtsman	...	250
3 Lecturers and Instructors, Schools of Mines: 1 at £360, 1 at £210, and 1 at £180	...	750
Cadet, Inspector of Mines Office, Dunedin	...	100
Cadet, Westport	...	50
TOTAL—VOTE No. 66	...	7,085
METEOROLOGICAL AND MUSEUM DEPARTMENT.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ...	3
VOTE No. 67.		
1 SALARIES—		
Messenger and Keeper	...	150
Taxidermist, at 10s. a day	...	156
Museum Assistant	...	70
		376

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CLASS XVI.—MINES DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
METEOROLOGICAL AND MUSEUM DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 67— <i>continued.</i>		
OTHER CHARGES—		
2	Cleaning Windows, &c.	70
3	Fuel, Light, and Water	50
4	Instruments	50
5	Meteorological Stations and Time-ball Observatory	150
6	Wages, Assistant Keeper	95
7	Contingencies	50
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 67	465
		841
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 68.		
1	Advertising and Subscriptions to Newspapers	100
2	Bonus for Recovery of Gold from Auriferous Black Sands (on account, £2,000)	250
3	Chemicals and General Expenses of Colonial Laboratory, &c.	250
4	Clerical Assistance, Wages, &c.	450
5	Compensation to James Beattie for loss of water, as recommended by Public Petitions Committee	100
6	Compensation to Alexander McDougall in satisfaction of all claims on account of loss sustained in connection with the Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Railway and Coal Company	1,500
7	Cost of collecting Goldfields Revenue	50
8	Cost of Work to be done by Surveyor-General's Department and Government Printer	400
9	Editing, printing, and publishing a New Edition of "Mining and Engineering"	200
10	Expenses of Board of Examiners for Mine-managers' Certificates	250
11	Field Surveys and Expenses, Geological Surveys and Explorations	250
12	Grant to Lessees for Development of Mokihinui Coal-mine	250
13	Inspecting Timber Areas	100
14	Legal Expenses	150
15	Mail-service, Cromarty (half cost)	150
Maintenance and Management of Water-races—		
16	Waimea-Kumara	3,500
17	Mount Ida	1,500
18	Office Rents	50
19	Petrological Examinations in London	250
20	Printing and publishing Report on the Geology of the Cape Colville Peninsula	200
21	Refunds of Rent, Section 127, "Mining Act, 1898"	300
22	Reports on Accidents	25
23	Schools of Mines	2,800
24	Travelling Allowances and Expenses	1,600
25	Contingencies	300
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 68	14,975
TOTAL OF CLASS XVI		£22,901

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CLASS XVII.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Miscellaneous Services.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 69.—Department of Agriculture	44,698	...	44,698
„ 70.—Miscellaneous Services	...	61,100	61,100
TOTAL OF CLASS XVII.	44,698	61,100	105,798

Item.	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.		1903-4.	
		1903-4.	£	£
	Total number of officers	218		
1	VOTE No. 69.			
	SALARIES—			
	Secretary and Chief Inspector of Stock	...	600	
	Assistant Chief Inspector	...	330	
	Chief Clerk	...	310	
	Biologist	...	375	
	Assistant Entomologist	...	175	
	Compiler of Statistics	...	200	
	Accountant	...	230	
	Correspondence Clerk	...	245	
	9 Clerks: 1 at £195, 1 at £191, 1 at £176, 1 at £175, 2 at £166, 1 at £150, 1 at £140, 1 at £120	...	1,479	
	3 Cadets: 1 at £90, 1 at £75, 1 at £65	...	230	
	29 Veterinary Surgeons: 1 (Chief) (also Public Health Department, £100) at £500, 1 (Assistant Chief) at £400, 1 at £325, 3 at £300, 20 at £260, 2 at £250, 1 at £150	...	7,975	
	24 Assistants to Meat Inspectors: 2 at £185, 3 at £180, 2 at £175, 7 at £170, 2 at £165, 2 at £160, 2 at £156, 4 at £150	...	4,012	
	4 Dairy Instructors: 1 (Chief) at £415, 1 at £325, 2 at £300	...	1,340	
	4 Fruit Experts: 2 at £210, 1 at £215, 1 at £160	...	795	
	Viticulturist	...	325	
	Poultry Expert	...	275	
	Analyst	...	300	
	Inspector of Stock (relieving)	...	245	
	Clerk at Pathological Laboratory	...	166	
	Assistant at Veterinary Laboratory (also Public Health Department, £25)	...	190	
	2 Assistants in Chemical Laboratory: 1 at £135, 1 at £100	...	235	
	Fruit Inspector	...	200	
	Clerk at Biological Laboratory	...	143	
	Superintendent of Ruakura and Wairangi Experimental Stations	...	50	
	Messenger	...	145	
	2 Nurserymen: 1 at £150, 1 at £130	...	280	
	Farm Overseer	...	185	
	2 Caretakers, Quarantine Islands: 1 at £140, 1 at £130	...	270	
			21,305	

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CLASS XVII.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 69— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
2	<i>Auckland District—</i>	
	8 Inspectors: 1 (in charge) (also Superintendent of Ruakura and Wairangi Experimental Stations, £50) at £310, 2 at £260, 2 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £220, 1 at £210	2,000
	3 Clerks: 1 at £200, 1 at £156, 1 at £140	496
	Cadet	65
	3 Rabbit Agents	500
		3,061
3	<i>Napier District—</i>	
	7 Inspectors: 1 (in charge) at £300, 1 at £280, 4 at £250, 1 at £200	1,780
	Clerk	180
	Clerk at £110 (eight months)	74
	Rabbit Agent	172
		2,206
4	<i>Wellington-West Coast District—</i>	
	12 Inspectors: 1 at £310, 1 at £280, 5 at £260, 2 at £250, 1 at £235, 2 at £200	3,025
	4 Clerks: 1 at £200, 2 at £160, 1 at £156	676
	6 Rabbit Agents	1,038
	Cadet	75
		4,814
5	<i>Marlborough, Nelson, and West Coast District—</i>	
	4 Inspectors: 1 at £290, 1 at £260, 1 at £250, 1 at £210	1,010
	2 Clerks: 1 at £185, 1 at £156	341
	Rabbit Agent	172
		1,523
6	<i>Canterbury-Kaikoura District—</i>	
	9 Inspectors: 1 (in charge) at £300, 2 at £260, 3 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £230, 1 at £200 (four months)	2,107
	2 Clerks: 1 at £210, 1 at £156	366
	Cadet	65
	Fruit Inspector	180
	4 Caretakers of South Canterbury rabbit-fence	350
	8 Rabbit Agents	1,200
		4,268
7	<i>Otago District—</i>	
	14 Inspectors: 1 at £275, 1 at £260, 6 at £250, 1 at £245, 2 at £240, 2 at £235, 1 at £165	3,395
	3 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £156, 1 at £125	461
	Cadet	65
	Fruit Inspector and Clerk	200
	21 Rabbit Agents	3,400
		7,521
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 69	44,698

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CLASS XVII.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 70		
1	Advertising, printing, &c.	300
2	Analytical and biological laboratories	400
3	Bicycles and repairs	200
4	Collection of agricultural and pastoral statistics	4,000
5	Compensation for loss through anthrax	250
Dairy Industry—		
6	Contribution towards cool-storage for dairy produce	7,500
7	Grading of dairy produce	3,500
8	Establishment of dairy schools	1,000
9	Inspection of dairies	1,500
10	Purchase of dairy requisites	100
11	Subsidy to National Dairy Association ...	200
Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands: Contracts,		
Labour, Natural Enemies, &c.—		
12	Auckland District ... £4,000	} 8,300
13	Napier " ... 200	
14	Wellington-West Coast " ... 500	
15	Marlborough-Nelson-Westland " ... 100	
16	Canterbury-Kaikoura " ... 500	
17	Otago " ... 3,000	
Experimental and Stud and Fruit Farms: Working-		
expenses, Buildings, and Purchase of Stock—		
18	Ruakura ... £4,500	} 14,750
19	Wairangi ... 3,500	
20	Momohaki ... 2,500	
21	Levin (Weraroa) ... 4,000	
22	Sundry small stations ... 250	
23	Expenses stud horses and cattle ...	2,250
24	Expenses in connection with buildings and fences, &c., on stock and dip reserves, and generally improving same ...	500
25	Expenses in connection with Veterinary Laboratory, Wallaceville ...	1,000
26	Freights and carriage ...	100
27	Fumigation of fruit and other expenses ...	50
28	Grading of hemp ...	1,700
29	Inspection of noxious weeds ...	1,750
30	Inspection of vineyards and eradication of phylloxera ...	300
31	Inspection of imported bones and manures ...	130
Poultry Industry—		
Working-expenses, Buildings, and Purchase of Birds, Food, &c.—		
32	Ruakura ... £500	} 4,800
33	Momohaki ... 750	
34	Burnham ... 500	
35	Milton ... 550	
36	Expenses in connection with depots for plucking, grading, packing, and freezing poultry for export ... 2,500	
37	Prosecutions for breaches of Stock, Rabbit, and other Acts, and sundry legal expenses ...	350
38	Purchase of books, newspapers, periodicals, and other publications ...	150
39	Purchase of patent for meat-stamp ink ...	150
40	Purchase and expenses of Angora goats ...	200
41	Purchase of seeds for Orange River Colony, to be recovered ...	100
42	Purchase of stud horses and cattle ...	1,000
43	Quarantine-stations for Stock—Auckland, Wellington, and Lyttelton ...	1,200
44	Refund of railway fares, best-kept-farm competition, and to delegates attending conference ...	50
45	Removal expenses ...	600

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Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 70— <i>continued.</i>		
46	Rents, fuel, lighting, cleaning offices, furniture, insurance, &c.	800
47	Seeds, plants, &c., for distribution	100
48	Subsidies to local bodies for destruction of the kea ..	20
49	Subscriptions to telephones	200
50	Sterilising bones: Working-expenses	1,000
51	Testing of stock	200
52	Travelling-expenses	13,000
Viticulture: Establishing and Maintaining Vineyards—		
53	Te Mata, Hawke's Bay—Working-expenses (including salary of Manager)	300
54	Wairangi, Waikato—Working-expenses, erection of buildings, &c.	600
55	Contingencies	1,500
		76,100
Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"		15,000
TOTAL VOTE No. 70		61,100
TOTAL OF CLASS XVII.....		£105,798

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CLASS XVIII. —WORKING RAILWAYS DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.
	Total.
	£
Vote 71.—Working Railways	1,383,692
TOTAL OF CLASS XVIII.	1,383,692
	Estimated.
GROSS REVENUE... ..	£2,000,000

Item.		1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	Classification and Increases under Act.		
	WORKING RAILWAYS.		
	Total Number of Members, as per D.-3, 1903 ... 6,371	£	£
	VOTE No. 71.		
1	HEAD OFFICE—		
	General Manager	1,250	
	Accountant, £650; Stores Manager, £440; 63 Clerks: 1 at £440, 1 at £385, 2 at £330, 2 at £300, 1 at £275 (also Private Secretary to Minister, £25), 1 at £270, 6 at £250, 2 at £235, 1 at £220, 1 at £210, 10 at £200, 6 at £180, 8 at £170, 9 at £160, 3 at £140, 1 at £130, 2 at £120, 6 at £110; 29 Cadets: 3 at £100, 1 at £85, 12 at £70, 9 at £60, 4 at £50; Lodging-allowance: 8 at 5/, 4 at 3/6 per week; 5 Audit Inspectors: 1 at £330, 1 at £300, 3 at £290; 4 Storekeepers: 3 at £250, 1 at £230 ...	18,035	
		19,285	
2	DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES—		
	Maintenance—		
	Chief Engineer, £900; Inspecting Engineer, £625; 7 District Engineers: 1 at £480, 3 at £440, 2 at £385, 1 at £345; Assistant Engineer, £200; Signal Engineer, £440; Office Engineer, £440; Inspector of Iron Structures, £260; Signal and Interlocking Foreman, £250; 2 Electricians: 1 at £250, 1 at £180; 48 Clerks and Draughtsmen: 1 at £330, 1 at £300, 3 at £290, 2 at £275, 2 at £250, 1 at £235, 6 at £190, 9 at £180, 7 at £170, 8 at £160, 2 at £130, 1 at £120, 5 at £110; 28 Cadets: 5 at £100, 1 at £95, 3 at £80, 8 at £70, 6 at £60, 5 at £50; Lodging-allowance: 4 at 8/, 4 at 5/, 6 at 3/6 per week	17,600	

