

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, 1903-1904.

STATEMENT in Detail of the EXPENDITURE for MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—*contd.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				3,000	4	2	41,976	14	11
CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY—<i>continued.</i>									
VOTE No. 12—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>									
Item 65—General Contingencies—<i>continued.</i>									
Railway-fares of fire brigades				14	17	11			
Rent-allowance, New Plymouth				48	0	0			
Rewards for arrest of deserters				45	0	0			
Sessional allowance to messengers				308	0	0			
Sessional allowances to secretaries				175	0	0			
Shipment of native birds to England				36	15	8			
Shipment of birds to New Zealand				471	18	3			
Shipment of native plants to England				82	4	4			
Subscriptions to telephones				396	11	10			
Travelling-allowance of Ministers				1,158	0	0			
Travelling-expenses of Ministers				1,305	1	11			
Travelling-expenses of Labour delegates				59	2	10			
Travelling-allowances, officers of Departments				169	18	3			
Towels, washing, &c.				100	1	8			
Typewriters and requisites				127	1	0			
Weights and measures				57	5	10			
							7,555	3	8
Total net expenditure, Vote No. 12							£49,531	18	7
CLASS V.—COLONIAL TREASURER:—									
VOTE No. 20—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES:—									
Item 1—Discount and stamp duty on remittances to London							4,791	19	10
Item 2—Expenses attending the annual "drawing" of debentures issued under "The Consolidated Loan Act, 1867"—									
Advertising, &c.				34	19	9			
Crown Agents commission, at $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., on redemption of £55,900 5-per-cent. consolidated debentures				279	10	0			
Notarial charges				21	0	0			
							335	9	9
Item 3—Expenses in connection with the importation of silver and bronze coinage (to be recovered from Royal Mint)									
Item 4—Exchange and commission,—									
Commission paid Bank of New Zealand on remittances by telegraph in the colony				802	11	10			
Commission on payment of dividends,—									
Bank of New Zealand	9	8	2						
Crown Agents	89	6	8						
				98	14	10			
Commission on money-orders and letters of credit				8	13	0			
Exchange on drafts and cheques				91	12	3			
Exchange on remittances to London				4,375	0	0			
				5,376	11	11			
Less amounts refunded by Departments for exchange				263	0	4			
							5,113	11	7
Item 5—Extra clerical assistance							1,639	17	0
Item 6—Interest on amount advanced in anticipation of issue of debentures							105	4	1
Item 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"							21	13	4
Item 8—Refund to the Public Trustee for payment to next of kin of amount paid into the Consolidated Fund in respect of intestate estate of James Stewart							15	7	2
Item 9—Salary of Registrar of Consols, 1st April, 1903, to 31st March, 1904							50	0	0
Item 10—Salary of Secretary, Civil Service Officers' Guarantee Board, 1st April, 1903, to 31st March, 1904							50	0	0
Item 11—Wages of assistant binders							314	0	0
Item 12—Contingencies,—									
Allowance to Treasury messenger				20	0	0			
Books, newspapers, and publications				62	10	7			
Cleaning offices				6	0	0			
Commission allowed to Receiver, Te Puke Drainage Board, appointed by the Supreme Court				8	6	3			
Duplicator and typewriter requisites				10	1	6			
Engraving steel plate for debentures, including freight and expenses				298	19	6			
Expenses allowed to officers while working overtime				54	6	0			
Sundries				86	13	4			
Telephone subscriptions and repairs				24	0	0			
Travelling-expenses				66	18	1			
							637	15	3
Total net expenditure, Vote No. 20							£13,074	18	0
CLASS VII.—MINISTER OF JUSTICE:—									
VOTE No. 33—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES:—									
Item 1—Advertising, purchase of books, &c.							115	4	10
Item 2—Compassionate allowance to widow of late Bailiff Redmond, Tauranga							50	0	0
Item 3—Compassionate allowance to widow of late Bailiff, Blenheim							150	0	0
Item 4—Compassionate allowance to widow of late Messenger Grantham, Patent Office, Wellington							50	0	0
Item 5—Compassionate allowance to Catherine Allen, widow of late John Allen, S.M., Blenheim							150	0	0
Carried forward							515	4	10