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CLASS XVIII.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
WORKING RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
2	DEPARTMENTAL OFFICES— <i>continued.</i>	£
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	£
	Chief Mechanical Engineer, £900 ; 5 Locomotive Engineers: 2 at £535, 1 at £400, 1 at £385, 1 at £330 ; Brake Engineer, £385 ; Locomotive Inspector, £345 ; 22 Clerks and Draughtsmen: 1 at £385, 1 at £330, 1 at £290, 1 at £275, 1 at £250, 2 at £235, 1 at £220, 1 at £200, 3 at £180, 2 at £170, 2 at £150, 2 at £130, 4 at £110 ; 26 Cadets: 3 at £100, 5 at £85, 1 at £80, 3 at £70, 7 at £60, 6 at £50, 1 at £40 ; Lodging-allowance: 1 at 8/, 2 at 5/, 3 at 3/6 per week	9,964
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Chief Traffic Manager, £900 ; 2 Traffic Superintendents: 1 at £650, 1 at £625 ; 7 District Managers: 1 at £500, 2 at £480, 1 at £460, 2 at £385, 1 at £290 ; 6 Stationmasters in Charge: 1 at £330, 2 at £275, 3 at £250 ; 46 Clerks: 3 at £330, 3 at £290, 1 at £275, 2 at £250, 3 at £235, 2 at £210, 5 at £200, 1 at £190, 7 at £180, 8 at £160, 1 at £150, 2 at £140, 2 at £120, 6 at £110 ; 22 Cadets: 3 at £100, 6 at £85, 2 at £70, 5 at £60, 4 at £50, 2 at £40 ; Lodging-allowance: 1 at 10/, 3 at 8/, 3 at 5/, 2 at 3/6 per week	£17,281
	Less house-rent for Stationmasters in Charge	179
		17,102
		44,666
	Total Head and Departmental Offices...	63,951
3	KAWAKAWA SECTION, 1903-4—15 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	1 Inspector (part time) at £200 per annum	50
	1 Ganger at 8/ per day	125
	3 Surfacedmen at 7/ per day	329
		504
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	1 Engineman at 11/ per day	172
	1 Fireman at 7/6 per day	118
		290
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	1 Stationmaster at £180 per annum	180
	1 Cadet at £70 per annum	70
	Lodging-allowance at 3/6 per week	9
	2 Porters: 1 at 7/, 1 at 5/6 per day	196
		455
		1,249
4	WHANGAREI SECTION, 1903-4—23 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	1 Inspector (part time) at £200 per annum	100
	3 Gangers at 8/ per day	376
	10 Surfacedmen at 7/ per day	1,096
		1,572

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CLASS XVIII.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	WORKING RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
4	WHANGAREI SECTION— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	£	£
	2 Enginememen: 1 at 12/, 1 at 11/ per day ...	360	
	3 Firemen: 2 at 9/ and 10/6, 1 at 8/ per day ...	454	
	3 Cleaners: 2 at 5/ and 7/6, 1 at 4/6 per day ...	305	
		1,119	
	<i>Traffic—</i>		
	1 Stationmaster at £200 per annum, less house-rent £22	178	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £180, 1 at £140 per annum ...	320	
	1 Cadet at £85 per annum ...	85	
	2 Guards: 1 at 9/, 1 at 8/6 per day ...	274	
	1 Storeman at 7/6 per day ...	117	
	1 Porter and Acting-Guard at 7/6 and 8/6 per day ...	133	
	5 Porters: 2 at 7/6, 1 at 7/, 1 at 6/, 1 at 4/6 per day ...	399	
	1 Crossing-keeper at 6/ per day ...	94	
		1,600	
		4,291	
5	KAIHU SECTION, 1903-4—17 miles.		
	<i>Maintenance—</i>		
	1 Inspector (part time) at £200 per annum ...	50	
	2 Gangers at 8/ per day ...	250	
	6 Surfacedmen at 7/ per day ...	657	
		957	
	<i>Locomotive—</i>		
	1 Enginememen at 11/ per day ...	172	
	1 Cleaner at 5/ and 7/6 per day ...	118	
		290	
	<i>Traffic—</i>		
	1 Stationmaster at £200 per annum ...	200	
	1 Clerk at £160 per annum ...	160	
	1 Porter and Acting-Guard at 7/6 and 8/6 per day ...	133	
	2 Porters: 1 at 7/, 1 at 6/ per day ...	103	
	1 Labourer at 7/ per day ...	110	
		806	
		2,053	
6	AUCKLAND SECTION, 1903-4—381 miles.		
	<i>Maintenance—</i>		
	3 Inspectors: 1 at £250, 1 at £220, 1 at £210 per annum ...	680	
	1 Foreman of Works at £275 per annum ...	275	
	1 Bridge Inspector at £210 per annum ...	210	
	46 Gangers: 3 at 10/, 5 at 9/, 38 at 8/ per day ...	5,931	
	149 Surfacedmen: 4 at 7/6, 139 at 7/, 3 at 6/, 1 at 5/6, 2 at 5/ per day ...	16,221	
		23,317	
	<i>Locomotive—</i>		
	1 Running-shed Foreman at £275 per annum ...	275	
	1 Car and Wagon Inspector at £250 per annum ...	250	
	1 Clerk at £160 per annum ...	160	
	1 Cadet at £60 per annum ...	60	
	Lodging-allowance at 5/ per week ...	13	
	35 Enginememen: 15 at 12/, 2 at 11/6, 18 at 11/ per day ...	6,276	
	49 Firemen: 4 at 9/ and 11/, 7 at 9/ and 10/6, 5 at 9/ and 10/, 1 at 9/, 6 at 8/6 and 10/, 26 at 8/ per day ...	6,956	
	35 Cleaners: 10 at 5/ and 7/6, 1 at 5/, 16 at 4/6, 8 at 4/ per day ...	2,880	
		16,870	

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CLASS XVIII.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	WORKING RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
	AUCKLAND SECTION— <i>continued.</i>		
6	<i>Traffic—</i>		
	31 Stationmasters: 1 at £330, 5 at £250, 2 at £220, 10 at £200, 2 at £190, 10 at £180, 1 at £170 per annum	£6,370	
	Less house-rent	727	
		5,643	
	3 Relieving Officers: 2 at £200, 1 at £170 per annum	570	
	1 Traffic Inspector at £250 per annum	250	
	30 Clerks: 1 at £275, 1 at £235, 1 at £200, 3 at £180, 2 at £170, 6 at £160, 2 at £150, 6 at £140, 5 at £130, 3 at £110 per annum	4,670	
	45 Cadets: 7 at £100, 11 at £85, 8 at £70, 7 at £60, 8 at £50, 4 at £40 per annum	3,175	
	Lodging-allowance: 7 at 3/6, 3 at 5/, 7 at 8/, 4 at 10/ per week	352	
	2 Foremen: 1 at £180, 1 at £170 per annum	350	
	32 Guards: 8 at 10/, 3 at 9/6, 2 at 9/, 19 at 8/6 per day	4,507	
	4 Signalmen: 3 at 9/, 1 at 8/6 per day	556	
	3 Storemen: 2 at 9/6, 1 at 8/6 per day	430	
	1 Horse-driver at 7/6 per day	117	
	4 Shunters: 1 at 10/, 1 at 8/6, 2 at 7/6 per day	524	
	1 Night-watchman at 42/ per week	110	
	1 Crossing-keeper at 6/ per day	94	
	1 Female Waiting-room Attendant at 30/ per week	78	
	9 Porters and Acting-Guards: 6 at 7/6 and 8/6, 3 at 7/6 and 8/ per day	1,174	
	7 Porters and Acting-Shunters: 1 at 7/6, 6 at 7/ and 7/6 per day	822	
	66 Porters: 10 at 7/6, 16 at 7/, 1 at 6/, 6 at 5/6, 13 at 5/, 18 at 4/6, 2 at 4/ per day	5,947	
	13 Labourers at 7/ per day	1,424	
		30,793	
		70,980	
7	GISBORNE SECTION, 1903-4—13 miles.		
	<i>Maintenance—</i>		
	2 Gangers at 8/ per day	250	
	4 Surfacemen at 7/ per day	438	
		688	
	<i>Locomotive—</i>		
	1 Engineman at 12/ per day	188	
	1 Fireman at 9/ and 10/ per day	157	
	1 Cleaner at 4/6 per day	70	
		415	
	<i>Traffic—</i>		
	1 Cadet at £70 per annum	70	
	Lodging-allowance at 3/6 per week	9	
	1 Shunter and Acting-Guard at 8/6 per day	133	
		212	
		1,315	
8	WELLINGTON-NAPIER-NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION, 1903-4—484 miles.		
	<i>Maintenance—</i>		
	5 Inspectors: 1 at £290, 1 at £275, 1 at £230, 1 at £220, 1 at £190 per annum	1,205	
	3 Foremen of Works: 1 at £275, 2 at £235 per annum	745	
	1 Bridge Inspector at £210 per annum	210	
	83 Gangers: 5 at 10/, 14 at 9/, 1 at 8/6, 63 at 8/ per day	10,775	

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tem.	WORKING RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i>	1903—4. 2,374 Miles.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
8	WELLINGTON—NAPIER—NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION— <i>contd.</i>		
	<i>Maintenance—continued.</i>		
	269 Surfacemen and Platelayers: 16 at 7/6, 250 at 7/ 1 at 6/, 1 at 5/, 1 at 4/6 per day	29,508	
		42,443	
	<i>Locomotive—</i>		
	6 Running-shed Foremen: 1 at £260, 2 at £250, 2 at £220, 1 at £200 per annum	1,400	
	2 Car and Wagon Inspectors at £250 per annum	500	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £150, 1 at £130 (half-time)	215	
	2 Cadets: 1 at £60, 1 at £50 per annum	110	
	Lodging-allowance: 1 at 8/ per week	21	
	1 Storeman at 8/6 per day	133	
	2 Labourers: 1 at 7/, 1 (half-time) at 7/ per day	164	
	82 Enginemmen: 1 at 13/, 29 at 12/, 5 at 11/6, 47 at 11/ per day	14,641	
	111 Firemen: 2 at 9/ and 11/, 23 at 9/ and 10/6, 15 at 9/ and 10/, 3 at 9/, 12 at 8/6 and 10/, 56 at 8/ per day	15,783	
	86 Cleaners: 2 at 5/6 and 7/6, 19 at 5/ and 7/6, 9 at 5/ 55 at 4/6, 1 at 4/	7,105	
	<i>Traffic—</i>	40,072	
	57 Stationmasters: 2 at £330, 5 at £275, 1 at £260, 6 at £250, 5 at £220, 1 at £210, 17 at £200, 1 at £190, 18 at £180, 1 at £170 per annum	£12,105	
	Less house-rent	1,158	
		10,947	
	2 Traffic Inspectors at £250 per annum	500	
	5 Relieving Officers: 1 at £250, 1 at £235, 2 at £170, 1 at £160 per annum	985	
	79 Clerks: 4 at £250, 1 at £235, 5 at £200, 1 at £190, 5 at £180, 3 at £170, 24 at £160, 1 at £150, 8 at £140, 10 at £130, 2 at £120, 15 at £110 per annum	12,135	
	103 Cadets: 18 at £100, 15 at £85, 20 at £70, 26 at £60, 14 at £50, 10 at £40 per annum	7,135	
	Lodging-allowance: 15 at 3/6, 21 at 5/, 12 at 8/ 9 at 10/ per week	893	
	6 Foremen: 5 at £180, 1 at £170 per annum	1,070	
	1 Timber-checker at £180 per annum	180	
	54 Guards: 15 at 10/, 7 at 9/6, 31 at 8/6, 1 at 8/ per day	7,637	
	9 Signalmen: 1 at 9/, 1 at 8/6, 7 at 7/6 per day	1,096	
	11 Porters and Acting-Guards: 3 at 7/6 and 8/6, 8 at 7/6 and 8/ per day	1,401	
	12 Shunters and Acting-Guards: 2 at 8/ and 8/6, 4 at 8/, 1 at 7/6 and 8/6, 5 at 7/6 and 8/ per day	1,166	
	18 Shunters: 1 at 10/, 1 at 9/6, 6 at 8/6, 10 at 7/6 per day	2,277	
	11 Porters and Acting-Shunters: 1 at 7/6, 10 at 7/ and 7/6 per day	1,291	
	161 Porters: 27 at 7/6, 91 at 7/, 8 at 6/, 8 at 5/6, 12 at 5/, 12 at 4/6, 3 at 4/ per day	16,550	
	16 Storemen: 1 at 10/, 1 at 9/6, 4 at 8/6, 1 at 8/, 9 at 7/6 per day	2,019	
	2 Crossing-keepers at 6/ per day	188	
	1 Female Waiting-room Attendant at 30/ per week	78	
	19 Labourers at 7/ per day	2,081	
	1 Bridgekeeper (also Fireman) at 9/ per day	141	
		69,770	
		152,285	

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CLASS XVIII.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
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WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71—<i>continued.</i>		
9	HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION, 1903-4—1,221 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	11 Inspectors: 6 at £290, 1 at £275, 1 at £250, 3 at £220 per annum	2,925
	3 Foremen of Works: 2 at £290, 1 at £275 per annum	855
	4 Bridge Inspectors: 1 at £220, 2 at £210, 1 at £190 per annum	830
	190 Gangers: 12 at 10/, 13 at 9/, 4 at 8/6, 161 at 8/ per day	24,399
	590 Platelayers and Surfacemen: 3 at 8/, 35 at 7/6, 544 at 7/, 1 at 6/, 3 at 5/6, 2 at 5/, 2 at 4/6 per day	64,728
		93,737
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	5 Running-shed Foremen: 3 at £330, 2 at £220 per annum	1,430
	3 Car and Wagon Inspectors at £250 per annum	750
	3 Clerks: 2 at £200, 1 at £160 per annum	560
	3 Cadets: 1 at £70, 1 at £60, 1 at £50 per annum	180
	Lodging allowance: 1 at 8/ per week	21
	2 Storemen at 8/ per day	250
	159 Enginemen: 1 at 13/, 77 at 12/, 8 at 11/6, 71 at 11/, 2 at 10/6 per day	28,655
	180 Firemen: 3 at 9/ and 11/, 39 at 9/ and 10/6, 23 at 9/ and 10/, 28 at 8/6 and 10/, 1 at 8/ and 11/, 86 at 8/ per day	25,846
	144 Cleaners: 5 at 5/6 and 7/6, 32 at 5/ and 7/6, 22 at 5/, 76 at 4/6, 9 at 4/ per day	11,980
		69,672
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	130 Stationmasters: 6 at £330, 4 at £275, 10 at £250, 7 at £220, 35 at £200, 1 at £195, 4 at £190, 63 at £180 per annum	£26,415
	Less house-rent	2,397
		24,018
	3 Traffic Inspectors: 2 at £250, 1 at £200 per annum	700
	15 Relieving Officers: 2 at £250, 1 at £210, 1 at £170, 11 at £160 per annum	2,640
	2 Goods Agents at £355 per annum	710
	145 Clerks: 2 at £300, 1 at £275, 5 at £250, 3 at £220, 3 at £210, 11 at £200, 16 at £180, 13 at £170, 34 at £160, 5 at £150, 10 at £140, 14 at £130, 10 at £120, 18 at £110 per annum	23,295
	180 Cadets: 26 at £100, 32 at £85, 48 at £70, 35 at £60, 22 at £50, 17 at £40 per annum	12,560
	Lodging-allowance: 14 at £10, 18 at 8/, 29 at 5/, 39 at 3/6 per week	1,470
	1 Timber Checker at £180 per annum	180
	20 Foremen: 3 at £200, 1 at £188, 10 at £180, 6 at £170 per annum	3,608
	103 Guards: 40 at 10/, 7 at 9/6, 52 at 8/6, 4 at 8/ per day	14,719
	39 Signalmen: 9 at 9/, 14 at 8/6, 16 at 7/6 per day	5,008
	24 Storemen: 6 at 9/6, 10 at 8/6, 8 at 7/6 per day	3,161
	1 Storeman and Acting-Shunter at 7/6 per day	117
	51 Shunters: 1 at 10/, 5 at 9/6, 12 at 8/6, 33 at 7/6 per day	6,370
	1 Shunter and Acting-Signalman at 7/6 per day	117
	14 Shunters and Acting-Guards: 3 at 8/6, 2 at 7/6 and 8/6, 9 at 7/6 and 8/ per day	1,792

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
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WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
<i>VOTE No. 71—continued.</i>		
9	HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION—<i>continued.</i>	
	<i>Traffic—continued.</i>	
	30 Porters and Acting-Shunters: 10 at 7/6, 20 at 7/ and 7/6 per day	3,521
	6 Porters and Acting-Guards: 1 at 7/6 and 8/6, 5 at 7/6 and 8/ per day	759
	1 Porter and Acting-Craneman at 7/ and 7/6 per day	117
	3 Porters and Acting-Signalmen: 1 at 7/6, 2 at 7/ and 7/6 per day	352
	2 Horse-drivers: 1 at 8/6, 1 at 7/6 per day	250
	3 Crane-drivers: 1 at 9/, 2 at 8/ per day	391
	220 Porters: 1 at 8/, 43 at 7/6, 73 at 7/, 15 at 6/, 20 at 5/6, 19 at 5/, 34 at 4/6, 15 at 4/ per day	21,120
	8 Night-watchmen at 42/ per week	876
	27 Crossing-keepers at 6/ per day	2,535
	4 Bridgekeepers at 6/ per day	376
	42 Labourers: 2 at 8/, 40 at 7/ per day	4,632
	2 Female Waiting-room Attendants at 30/ per week	156
		135,550
	<i>Wharves—</i>	
	1 Piermaster	70
	1 Foreman at £180 per annum	180
	7 Clerks: 1 at £220, 2 at £200, 1 at £150, 1 at £140, 1 at £120, 1 at £110 per annum	1,140
	1 Guard at 10/ per day	157
	8 Storemen at 8/6 per day	1,064
	1 Horse-driver at 8/6 per day	133
	1 Shunter at 8/6 per day	133
	4 Porters and Crane-drivers at 7/6 and 9/ per day	563
	1 Porter and Storeman at 7/ and 7/6 per day	117
	3 Porters and Horse-drivers: 2 at 7/6 and 8/6, 1 at 7/6 per day	383
	1 Porter and Horse-driver and Storeman at 7/6 and 8/6 per day	133
	9 Porters: 6 at 7/6, 3 at 7/ per day	1,033
	1 Labourer at 7/ per day	110
		5,216
		304,175
10	WESTLAND SECTION, 1903-4—112 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	1 Inspector at £275 per annum	275
	1 Foreman of Works (part time) at £250 per annum	125
	1 Bridge Inspector (part time) at £210 per annum	105
	15 Gangers: 5 at 9/, 7 at 8/6, 3 at 8/ per day	2,011
	47 Surfacemen at 7/ per day	5,149
		7,665
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	1 Running-shed Foreman (half-time) at £210 per annum	105
	1 Cadet at £100 (half-time)	50
	10 Enginemen: 4 at 12/, 6 at 11/ per day	1,784
	10 Firemen: 1 at 9/ and 10/6, 1 at 9/ and 10/, 1 at 8/6 and 10/, 1 at 9/, 6 at 8/ per day	1,369
	10 Cleaners: 4 at 5/ and 7/6, 3 at 4/6, 3 at 4/ per day	869
		4,177

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
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	WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>	
	VOTE No. 71—<i>continued.</i>	
10	WESTLAND SECTION—<i>continued.</i>	
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	10 Stationmasters: 1 at £220, 3 at £200, 6 at £180 per annum	£1,900
	Less house-rent	189
		<hr/> 1,711
	6 Clerks: 1 at £200, 2 at £160, 1 at £150, 1 at £140, 1 at £130 per annum	940
	7 Cadets: 2 at £100, 1 at £85, 2 at £70, 1 at £60, 1 at £50 per annum	535
	Lodging-allowance: 1 at 5/ per week	13
	3 Foremen: 1 at £190, 2 at £180 per annum	550
	7 Guards: 4 at 10/, 3 at 8/6 per day	1,025
	3 Storemen at 7/6 per day	352
	4 Shunters: 1 at 8/6, 1 at 8/, 2 at 7/6 per day	493
	9 Porters: 1 at 7/6, 4 at 7/, 1 at 6/, 1 at 5/, 1 at 4/6, 1 at 4/ per day	861
	3 Labourers: 1 at 9/, 2 at 7/ per day	360
	2 Horse-drivers at 8/6 per day	266
	4 Crane-drivers: 2 at 9/, 1 at 8/, 1 at 7/6 per day	524
	1 Watchman at 42/ per week	109
		<hr/> 7,739
		<hr/> 19,581
11	WESTPORT SECTION, 1903-4—31 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	1 Inspector (part time) at £230 per annum	115
	1 Foreman of Works (part time) at £250 per annum	63
	1 Bridge Inspector (part time) at £210 per annum	105
	7 Gangers: 1 at 10/, 1 at 9/, 5 at 8/ per day	798
	18 Surfacemen at 7/ per day	1,972
		<hr/> 3,053
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	1 Foreman (half-time) at £220	110
	1 Cadet (half time) at £50 per annum	25
	Lodging-allowance: 1 at 8/ per week	10
	5 Enginemen at 12/ per day	939
	12 Firemen: 2 at 9/ and 11/, 1 at 9/ and 10/6, 1 at 9/ and 10/, 2 at 8/6 and 10/, 6 at 8/ per day	1,729
	7 Cleaners: 3 at 5/ and 7/6, 4 at 4/6 per day	634
	1 Storeman at 9/ per day	141
		<hr/> 3,588
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	2 Stationmasters at £200 (less house-rent, £46)	354
	3 Clerks: 2 at £140, 1 at £110 per annum	390
	4 Cadets: 3 at £85, 1 at £60 per annum	315
	4 Goods Foremen: 1 at £190, 2 at £180, 1 at £170 per annum	720
	5 Guards: 1 at 9/6, 2 at 9/, 2 at 8/6 per day	696
	3 Shunters: 1 at 9/6, 1 at 8/, 1 at 7/6 per day	391
	9 Porters: 3 at 7/6, 3 at 7/, 1 at 4/6, 2 at 4/ per day	876
	1 Night-watchman at 42/ per week	110
	1 Labourer at 7/ per day	110
	2 Signalmen at 7/6 per day	235
		<hr/> 4,197
		<hr/> 10,838

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CLASS XVIII.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71—<i>continued.</i>		
12	NELSON SECTION, 1903-4—43 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	1 Inspector (part time) at £230 per annum	115
	1 Foreman of Works (part time) at £250 per annum	62
	5 Gangers: 1 at 9/, 4 at 8/ per day	642
	15 Surfacemen at 7/ per day	1,643
		2,462
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	1 Engineman at 12/ per day	188
	4 Firemen: 1 at 9/ and 11/, 1 at 9/ and 10/6, 2 at 8/ per day	586
	1 Cleaner at 4/6 per day	71
		845
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	5 Stationmasters: 1 at £212, 1 at £200,	
	3 at £180 per annum	£952
	Less house-rent	60
		892
	1 Clerk at £170 per annum	170
	1 Cadet at £100 per annum	100
	1 Guard at 8/6 per day	133
	2 Shunters and Acting-Guards: 1 at 8/6, 1 at 7/6 and 8/ per day	258
	1 Storeman at 8/6 per day	133
	3 Porters: 1 at 7/6, 2 at 7/ per day	336
	1 Labourer at 7/ per day	110
		2,132
		5,439
13	PICTON SECTION, 1903-4—34 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	5 Gangers at 8/ per day	626
	15 Surfacemen at 7/ per day	1,643
		2,269
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	3 Enginemen at 11/ per day	516
	4 Firemen: 1 at 9/ and 10/, 3 at 8/ per day	533
	2 Cleaners: 1 at 4/6, 1 at 4/ per day	133
		1,182
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	1 Stationmaster at £200 per annum	200
	3 Cadets at £85 per annum	255
	1 Foreman at £180 per annum	180
	2 Guards at 8/6 per day	266
	1 Storeman and Acting-Guard at 8/ and 8/6 per day	133
	5 Porters: 1 at 7/6, 1 at 7/, 1 at 6/, 1 at 5/, 1 at 4/ per day	462
		1,496
		4,947
		641,104
14	HEAD OFFICE—	
	Contingencies	1,049

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
15	KAWAKAWA SECTION, 1903-4—15 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures	54
	" Buildings	70
	Stores—Rails, &c.	30
	" Sleepers	225
	" Structures	55
	" Buildings	50
	" Miscellaneous	100
		584
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	20
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	180
	Stores, " " Locomotive	130
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	70
	Fuel and Water-supply	60
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	20
	Contingencies	5
		485
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Stores and Stationery	75
	Miscellaneous	140
		215
		1,284
16	WHANGAREI SECTION, 1903-4—23 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Buildings	71
	" Miscellaneous	186
	Stores—Rails, &c.	262
	" Sleepers	560
	" Structures	135
	" Buildings	50
	" Miscellaneous	70
		1,334
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	630
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	420
	Stores, " " Locomotive	280
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	390
	Fuel and Water-supply	720
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	80
	Contingencies	26
		2,546
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime	234
	Stores and Stationery	110
	Miscellaneous	80
		424
		4,304

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374½ Miles.	
WORKING RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
17	KAIHU SECTION, 1903-4—17 miles.	£
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Stores—Rails, &c.	150
	" Sleepers	350
	" Structures	50
	" Buildings	10
	" Miscellaneous	123
		683
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	290
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	280
	Stores, " " Locomotive	60
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	180
	Fuel and Water-supply	200
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	15
	Contingencies	10
		1,035
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime	110
	Stores and Stationery	65
	Miscellaneous	65
		240
		1,958
18	AUCKLAND SECTION, 1903-4—381 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures	4,260
	" Buildings	2,841
	" Miscellaneous	5,313
	Stores—Rails	6,380
	" Sleepers	8,625
	" Structures	3,200
	" Buildings	1,500
	" Miscellaneous	2,500
	Compassionate allowance, J. L. Faulkner	25
		34,644
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	6,860
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	8,810
	Stores, " " Locomotive	5,120
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	4,700
	Fuel and Water-supply	15,660
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	1,020
	Contingencies	315
	Compassionate allowance, C. Green	50
		42,535
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime	4,500
	Stores and Stationery	2,800
	Miscellaneous	2,801
		10,101
		87,280

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
19	GISBORNE SECTION, 1903-4—13 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures	35
	" Buildings	12
	" Miscellaneous	37
	Stores—Structures	12
	" Buildings	10
	" Miscellaneous	10
		116
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	30
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	30
	Stores, " " Locomotive	20
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	10
	Fuel and Water-supply	260
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	20
	Contingencies	5
		375
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Stores and Stationery	150
	Miscellaneous	150
		300
		791
20	WELLINGTON-NAPIER-NEW PLYMOUTH SECTION, 1903-4— 484 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures	10,406
	" Buildings	7,765
	" Miscellaneous	11,729
	Stores—Rails	17,230
	" Sleepers	12,820
	" Structures	7,670
	" Buildings	5,000
	" Miscellaneous	2,600
		75,220
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	19,110
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	15,630
	Stores, " " Locomotive	11,980
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	10,850
	Fuel and Water-supply	52,070
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	2,960
	Compensation allowance, H. St J. Christophers	461
	Contingencies	608
		113,669
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime	9,500
	Stores and Stationery	7,000
	Miscellaneous	5,479
	Compassionate allowance, F. W. Swift	150
		22,129
		211,018

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
21	HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION, 1903-4—1,221 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures	20,693
	" Buildings	12,476
	" Miscellaneous	17,247
	Stores—Rails, &c.	34,380
	" Sleepers	35,014
	" Structures	12,638
	" Buildings	6,416
	" Miscellaneous	5,900
	Compassionate allowance, M. McIntosh	50
	" F. Rich	50
	Payment made to Andrew Sinclair and John Macalister for sleepers under authority from Mataura Sawmilling Company, but subsequently claimed as the property of the Mataura Sawmilling Company (Limited)	43
		144,907
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	26,870
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	30,180
	Stores, " " Locomotive	17,180
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	21,180
	Fuel and Water-supply	72,650
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	3,910
	Contingencies	1,148
	Compassionate allowance, M. A. Ashton	50
		173,168
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime	35,707
	Fuel, Lighting, and General Stores	14,000
	Stationery and Printing	
	Miscellaneous	7,000
	Compassionate allowance, E. A. Hesketh	91
	" M. Neville	50
	Compensation allowance, S. S. McGrath	25
	" W. H. Shepherd	9
	" R. Hislop	254
	" D. E. Cardale	315
	Refund contract deposit to A. Johnston	50
	Cash stolen by burglars at Woodlands Station	3
	Reduction of rent Ashburton refreshment-rooms in consequence of loss of license	400
		57,904
		375,979
22	WESTLAND SECTION, 1903-4—112 miles.	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures	2,999
	" Buildings	1,133
	" Miscellaneous	1,304
	Stores—Rails, &c.	2,200
	" Sleepers	2,410
	" Structures	2,150
	" Buildings	500
	" Miscellaneous	400
	Compensation and law costs, J. Earl	991
		14,087

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
<i>WORKING RAILWAYS—continued.</i>		
<i>VOTE No. 71—continued.</i>		
22	<i>WESTLAND SECTION—continued.</i>	
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive ...	1,990
	" " " Carriage and Wagon ...	2,070
	Stores " " Locomotive ...	800
	" " " Carriage and Wagon ...	1,510
	Fuel and Water-supply ...	1,550
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores ...	200
	Contingencies ...	83
		8,203
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime ...	2,645
	Stores and Stationery ...	778
	Miscellaneous ...	620
		4,043
		26,333
23	<i>WESTPORT SECTION, 1903-4—31 miles.</i>	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures ...	2,578
	" Buildings ...	352
	" Miscellaneous ...	777
	Stores—Rails ...	1,240
	" Sleepers ...	1,425
	" Structures ...	2,320
	" Buildings ...	150
	" Miscellaneous ...	300
		9,142
	<i>Locomotive—</i>	
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive ...	1,430
	" " " Carriage and Wagon ...	2,400
	Stores, " " Locomotive ...	1,140
	" " " Carriage and Wagon ...	1,580
	Fuel and Water-supply ...	1,420
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores ...	180
	Contingencies ...	92
		8,242
	<i>Traffic—</i>	
	Casual Labour and Overtime ...	3,500
	Stores and Stationery ...	700
	Miscellaneous ...	297
	Compensation allowance, F. Doyle ...	125
		4,622
		22,006
24	<i>NELSON SECTION, 1903-4—43 miles.</i>	
	<i>Maintenance—</i>	
	Wages—Structures ...	570
	" Buildings ...	376
	Stores—Rails ...	235
	" Sleepers ...	1,198
	" Structures ...	905
	" Buildings ...	100
	" Miscellaneous ...	150
		3,534

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XVIII.—WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.		1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
		£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>			
24	NELSON SECTION— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Locomotive—</i>		
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	...	350
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	...	400
	Stores, " " Locomotive	...	200
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	...	280
	Fuel and Water-supply	...	836
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	...	50
	Contingencies	...	25
			2,135
	<i>Traffic—</i>		
	Casual Labour and Overtime	...	941
	Stores and Stationery	...	280
	Miscellaneous	...	100
			1,321
			6,990
25	PICTON SECTION, 1903-4—34 miles.		
	<i>Maintenance—</i>		
	Wages—Structures	...	452
	" Buildings	...	161
	" Miscellaneous	...	418
	Stores— Rails	...	330
	" Sleepers	...	800
	" Structures	...	780
	" Buildings	...	100
	" Miscellaneous	...	200
			3,241
	<i>Locomotive—</i>		
	Wages, Renewals, and Repairs, Locomotive	...	450
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	...	350
	Stores " " Locomotive	...	250
	" " " Carriage and Wagon	...	150
	Fuel and Water-supply	...	600
	Oil, Tallow, and Stores	...	70
	Contingencies	...	28
			1,898
	<i>Traffic—</i>		
	Casual Labour and Overtime	...	390
	Stores and Stationery	...	200
	Miscellaneous	...	117
			707
			5,846
26	MISCELLANEOUS—		
	Advance in respect of a dredge obtained on account of and to be recovered from the Westport Harbour Board	£25,000	
	Less amount to be paid within current year	14,000	
			11,000
27	Payments under "The Workers' Compensation for Accidents Act, 1900"	...	5,000
28	Cost of hearing Appeal Board Cases	...	300

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Item.	1903-4. 2,374 Miles.	
	£	£
WORKING RAILWAYS—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 71— <i>continued.</i>		
MISCELLANEOUS— <i>continued.</i>		
29	Increases to be paid to Employees in excess of the maximum rates of pay as set forth in the Schedules to the Government Railways Department Classification Act, 1901,—	
	First Division—	
	Special allowance of £10 per annum to Shorthand-writers, Class 1	100
	Second Division—	
	Increase of 1s. per day for Enginememen, Firemen, and Guards employed on Rimutaka Incline	350
30	<i>Lake Wakatipu Service—</i>	
	Working-expenses	6,000
		22,750
		1,408,692
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	25,000
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 71	1,383,692
TOTAL OF CLASS XVIII.		£1,383,692

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XIX.—PUBLIC AND SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND DOMAINS.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 72.—Public Buildings	725	22,880	23,605
„ 73.—School Buildings, Furniture, and Sites ... ..	...	29,725	29,725
„ 74.—Government Domains ... ..	...	1,300	1,300
TOTAL OF CLASS XIX.	725	53,905	54,630

Item.	PUBLIC BUILDINGS.	1903-4.	
		£	£
	Total number of officers	3	
	VOTE No. 72.		
1	MAINTENANCE, IMPROVEMENTS, FITTINGS, FURNITURE, ETC.—		
	<i>Salaries—</i>		
	Architect	425	
	Clerk	250	
	Fire Inspector (also Officer in Charge Departmental Buildings, £250)	50	
		725	
	<i>Other Charges—</i>		
	Government Houses—		
2	Auckland	200	
3	Wellington	700	
4	Parliamentary Buildings	1,700	
	Government Buildings throughout the Colony—		
5	Departmental Buildings	5,000	
6	Rents of offices for Government Departments	1,900	
7	Courthouses	2,000	
8	Gaols	400	
9	Police-stations	1,500	
10	Customhouses	200	
11	Post and Telegraph Offices	2,500	
12	Lunatic Asylums	1,500	
13	Quarantine Stations: Building, fitting, and furnishing same for health purposes	1,000	
14	Industrial and Training Schools	600	
15	Buildings not specified	1,000	
	Expenses in addition to or in excess of amount provided under “The Governor’s Salary and Allowances Act, 1873”—		
16	Fuel, Light, Water, and Cleaning for Official and Reception Rooms, Outbuildings, and Grounds, Government Houses	200	
17	Pay of Custodian during temporary absence of the Governor’s household from Government House, Wellington, October, 1900, to May, 1901	30	

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XIX.—PUBLIC AND SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND DOMAINS—*contd.*

Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
PUBLIC BUILDINGS—<i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 72— <i>continued.</i>			
MAINTENANCE, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>			
<i>Other Charges—continued.</i>			
18	Overseers' Wages, &c.	1,000	
19	Travelling-expenses	250	
20	Freight, Cartage, &c.	200	
21	Advertising	50	
22	Annual Services	200	
23	Contingencies	550	
24	Lyttelton Borough Council, for Extra Water supplied to Government Departments ...	200	
		22,880	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 72 ...		23,605
SCHOOL BUILDINGS, FURNITURE, AND SITES.			
VOTE No. 73.			
1	Grants to Education Boards for general maintenance of school buildings, rebuilding, furniture, fittings, sites, fencing, rents, &c.	19,250	
2	Grants to Education Boards for house allowances ...	8,000	
3	General maintenance of Native-school buildings, including painting, repairs, furniture, &c.	1,000	
4	General maintenance of industrial-school buildings, including painting, repairs, furniture, &c.	800	
5	General maintenance of deaf-mute school buildings, including painting, repairs, furniture, &c.	150	
6	New school building to replace disused school at Te One, Chatham Islands ...	525	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 73 ...		29,725
GOVERNMENT DOMAINS.			
VOTE No. 74.			
1	Wellington and Auckland ...	1,100	
2	Contingencies ...	200	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 74 ...		1,300
TOTAL OF CLASS XIX. ...			£54,630

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XX.—DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 75.—Defence Department ...	6,370	1,161	7,531
„ 76.—Permanent Militia and Volunteers	53,616	86,848	140,464
„ 77.—Stores and Magazines ...	5,125	700	5,825
„ 78.—South Africa Contingents ...	...	1,500	1,500
„ 79.—Miscellaneous Services ...	...	22,315	22,315
TOTAL OF CLASS XX. ...	65,111	112,524	177,635

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ..	38
VOTE No. 75.		
SALARIES—		
1	<i>Head Office—</i>	
	Under-Secretary for Defence...	450
	8 Clerks: 1 at £250, 2 at £200, 1 at £186 (also Private Secretary to Native Minister, £25), 1 at £175, 2 at £156, 1 at £130 ...	1,453
	1 Shorthand and Type Writer at 8s. per day ...	126
	Cadet ...	60
		2,089
2	<i>Military Establishment—</i>	
	Headquarters Staff—	
	Commandant (also house allowance, £100) ...	700
	Staff Officer (Artillery) (also house allowance, £50) ...	450
	Staff Officer (Engineer) (six months) ...	250
	Chief Staff Officer (also house allowance, £50) ...	260
	Staff Officer to Commandant (also house allowance, £50) ...	300
	Inspecting Officer, Defence Cadets and Rifle Clubs (also house allowance, £50) ...	150
	6 Clerks: 1 at £200, 1 at £185, 1 at £160, 3 at £156... ..	1,013
	2 Shorthand and Type Writers at 8s. per day ...	251
	2 Messengers at 8s. per day ...	251
		3,625

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CLASS XX.—DEFENCE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	DEFENCE DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 75— <i>continued.</i>		
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
3	School of Instruction—		
	Officer Commanding (also house allowance, £50) ...	400	
	1 Staff Sergeant-Major at 7s. per day (also house allowance, £50) ...	128	
	1 Clerk at 7s. per day (Central Board of Examination Staff) (also house allowance, £50) ...	128	
		656	
4	Allowances to Officers and Non-com. Officers attending Classes ...	500	
5	Clerical Allowance, School of Instruction ...	62	
6	Central Board of Examination Expenses ...	30	
7	Military Books, &c. ...	150	
		742	
		1,398	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
8	Extra Clerical Assistance ...	100	
9	Forage Allowance ...	175	
10	House Allowance ...	450	
11	Travelling-expenses ...	750	
12	Contingencies ...	600	
		2,075	
		9,187	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891" ...	1,656	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 75...		7,531
	PERMANENT MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS.		
	Total number of officers ..	1903-4.	405
	VOTE No. 76.		
	SALARIES—		
1	Royal New Zealand Artillery—		
	1 Lieutenant-Colonel (1 month) ...	25	
	4 Captains: 1 at £235, 3 at £200 per annum ...	835	
	1 Lieutenant and Adjutant ...	185	
	3 Lieutenants: 1 at £185, 2 at £150 per annum ...	485	
	2 Military Cadets at £60 per annum ...	120	
	2 Regimental Sergeants-Major at 10s. per day (also house allowance, £50 each) ...	365	
	3 Regimental Sergeants-Major at 10s. per day ...	548	
	4 Company Sergeants-Major at 8s. 6d. per day ...	621	
	1 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant at 8s. 6d. per day ...	156	
	12 Sergeant Artificers at 8s. 6d. per day ...	1,862	
	9 Sergeants at 8s. per day ...	1,314	
	9 Corporals at 7s. 6d. per day ...	1,232	
	9 Bombardiers at 7s. 3d. per day ...	1,191	
	8 Acting-Bombardiers at 6s. 10d. per day ...	998	
	56 First-class Gunners at 6s. 6d. per day ...	6,643	
	50 Second-class Gunners at 6s. per day ...	5,475	
	63 Second-class Gunners at 5s. 6d. per day ...	6,324	
	9 Trumpeters: 1 Brigade Trumpeter at 6s., 8 Trumpeters at 3s. per day ...	548	

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XX.—DEFENCE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
PERMANENT MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS—<i>contd.</i>		
VOTE No. 76— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
1	<i>Royal New Zealand Artillery—continued.</i>	
	1 Sergeant (Field Artillery Section) at 8s., 16 Drivers at 6s. per day	1,898
	1 Corporal-Saddler at 7s. 6d. per day	137
	1 Shoering-smith at 6s. 6d. per day	119
	4 Mobilisation Storekeepers (3 for 6 months) at 8s. per day	365
	3 Armourer-Sergeants (1 for 6 months) at 9s. per day	410
	4 Assistant Armourers at 5s. 6d. per day	402
		32,258
2	<i>Royal New Zealand Engineers—</i>	
	1 Major at £400 per annum	400
	2 Hon. Captains, Submarine-mining Boats, at £260 per annum	520
	2 Hon. Lieutenants, Submarine-mining Boats, at £260 per annum	520
	3 Lieutenants	450
	1 Military Cadet	60
	1 Instructor Submarine Mining at 8s. per day (also house allowance, £50)	146
	1 Regimental Sergeant-Major at 8s. per day	146
	4 Company Sergeants-Major at 8s. 6d. per day	621
	1 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant at 8s. 6d. per day	156
	11 Sergeant Mechanists at 8s. 6d. per day	1,707
	5 Sergeants at 8s. per day	730
	6 Corporals at 7s. 6d. per day	822
	4 Second-class Corporals at 7s. 3d. per day	530
	4 Acting Second-class Corporals at 7s. per day	511
	36 First-class Sappers at 7s. per day	4,599
	20 Second-class Sappers at 5s. 6d. per day	2,008
	Provision for increase of pay on promotions	500
		14,426
	OTHER CHARGES—	
3	Clothing (free issue), R.N.Z.A. and R.N.Z.E.	200
4	Clothing on Payment	800
5	Fuel, Light, and Water	800
6	House Allowance	475
7	Hospital Charges	100
8	Maintenance, Cost of Running (not including pay of crew), and Repairs of Torpedo-boats, Boat-sheds, Launches, &c.	2,088
9	Miscellaneous Stores	80
10	Medical Attendance, Medicine, &c., (including Salary of Civil Surgeon, Wellington)	410
11	Repairing, painting, &c., Buildings	200
12	Stores for Maintenance of Guns and Batteries	1,500
13	Scavenging	60
14	Travelling-expenses	850
15	Working-pay, Second Engineers Submarine-mining Boats	37
16	Working-pay, Crew of Launches	45
17	Contingencies	700
		8,345
		55,029

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XX.—DEFENCE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
PERMANENT MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS— <i>contd.</i>		
VOTE No. 76— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES—		
<i>Auckland—</i>		
18	Officer Commanding District (also house allowance, £50)	300
	5 Drill Instructors at 7s. per day (also house allowance, £50 each)	639
	2 Clerks	313
<i>Wellington—</i>		
19	Officer Commanding District (also house allowance, £50)	400
	District Adjutant	275
	Mounted Instructor (Officer) (also house allowance, £50)	201
	10 Drill Instructors at 7s. per day (also house allowance, £50 each)	1,278
	1 Clerk	156
<i>Nelson—</i>		
20	Officer Commanding (also house allowance, £50)	200
	District Adjutant	190
	3 Drill Instructors at 7s. per day (also house allowance, £50 each)	383
<i>Canterbury—</i>		
21	Officer Commanding District (also house allowance, £50)	325
	5 Drill Instructors at 7s. per day (also house allowance, £50 each)	639
	2 Clerks: 1 at £185, 1 at £156 per annum	341
<i>Otago—</i>		
22	Officer Commanding District (also house allowance, £50)	300
	6 Drill Instructors at 7s. per day (also house allowance, £50 each)	766
	1 Clerk at £156 per annum	156
	Cadet	70
		6,932
OTHER CHARGES—		
<i>Travelling-allowances—</i>		
23	<i>Auckland</i>	485
	<i>Wellington</i>	575
	<i>Nelson</i>	300
	<i>Canterbury</i>	270
	<i>Otago</i>	460
	Volunteer Staff (additional)	250
24	Advertising	600
25	Allowance for Canvas Targets	736
26	Capitation, Target, and Marking Allowances	39,000
27	Capitation for Cadets	963
28	Cleaning Offices	30
29	Daylight Parades	8,266
30	Efficiency Fees for Volunteers	1,000
31	Forage and House Allowances	2,038
32	Freight, Cartage, &c.	2,800
33	Guards of Honour, Escorts, &c.	125
34	Gun-cleaning Allowance, Field Batteries... ..	70
35	Horses for Guns, Field Engineers, and Bearer Corps	1,000
36	Labour, delivering Cargo	50
37	Maintenance and Repairs of Drill-sheds, Barrack-rooms, Mobilisation Stores, and Workshops	3,000

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XX.—DEFENCE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
PERMANENT MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS— <i>contd.</i>		
VOTE No. 76— <i>continued.</i>		
OTHER CHARGES— <i>continued.</i>		
38	Miscellaneous Stores	100
39	Naval Artillery Volunteers: Purchase, Repair, &c., of Boats	175
40	Printing Army List	60
41	Prizes for Rifle-shooting	2,100
42	Purchase and Keep of Horses for Field Batteries at Wellington	500
43	Rent of Offices, Fuel, Light, &c.	50
44	Rent, Repair, &c., of Rifle Ranges—	
	Auckland District	£1,000
	Wellington "	973
	Nelson "	480
	Canterbury "	185
	Otago "	112
	Contingencies	250
		3,000
45	Railway Fares for Defence Forces	3,100
46	Repairs to Tents, and Purchase of Flags, &c.	100
47	Refund Customs Duty, Colonial Ammunition Company	100
48	Tram and Ferry Tickets for Defence Forces	200
49	Telephone Connections	300
50	Volunteer Encampments and Manœuvres	10,000
51	Contingencies	700
		82,503
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	4,000
		78,503
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 76	140,464
STORES AND MAGAZINES.		
	Total number of officers	1903-4. 41
VOTE No. 77.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Auckland—	
	2 Magazine Keepers: 1 (also Defence Storekeeper) at £165, 1 at £130	295
	2 Arms Cleaners at £128	256
2	Wellington—	
	Storekeeper	290
	Assistant Storekeeper	185
	8 Clerks: 2 at £169, 6 at £156 per annum	1,274
	Foreman	183
	Storeman	160
	Armourer	180
	Armourer's Assistant	165
	Saddler	156
	12 Arms Cleaners at £128 per annum	1,536
	2 Magazine Keepers: 1 at £140, 1 at £120 per annum	260
3	Otago—	
	Caretaker, Powder Hulk	120
4	Other Districts—	
	7 Magazine Keepers	65
		5,125

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Item.	STORES AND MAGAZINES— <i>continued.</i>	1903-4.	
	VOTE No. 77— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES—	£	£
5	Clerical Assistance, Arms Cleaners, Labourers, &c. ...	200	
6	Repairs to Magazines, Hulks, Store Buildings, &c. ...	250	
7	Contingencies	250	
		700	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 77		5,825
	SOUTH AFRICA CONTINGENTS.		
	VOTE No. 78.		
1	SOUTH AFRICA CONTINGENTS—		
	Pay, Expenses, and Contingencies	4,000	
	Less credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	2,500	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 78		1,500
	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
	VOTE No. 79.		
1	Allowance to members Wellington Defence Force ...	80	
2	Annual grant for rifle prizes for shooting, &c. (open to the public)	450	
3	Compassionate allowance to the children of late Torpedoman Heighton, at the rate of £1 per week ...	52	
4	Compassionate allowance to ex-Torpedoman Cornwall for injuries received at the Shelly Bay explosion, at 15s. per week	39	
5	Compassionate allowance to the widow of the late Sergeant O. Olive, killed at Mahanga Bay explosion, at the rate of £1 per week	52	
6	Compassionate allowance to the widow and three children of the late Corporal H. Blick, killed at the Mahanga Bay explosion, at the rate of £1 10s. per week ...	78	
7	Compassionate allowance (7s. 6d. per week) to child of late Sapper W. A. Teague, killed at Mahanga Bay explosion	20	
8	Compassionate allowance of 2s. 2d. per diem to James Hamblyn, injured in Maori War	40	
9	Compassionate allowance, at £1 10s. per week, to C. C. Rookes for services rendered during Maori War	78	
10	Compassionate allowance to Richard Kenrick of 10s. per week for services rendered during the Maori War	18	
11	Compassionate allowance to widow of J. H. Jerred, Assistant Storekeeper	50	
12	Compensation to Officers and Non-commissioned Officers on retirement from service	2,000	
13	Compensation for use of and damage done to Newtown Park while occupied as a camp-ground for Volunteers and contingents ... £390		
	Less amount charged Imperial Government	140	
		250	
14	Compensation to Major Reid for loss of office as adjutant, Auckland District	50	
15	Construction of bridge to rifle-butts, Ashburton ...	100	
16	Cost of compiling and writing the history of the several New Zealand Contingents in connection with the South African War	300	
17	Cost of passages to England for Captain J. Falconer (late Inspector Submarine Mining) and Family ...	112	
18	Expenses of sending Rifle Team to Bisley ...	1,500	

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Item.	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES— <i>continued.</i>	1903—4.	
	VOTE No. 79— <i>continued.</i>		
19	Explosives Act Amendment Act, 1897, Expenses in connection with	£	£
		500	
20	Grant to recipients of N.Z. Cross	130	
21	Grant to Major Pilcher for services rendered in connection with New Zealand contingents in South Africa (including £250 voted 1902—3, not paid) ...	350	
22	Grant to W. A. Richardson on account of military services rendered to the colony	50	
23	Gratuity to three members Wellington Defence Force (£20 each)	60	
24	Gymnasiums for Volunteers	300	
25	Medical fees, under clauses 4 and 5 of "Military Pensions Act, 1866," for members of Pension Boards for examination of members of Contingents for pensions ...	250	
26	Naval training-ship	1,000	
27	Passages and Expenses of Military Officers sent to England for instruction	120	
28	Passages from England of Officers and Non-commissioned Officers	250	
29	Payment of Public Trust Office charges in connection with estates of deceased members of Contingents ...	250	
30	Payment equal to six months' salary to late Under-Secretary for Defence on resignation of his office	238	
31	Payment of claims for arrears of pay of members of First to Third Contingents, whose accounts cannot be verified	100	
32	Payment of pensions, allowances, and gratuities to those persons whose claims did not prior to "The Military Pensions Act Amendment Act, 1903," being passed come within the law as it then stood ...	1,500	
33	Payment of salary and house allowance from 1st April to 25th September, 1903, to Captain John Falconer (late Inspector of Submarine Mining) on retirement...	194	
34	Pension to Mrs. Elizabeth Ford	46	
35	Pension of late F. G. Rawson, continued to his Widow	45	
36	Pension to Aperahama Tahumirangi for wounds received while in the service of the New Zealand Government	10	
37	Proportion of salaries of two Inspectors of Explosives	178	
38	Proportion of salary and expenses of Imperial Officer in London as Inspector of Warlike Stores	275	
39	Purchase, &c., of medals	300	
40	Purchase of small-arms ammunition and cordite	20,000	
41	Refund to War Office of amount paid in error to Trooper H. Nightingale, and which is irrecoverable from him ...	29	
42	Removal of rocks, Opunake Harbour	400	
43	Repairs, &c., to military graveyards and Pokeno Cemetery Monument	200	
44	Rifle-shooting competitions expenses (New Zealand Defence Force Rifle Association)	1,000	
45	Special allowance to ex-Constable Packer for serious permanent injuries received in the service	40	
46	Special allowance to ex-Constable Miles Leighton for serious permanent injuries received in the service ...	30	
47	To clear Imprest Account of J. G. Davies, late Mounted Infantry Instructor, who overpaid himself 7s. 6d. out of imprest	1	
48	Wairau Massacre Monument (improvement of grounds)	50	
49	Contingencies	150	
		33,315	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	11,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 79	22,315	
TOTAL OF CLASS XX.		£177,635	

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XXI.—POLICE DEPARTMENT.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 80.—Police Department ...	98,339	27,802	126,141
„ 81.—Miscellaneous Services ...	...	1,730	1,730
TOTAL OF CLASS XXI. ...	98,339	29,532	127,871

Item.	POLICE DEPARTMENT.		1903-4.		
		Total number of officers ...	1903-4. 639	£	£
	VOTE No. 80.				
1	SALARIES—				
	Commissioner, £600 (three months) ...	...	...	150	
	Commissioner, £500 (nine months) ...	...	...	375	
	Chief Clerk, £285; Accountant, £270; 2 Clerks: 1 at £160, 1 at £125 ...	...	...	840	
	8 Inspectors: 1 at £375, 2 at £350, 2 at £325, 3 at £300 ...	...	...	2,625	
	4 Sub-Inspectors: 1 at £260, 3 at £250 ...	...	...	1,010	
	2 Sergeants-Major at 11s. 6d. per day ...	...	...	420	
	56 Sergeants: 13 at 11s., 12 at 10s. 6d., 15 at 10s., 16 at 9s. 6d. per day ...	...	...	10,449	
	513 Constables: 116 at 9s., 37 at 8s. 6d., 59 at 8s., 136 at 7s. 6d., 165 at 7s. per day ...	...	...	73,300	
	15 Additional Constables at 7s. per day (six months) ...	...	...	960	
	6 Probationers at 6s. per day ...	...	...	659	
	20 Detectives: 6 at 14s. 6d., 2 at 13s. 6d., 1 at 12s. 6d., 5 at 11s. 6d., 5 at 10s. 6d., 1 at 9s. 6d. per day ...	...	...	4,501	
	Native Constables ...	...	...	660	
	21 District Constables ...	...	...	1,054	
	Extra Pay to 15 Constables doing plain-clothes duty, and 10 District and Assistant Clerks, at 1s. per day ...	...	...	458	
	Female Searchers ...	...	...	50	
	4 Matrons: 1 at £105, 3 at £100 ...	...	...	405	
	Constable at Chatham Islands (and Clerk Resident Magistrate's Court, and Clerk Post Office) ...	...	...	38	
	3 Constables acting as Magazine-keepers: 2 at £5, 1 at £10 ...	...	...	20	
	Contribution to Salaries of Inspectors under Explosives Act: 1 at £58, 1 at £50 ...	...	...	108	
	4 Surgeons (1 at each centre), £100 each ...	...	...	400	
				98,482	
	Less contributions from other Departments ...	...	...	143	
				98,339	
	OTHER CHARGES—				
2	Allowance to Police using their own bicycles on duty ...	...	...	190	
3	Clothing ...	...	...	1,600	
4	Expenses of Finger-print Bureau ...	...	...	400	
5	Forage ...	...	...	1,900	
6	Freight and cartage ...	...	...	900	
7	Gas and water ...	...	...	1,100	
8	House Allowances—7 Inspectors: 1 at £65, 1 at £60, and 5 at £50; 2 Sub-Inspectors at £36 ...	...	...	447	

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XXI.—POLICE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	POLICE DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>	1903—4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 80— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES— <i>continued.</i>		
9	Lodging-allowance to married men of over three years' service who are unprovided with quarters—18 Sergeants at 1s. 6d., 135 Constables at 1s. per day ...	2,965	
10	Medical expenses and medicines ...	200	
11	Photographing prisoners, &c. ...	150	
12	Police prosecutions, defending appeals, &c. ...	2,000	
13	Purchase of horses ...	250	
14	Rations for prisoners, fuel, and light ...	1,200	
15	Rent of out-stations ...	2,250	
16	Repairing, painting, and improving Police premises ...	400	
17	Saddlery, &c. ...	100	
18	Scavenging and chimney-sweeping ...	250	
19	Shoeing horses ...	300	
20	Stores and supplies ...	550	
21	Telephone connections ...	650	
22	Travelling-expenses and transport of prisoners ...	10,500	
23	Contingencies ...	200	
		28,502	
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891" ...	700	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 80 ...	27,802	126,141
	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
	VOTE No. 81.		
1	Allowance to Walter Dinnie, Commissioner of Police, on appointment, towards passage from England, allowance for outfit expenses, freight, &c. ...	434	
2	Compassionate allowance to the widow of the late Constable Cornelius O'Sullivan ...	120	
3	Compassionate allowance to widow of late Police Constable Ferguson. (Recommended by Public Petitions Committee) ...	50	
4	Expenses attending the detection of sly-grog sellers ...	450	
5	Payment to J. B. Tunbridge, Commissioner of Police, on retirement, equivalent to three months salary at £600 per annum ...	150	
6	Payment to Walter Dinnie from the 8th of June (date of arrival in the colony) to the 30th June, 1903, prior to appointment as Commissioner of Police at £500 per annum ...	32	
7	Refund to prosecutor of portion of money found on C. Blake, and paid to Public Account as estreated recognisance. (Recommended by Public Petitions Committee) ...	4	
8	Rewards for conviction in sly-grog cases ...	450	
9	Special allowance to ex-Constable Stewart for serious permanent injuries received in the service ...	40	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 81 ...		1,730
	TOTAL OF CLASS XXI.		£127,871

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Totals.
	£	£	£
Vote 82.—Department of Lands and Survey	54,786	102,704	157,490
„ 83.—Miscellaneous Services	...	17,846	17,846
TOTAL OF CLASS XXII.	54,786	120,550	175,336

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers and artisans	246
	VOTE No. 82.	
	SALARIES—	
1	Head Office—	
	Surveyor-General and Secretary for Crown Lands	750
	Under-Secretary for Crown Lands	550
	7 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £400, 2 at £300, 1 at £310, 1 at £275, 1 at £270, 1 at £260	2,115
	8 Clerks: 1 (Chief) at £320, 1 at £285 (also Private Secretary to Minister of Lands, £25), 2 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £200, 1 at £180, 1 at £130	1,855
	Map-mounter	170
	4 Cadets: 1 at £60, 1 at £50, 2 at £40	190
	Magnetic Observer, £300; Assistant, £176	476
	Auditor of Land Revenue	390
	Superintendent of Settlements...	390
		6,886
2	Auckland District—	
	Assistant Surveyor-General and Commissioner of Crown Lands	575
	5 District Surveyors: 1 at £340, 1 at £310, 1 at £300, 1 at £270, 1 at £250	1,470
	4 Assistant Surveyors: 2 at £250, 1 at £220, 1 at £210	980
	11 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £320, 1 at £340, 1 at £275, 5 at £250, 1 at £230, 1 at £215, 1 at £150	2,780

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY—*continued.*

Item	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY— <i>continued.</i>		
NOTE No 82— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
2	<i>Auckland District—continued.</i>	
	10 Clerks: 1 (Receiver of Land Revenue) at £310, 1 (Chief) at £300, 1 at £240, 1 at £220, 1 at £205, 1 at £170, 1 at £160, 1 at £140, 1 at £120, 1 at £100	1,965
	9 Cadets: 2 at £100, 1 at £70, 2 at £60, 1 at £50, 3 at £40	560
	2 Rangers: 1 at £260, 1 at £220	480
		8,760
3	<i>Hawke's Bay District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	450
	3 District Surveyors: 1 at £350, 1 at £325, 1 at £250 Assistant Surveyor ...	925
	7 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £350, 1 at £325, 1 at £270, 2 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £230 ...	230
	3 Clerks: 1 (Receiver of Land Revenue) at £310, 1 at £190, 1 at £135	1,915
	3 Cadets: 1 at £100, 1 at £50, 1 at £40 ...	635
	2 Rangers: 1 at £275, 1 at £250	190
		525
		4,870
4	<i>Taranaki District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	425
	2 District Surveyors: 1 at £310, 1 at £260 ...	570
	2 Assistant Surveyors at £250 ...	500
	4 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £340, 1 at £275, 2 at £250	1,115
	4 Clerks: 1 (Chief) at £250, 1 (Receiver of Land Revenue) at £250, 1 at £190, 1 at £130 ...	820
	8 Cadets: 1 at £100, 1 at £70, 1 at £60, 2 at £50, 3 at £40	450
	Ranger	275
		4,155
5	<i>Wellington District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	525
	6 District Surveyors: 1 at £350, 1 at £325, 1 at £300, 1 at £260, 2 at £250	1,735
	3 Assistant Surveyors: 1 at £230, 2 at £165	560
	8 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £375, 1 at £330, 1 at £325, 1 at £260, 2 at £250, 1 at £165, 1 at £100	2,055
	4 Clerks: 1 (Chief) at £320, 1 (Receiver of Land Re- venue) at £270, 1 at £240, 1 at £140	970
	11 Cadets: 4 at £100, 3 at £70, 1 at £60, 2 at £50, 1 at £40	810
	2 Rangers: 1 at £275, 1 at £265	540
	Messenger	133
		7,328

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CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY—*continued*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 82— <i>continued.</i>		
SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
6	<i>Nelson District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	450
	3 District Surveyors: 1 at £355, 1 at £310, 1 at £290	955
	2 Assistant Surveyors: 1 at £250, 1 at £170 ...	420
	5 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £365, 1 at £275, 1 at £270, 1 at £265, 1 at £260 ...	1,435
	Clerk ...	250
	Cadet ...	...
		3,510
7	<i>Marlborough District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	500
	District Surveyor ...	280
	Assistant Surveyor ...	250
	4 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £285, 2 at £250, 1 at £140	925
	Cadet ...	60
	2 Rangers: 1 at £250, 1 at £100 ...	350
	Clerk ...	...
		2,365
8	<i>Westland District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	400
	Assistant Surveyor ...	250
	3 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £300, 1 at £220, 1 at £185	705
	Clerk ...	190
	5 Cadets: 1 at £100, 1 at £70, 3 at £50 ...	320
	Ranger ...	230
		2,095
9	<i>Canterbury District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	500
	2 District Surveyors: 1 at £310, 1 at £300 ...	610
	8 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £375, 1 at £325, 1 at £275, 3 at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £150 ...	2,115
	6 Clerks: 1 (Receiver of Land Revenue) at £290, 1 (Chief) at £250, 1 at £240, 1 at £190, 1 at £130, 1 at £110 ...	1,210
	2 Cadets: 1 at £60, 1 at £40 ...	100
	2 Rangers: 1 at £260, 1 at £250 ...	510
	2 Messengers: 1 at £122, 1 at £120 (also Office-keeper, £52) ...	242
		5,287
10	<i>Otago District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	500
	3 District Surveyors: 1 at £325, 1 at £260, 1 at £250	835
	9 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £350, 1 at £325, 2 at £285, 1 at £275, 1 at £250, 1 at £230, 1 at £160, 1 at £150 ...	2,310
	7 Clerks: 1 (Receiver of Land Revenue) at £350, 1 (Chief) at £330, 1 at £280, 1 at £190, 1 at £140, 2 at £110 ...	1,510
	2 Cadets: 1 at £70, 1 at £40 ...	110
	3 Rangers: 2 at £275, 1 at £225 ...	775
	Curator, Resolution Island ...	150
		6,190

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CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 82— <i>continued.</i>		
11	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>	
	<i>Southland District—</i>	
	Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	450
	District Surveyor	280
	Assistant Surveyor	250
	4 Draughtsmen: 1 (Chief) at £280, 1 at £285, 1 at £250, 1 at £235	1,050
	6 Clerks: 1 (Chief) at £260, 1 (also Receiver of Land Revenue) at £250, 1 at £180, 1 at £110, 2 at £100..	950
	Cadet	40
	3 Rangers: 1 at £260, 1 at £50, 1 at £10... ..	320
		3,340
		54,786
OTHER CHARGES—		
12	Equipment and Wages (Staff)	27,850
13	Temporary Surveyors and Parties	41,004
14	Contract and Schedule Surveys	600
15	Surveys: Landless Natives, &c.	500
16	Surveys under the Maori Lands Administration Act ...	1,000
17	Travelling-expenses	7,250
18	Instruments, Machinery, Paper, and other Office Requisites	2,000
19	Advertising, Printing, and Binding	3,500
20	Rent of Offices	600
21	Commission on Money-orders	800
22	Temporary Assistance	21,200
23	Cadets' Lodging-allowance	800
24	Fuel, Light, &c.	600
25	Contingencies	2,000
26	Additional temporary Draughtsmen and Clerks ...	3,000
		112,704
		167,490
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of "The Public Revenues Act, 1891"	10,000
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 82	157,490
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
VOTE No. 83.		
1	Arrears of rates due by Crown tenants (section 124, "Land Act, 1892")	100
2	Assistance to Mrs. Matheson to obtain transfer of Section 4, Tutaekara Village Settlement, from her late husband's name to herself	6
3	Back-pegging sections in Wellington District ...	200
4	Board of Examiners of Surveyors	50
5	Buffalo Domain Board—Fencing and improvement of domain	50
6	Claims under the Naval and Military Settlers Acts—	
	Charles Haddon	30
	Mrs S. A. Taylor, on account of the late John Cook ...	30
7	Clearing bush lands for settlement—Bushfelling by unemployed	1,000
8	Compensation <i>re</i> widening of Holsworthy Road ...	100

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CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 83—<i>continued.</i>		
9	Compensation to settlers in Gladstone Farm Homestead Block on surrendering their leases—	
	J. Parsons	79
	W. Hattan	109
	G. Adams	33
	W. F. Pidgeon	104
	G. Marsh	30
	A. J. Gould (survey fee)	6
	J. Gould (survey fee)	13
10	Compensation to James Speddiri for damage to land in lieu of all claims	60
11	Compensation for injuries to employees while in discharge of their duties, medical and other attendance during illness, and contingent expenses in connection with same	150
12	Contribution towards establishing a compareteur for surveyors' five-chain bands for use by the various Survey Departments in the British Empire	150
13	Cutting a drain in Sections 8 and 13, Block IV., Seaward Bush	10
14	Deficiency in area of land granted to J. Wallis, Whaingaroa Parish (75 acres)	40
15	Denniston Domain Board—Improvement of domain	20
16	Equality of exchange of Taurangi and Aorangi Blocks—Site of new township at Mangaroa, in the Ohura	100
17	Eradication of noxious weeds on Crown lands	2,000
18	Erection of Land Board Office, Hokitika, and repairs to offices	250
19	Erection of office and depot for surveyors, Ohura	50
20	Expenses of inquiries, &c.	100
21	Expenses of removal of temporary officers	200
22	Fees to Members of Waste Lands Boards	1,500
23	Felling and grassing village-site in Block VII., Tadmor Survey District	90
24	Felling and grassing site of proposed new township at Mangaroa	200
25	Fencing Section 42, Block XI., Ongo, forest reserve, for scenic purposes	160
26	Fencing and forming cemeteries	200
27	Fencing Geraldine Domain	30
28	Geraldine Reserve—Clearing, &c.	30
29	Grant to Christchurch Domain Board for maintenance of grounds at magnetic observatory	15
30	Grant to Otago Education Board for Pomahaka Downs School	40
31	Grant to Hunterville Domain Board for improvement of domain	50
32	Grass-seed for Crown lands and settlers	500
33	Half-cost of fencing boundary between Sections 25 and 26, Block V., Karioi	80
34	Half-cost of fencing common boundary between Rangitana Domain and Forest Reserve, Section 24, Block VIII., Makotuku	15
35	Half-cost telephone-line, Inangahua Junction—Berlin's	35
36	Havelock Reserve—Forming and levelling	100
37	In satisfaction of naval and military claims recommended for payment in Commissioner's Report, H.—13, 1898	60
38	In settlement of claim for triangulation work (A. F. Matthews)	386
39	Kauri Domain, Kaihu Valley—Fencing, &c.	121
40	Lake Pukaki plantations	4
41	Lyell Cemetery (clearing)	20

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CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY—*continued.*

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 83—<i>continued.</i>		
42	Morven Domain Subsidy (£1 for £1)	30
43	Pahiatua Reserve	100
44	Paraparaumu — Felling and fencing forest reserve boundary and game-breeding station	120
45	Paraparaumu and game-breeding station (subsidy)	100
46	Payment to the Land for Settlements Account of the capital values of reserves in—	
	Chamberlain Estate	51
	Hekeao Estate	30
	Rapuwai Estate	8
	Kohika Estate	316
	Waikakahi Estate	30
	Mead Estate	25
	Lyndon No. 1 Estate	63
	Kapua Estate	12
	Epuni Estate	269
47	Payment of rates on Hatuma Estate—	
	Waipawa County Council	373
	Waipukurau Road Board	538
	Napier Harbour Board	330
	Takapau and Wallingford Road Boards	8
48	Payment of rates on Kumeroa Estate—	
	Woodville County Council	92
49	Payment of rates on Forest Gate Estate—	
	Waipawa County Council	120
50	Payment of three months' salary to B. P. Bayly on being retired from the service	65
51	Preventing sand-drifts in Tarras district	60
52	Providing a domain for the City of Wellington (£1 for £1)	500
53	Providing better road access to A. W. Rubie's Section 24, Block III., Makotuku	20
54	Purchase of recreation reserve for Pukekohe	50
55	Purchase of land for road access to Crown lands	200
56	Rebate of rent to F. C. Yeoman, L.I.P. No. 52L, Opouriao Estate	3
57	Refund to settlers of special rates paid on account of five unselected sections in Manga-a-toro Estate	39
58	Refund to W. Duncan of deposit paid in error in respect of application for Pastoral Run 100, West- land	4
59	Refund to W. Courtenay of part rent paid on account Sections 8 and 9, Block VI., &c., Upper Waitara, forfeited by Land Board, as recommended by Public Petitions Committee	49
60	Refunds on account of lands disposed of, short acreage, &c.	100
61	Refunds for improvements effected	100
62	Remission of rent under section 53 of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900"—	
	D. Brown, Section 8, Block XI., Clifford Bay	46
	M. J. Dwyer, Section 6, Beaumont	58
	R. White, Section 28, Maerewhenua	16
	G. Newman, Sections 44 and 46, Momona	10
	M. O'Connor, Section 29, Maerewhenua	5
	R. Gordon, " 30, "	28
	J. O'Connor, " 31, "	6
	A. Whyte, " 27, "	9
	G. A. Scott, " 27, Merivale	35
	J. Scott, " 25, "	28
	R. Scott, " 28, "	39
63	Remission of rent to A. Greer, Small Grazing-run No. 13, Wairaki	19

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY—*continued.*

Item.		1903-4.	
		£	£
	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES— <i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 83— <i>continued.</i>		
64	Remission of rent under section 4 of "The Crown Tenants' Rent Rebate Act, 1900"— P. Mooney, Section 12, Block XIX., New River Hundred	6	
	J. C. Collins, Section 4, Block X, Waikawa	3	
65	Remission of rents, Mahora and Tomoana Estates, on account of damage by flood	276	
66	Repayment to Loans to Local Bodies Account of amount overspent on Puhipuhi Block	268	
67	Repayment of amount spent out of Government Loans to Local Bodies Account on Rawhitiroa Block, now reserved as a State forest	4	
68	Repayment to Loans to Local Bodies Account of loading on portion of Section 3, Block XI., Opaku, reserved as a State forest	145	
69	Resumption of part Section 77, Tikorangi, for scenic purposes	3	
70	River protective works (Wanganui River, South Westland)—Subsidy to Westland County Council (£1 for £1)	100	
71	Somes Island Plantation	350	
72	South Westland mail-steamer subsidy, monthly service	250	
73	St. Albans Borough Council: Subsidy for purchase of recreation-ground (£1 for £1)	774	
74	Subsidy to doctors in outlying districts	500	
75	Subsidy towards purchase of land for cemetery at Belfast	225	
76	Subsidy towards purchase of portion of Kaiti Hill, Gisborne, for recreation-ground (£1 for £1)	100	
77	Subsidy towards providing recreation-ground at Thames	200	
78	Subsidy towards purchase of land for cemetery at Gladstone (£1 for £1)	25	
79	Subsidy for steamer service, Wanganui River	350	
80	Subsidy towards purchase of Richmond Park, Nelson, for show ground, &c. (£1 for £2)	800	
81	Subsidy for drain through part of Seaward Bush Township (£1 for £2)	15	
82	Subsidy Hyde Domain Board for fencing (£1 for £1)	25	
83	Subsidy purchase of a domain and show ground, Waipu (£1 for £1)	200	
84	Subsidy for doctor, Kawhia district	50	
85	To prevent encroachment of rivers on Crown reserves	150	
86	Value of buildings on Section 115, Epuni Hamlet, reserved for a school-site	25	
87	Westland Acclimatisation Society (£1 for £1)	147	
88	Wire rope and cage over Rangitikei River at Omatane...	45	
	TOTAL—VOTE NO. 83		17,846
	TOTAL OF CLASS XXII.		£175,336

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

CLASS XXIII.—VALUATION DEPARTMENT.

		1903-4		
		Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
		£	£	£
	Vote 84.—Valuation Expenses ...	12,314	16,150	28,464
	TOTAL OF CLASS XXIII. ...	12,314	16,150	28,464

Item.	VALUATION EXPENSES.		1903-4.	
			£	£
		Total number of officers ..		1903-4. 58
	VOTE No. 84.			
1	SALARIES—			
	Deputy Valuer-General (also Deputy Commissioner of Taxes, £400, and Deputy Superintendent Advances to Settlers Office, £50) ..		75	
	Chief Clerk (also Land and Income Tax, £300, and Advances to Settlers Office, £50) ..		25	
	6 Clerks: 1 at £240, 1 at £210, 2 at £175, 1 at £165, 1 at £130 ..		1,095	
	Cadet ..		70	
	4 Draughtsmen: 1 at £230, 3 at £156 ..		698	
	4 Supervising Valuers at £500 ..		2,000	
	29 District Valuers: 1 at £400, 4 at £300, 2 at £275, 5 at £250, 3 at £235, 1 at £230, 1 at £225, 2 at £220, 3 at £210, 2 at £200, 1 at £150, 4 at £100 ..		6,580	
	9 Clerks: Dunedin, 1 at £250; Auckland, 1 at £235, 1 at £175, 1 at £125, 1 at £110; Christchurch, 1 at £200, 1 at £180; Invercargill, 1 at £220, 1 at £150 ..		1,645	
	Cadet (Invercargill) ..		50	
	Lodging-allowance ..		26	
	Messenger (also Land and Income Tax, £63, and Advances to Settlers, £25) ..		50	
			12,314	
	OTHER CHARGES—			
2	Advertising ..		200	
3	Assessment Court expenses ..		750	
4	Clerical assistance ..		7,500	
5	Fees to Valuers ..		900	
6	Legal expenses ..		150	
7	Maps ..		300	
8	Rent ..		350	
9	Revision of districts ..		1,600	
10	Travelling-expenses ..		4,000	
11	Contingencies ..		400	
			16,150	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 84 ...			28,464
TOTAL OF CLASS XXIII.....				£28,464

Appropriations for State Forests Account.

NEW ZEALAND STATE FORESTS ACCOUNT.

MINISTER OF LANDS.

Vote No. 115.—State Forests Branch of the Lands and Survey Department	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
	1,625	28,673	30,298
TOTAL	1,625	28,673	30,298

Item	1903-4.	
	£	£
STATE FORESTS BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.		
	1903-4.	
	Total number of officers ..	10
VOTE No. 115.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Chief Forester (also Inspector Tourists Reserves, £100)	200
	9 Assistant Foresters and Nursery Overseers: 1 at £175, 1 at £160, 2 at £150, 3 at £140, 2 at £135 ...	1,325
	Chief Forester: Increase to salary for 1902-3 ...	100
		1,625
	OTHER CHARGES—	
	Fencing, Buildings, Planting, Material, &c.—	
	Nurseries—	
2	Eweburn	£1,175
3	Rotorua and extension	5,535
4	Starborough	1,940
5	Tapanui and extension	2,635
6	Wellington	1,200
7	Hanmer	775
	Plantations—	
8	Survey Paddock, Naseby (to complete) ...	172
9	Gimmerburn Reserve	392
10	Dusky Hill (to complete)	1,010
11	Conical Hills	2,550
12	Hanmer Springs	815
13	Whakarewarewa	1,100
14	Waiotapu and extension	1,485
15	Kaingaroa (maintenance)	75
16	Ruatangata	490
17	Dumgree	1,580
18	Dumgree: Purchase of land	3,600
		26,529
19	Management and contingent expenses: State forests ...	600
20	Planting reserves, Mackenzie County (from rents of reserves)	324
21	Travelling allowances and expenses	325
22	Extension of nurseries and additional plantations ...	500
23	Albury Estate plantations: Clearing, &c.	70
24	Clerical assistance	175
25	Contingencies	150
		28,673
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 115...	30,298

STATE FORESTS ACCOUNT £30,298

Appropriations for State Coal-mines Account.

STATE COAL-MINES ACCOUNT.

MINISTER OF LANDS.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 116.—State Coal-mines	525	66,395	66,920
TOTAL	525	66,395	66,920

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
STATE COAL-MINES.		
VOTE No. 116.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Manager, State Coal-mines	525
	OTHER CHARGES—	
2	Seddonville Colliery Expenses	14,000
3	Point Elizabeth Colliery Expenses	26,000
4	Completing and equipping the Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Railway	26,000
5	Compensation due to relatives of the late John Edgar under "The Workers' Compensation for Accidents Act, 1900"	395
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 116	66,395
		66,920

STATE COAL-MINES ACCOUNT ... £66,920

Appropriations for Land for Settlements Account.

LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT.

MINISTER OF LANDS.

	1903-4.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 117.—Land for Settlements Expenses	1,050	5,950	7,000
TOTAL	1,050	5,950	7,000

Item.				1903-4.	
	LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS EXPENSES.			£	£
	Total number of officers	..	1903-4. 2		
	VOTE No. 117.				
1	SALARIES—				
	Land-Purchase Inspector	...	...	800	
	Clerk	...	...	250	
				1,050	
	OTHER CHARGES—				
2	Preliminary expenses	...	...	5,700	
3	Contingencies	...	...	250	
				5,950	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 117	...	...		7,000

LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT ... £7,000

NOTE.—For Votes 118 and 119, see B.-7A.

Appropriations for Public Trust Office Account.

PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACCOUNT.

Item.	1903-4.	
	£	£
Chargeable on the Public Trust Office Account.		
COLONIAL TREASURER.		
	Total number of officers ..	1903-4. 54
	VOTE No. 120.	
1	SALARIES—	
	Public Trustee	800
	Deputy Public Trustee	25
	Solicitor	500
	Chief Clerk	400
	Assistant Chief Clerk	350
	Accountant	250
	Examiner	200
	17 Clerks: 1 at £300, 3 at £235, 2 at £210, 1 at £195, 1 at £185, 2 at £160, 1 at £140, 4 at £130, 2 at £120	3,025
	9 Cadets: 1 at £90, 1 at £80, 1 at £70, 2 at £60, 1 at £50, 3 at £40	530
	5 Shorthand-writers and Typists: 1 at £130, 1 at £80, 1 at £70, 2 at £50	380
	Reserves Agent and District Agent	300
	New Plymouth: Clerk, District Agent	210
	New Plymouth: Cadet	40
	District Agents: Auckland	360
	Christchurch	350
	Dunedin	285
	Greymouth	195
	Nelson	175
	Clerks and Cadets at Agencies—	
	Auckland, 1 at £160, 1 at £80	240
	Christchurch, 1 at £185, 1 at £110, 1 at £90, 1 at £75	460
	Dunedin, 1 at £185, 1 (cadet) at £75	260
	Local Audit, £240; London Agency, £100	340
		9,675
	OTHER CHARGES—	
2	Inspection of properties	200
3	New premises, Wellington, for Public Trust Office: Erection of building, furnishing, &c.	15,000
		15,200
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 120	24,875
PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACCOUNT		£24,875

Appropriations for Government Insurance Account.

GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

Item.	Chargeable on the Government Insurance Account.	1903-4.	
		£	£
	COLONIAL TREASURER.		
	Total number of officers ..		1903-4. 109
	VOTE No. 121.		
	SALARIES—		
1	<i>Head Office—</i>		
	Commissioner (also Accident, £100)	850	
	Assistant Commissioner	500	
	Actuary (also Accident, £25)	650	
	Secretary (also Accident, £25)	600	
	Chief Medical Officer	400	
	Accountant (also Accident, £15)	400	
	Chief Clerk (also Accident, £15)	325	
	Assistant Actuary (also Accident, £25)	330	
	Office Examiner (also Accident, £15)	290	
	41 Clerks: 1 at £290, 1 at £250, 2 at £230 (also Accident, £10 each), 2 at £220 (also Accident, £10 each), 3 at £210, 1 at £210 (also Accident, £25), 6 at £200, 1 at £190, 1 at £185, 1 at £180 (also Accident, £10), 1 at £180, 1 at £176 (also private secretary to Colonial Treasurer, £25), 1 at £175, 5 at £170, 6 at £160, 3 at £150, 2 at £140, 3 at £130	7,496	
	30 Cadets: 1 at £90, 1 at £80, 8 at £70, 5 at £60, 13 at £50, 2 at £40	1,760	
	For auditing accounts	240	
	Chief Messenger	198	
	<i>Local Offices—</i>		
2	<i>Wellington Agency—</i>	14,039	
	District Manager (and Supervisor of New Business), (also Accident, £25)	550	
	3 Clerks: 1 at £245 (also Accident, £15), 1 at £200, 1 at £160	605	
	Cadet	100	
		1,255	
3	<i>Auckland Agency—</i>		
	District Manager (also Accident, £25)	450	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £240 (also Accident, £15), 1 at £185	425	
	Cadet	60	
		935	
4	<i>Christchurch Agency—</i>		
	District Manager (also Accident, £25)	450	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £235 (also Accident, £15), 1 at £170	405	
	Clerk	110	
		965	
5	<i>Dunedin Agency—</i>		
	District Manager (also Accident, £25)	450	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £195 (also Accident, £15), 1 at £180	375	
	Cadet	60	
		885	
6	<i>Napier Agency—</i>		
	Resident Agent	300	
	Cadet	50	
		350	

*Appropriations for Government Insurance Account.*GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT—*continued.*

Item.	COLONIAL TREASURER— <i>continued.</i>			1903-4.	
				£	£
	VOTE No. 121— <i>continued.</i>				
	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>				
	Local Offices— <i>continued.</i>				
7	Wanganui Agency—				
	Resident Agent (also Accident, £15)	...	...	215	
	Cadet	...	...	100	
				315	
8	Nelson Agency—				
	Resident Agent	...	...	250	
	Cadet	...	...	60	
				310	
9	Timaru Agency—				
	Resident Agent (also Accident, £15)	...	...	190	
	Cadet	...	...	60	
				250	
10	Oamaru Agency—				
	Resident Agent (also Accident, £15)	...	...	185	
	Cadet	...	...	60	
				245	
11	Invercargill Agency—				
	Resident Agent (also Accident, £15)	...	...	235	
	Cadet	...	...	100	
				335	
12	Greymouth Agency—				
	Resident Agent (also Accident, £15)	...	...	230	
	Cadet	...	...	60	
				290	
13	London—Agent-General's Office—				
	Half Salary of one Clerk	...	...	100	
				6,235	
	OTHER CHARGES—				
14	Extra Clerical Assistance	...	...	2,000	
15	Commission	...	...	16,000	
16	Medical Fees	...	...	5,000	
17	Travelling-expenses	...	...	1,000	
18	Advertising, Printing, and Stationery	...	...	2,500	
19	Postage and Telegrams	...	...	2,000	
20	Triennial Expenses	...	...	2,500	
21	Compensation for loss of office, Mr. D. J. McG.				
	McKenzie	...	...	267	
22	Contingencies	...	...	5,000	
				36,267	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 121	...	...		56,541

GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT ... £56,541

Appropriations for Government Accident Insurance Account.

GOVERNMENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

Item.	Chargeable on the Government Accident Insurance Account. COLONIAL TREASURER.	1903-4.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 122.		
	SALARIES—		
1	Head Office—		
	Commissioner (also Life Insurance, £800) ...	100	
	Actuary (also Life Insurance, £600) ...	25	
	Secretary (also Life Insurance, £550) ...	25	
	Accountant (also Life Insurance, £375) ...	15	
	Chief Clerk (also Life Insurance, £300) ...	15	
	Assistant Actuary (also Life Insurance, £295) ...	25	
	Office Examiner (also Life Insurance, £275) ...	15	
	6 Clerks : 2 at £10 (also Life Insurance, £230 each), 2 at £10 (also Life Insurance, £210 each), 1 at £25 (also Life Insurance, £210), 1 at £10 (also Life Insurance, £170) ...	75	
		295	
2	Local Offices—		
	Wellington Agency—		
	District Manager (also Life Insurance, £500) ...	25	
	Clerk (also Life Insurance, £235) ...	15	
		40	
3	Auckland Agency—		
	District Manager (also Life Insurance, £450) ...	25	
	Clerk (also Life Insurance, £230) ...	15	
		40	
4	Christchurch Agency—		
	District Manager (also Life Insurance, £450) ...	25	
	Clerk (also Life Insurance, £235) ...	15	
		40	
5	Dunedin Agency—		
	District Manager (also Life Insurance, £450) ...	25	
	Clerk (also Life Insurance, £185) ...	15	
		40	
6	Wanganui Agency—		
	Resident Agent (also Life Insurance, £205) ...	15	
7	Timaru Agency—		
	Resident Agent (also Life Insurance, £190) ...	15	
8	Oamaru Agency—		
	Resident Agent (also Life Insurance, £175) ...	15	
9	Invercargill Agency—		
	Resident Agent (also Life Insurance, £235) ...	15	
10	Greymouth Agency—		
	Resident Agent (also Life Insurance, £230) ...	15	
		235	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
11	Advertising, Printing, and Stationery ...	500	
12	Commission ...	5,000	
13	Extra Clerical Assistance ...	500	
14	Postage and Telegrams ...	500	
15	Travelling-expenses ...	500	
16	Contingencies (including provision for payments to Life Branch under clause 28 of "The Government Accident Insurance Act, 1899") ...	1,000	
		8,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 122...		8,530
	GOVERNMENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT ...		£8,530

Appropriations for Advances to Settlers Office.

**GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS OFFICE
MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT.**

Item.	Chargeable to the Government Advances to Settlers Office Management Account.	1903-4.	
	MINISTER OF LANDS.	£	£
	Total number of officers ..	1903-4. 26	
	VOTE No. 123.		
1	SALARIES—		
	Superintendent (also Commissioner of Taxes, £650, and Valuer-General, nil) ..	250	
	Deputy Superintendent (also Deputy Commissioner of Taxes, £400, and Deputy Valuer-General, £75) ..	50	
	Chief Clerk (also Chief Clerk, Land and Income Tax Department, £300, and Valuation Department, £25) ..	50	
	Inspecting Accountant (also Accountant, Land and Income Tax Department, £350, and Valuator of Deceased Persons' Estates, £100) ..	50	
	Receiver (also Land and Income Tax Department, £250) ..	10	
	14 Clerks: 1 at £290, 1 at £200, 1 at £195, 1 at £190, 2 at £185, 2 at £180, 1 at £175, 2 at £170, 1 at £156, 2 at £150 ..	2,576	
	5 Cadets: 1 at £100, 1 at £85, 1 at £65, 1 at £60, 1 at £50 ..	360	
	Lodging-allowance: 5 at £26 ..	130	
	Member of the Board not in Civil Service ..	163	
	Messenger (also Land and Income Tax Department, £63, and Valuation Department, £50) ..	25	
		3,664	
	OTHER CHARGES—		
2	Advertising ..	25	
3	Contribution to Post Office ..	800	
4	Contribution to Valuation Department ..	2,500	
5	Fire-insurance Premiums temporarily advanced to prevent Policies lapsing ..	50	
6	Interest on Loan ..	98,200	
7	Interest on Amounts deposited against Loans ..	150	
8	Printing and Stationery ..	200	
9	Proportion of Audit Expenses ..	200	
10	Refund Valuation Fees on Loans not entertained ..	150	
11	Contingencies ..	400	
		102,675	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 123...		106,339

**GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS
OFFICE MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT } £106,339**

STATE FIRE INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

Item.	Chargeable on the State Fire Insurance Account.	1903-4.	
	COLONIAL TREASURER.	£	£
	VOTE No. 124.		
	STATE FIRE INSURANCE EXPENSES—		
1	Preliminary expenses and contingencies ..	5,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 124...		5,000
	STATE FIRE INSURANCE ACCOUNT		£5,000