

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

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

Item.	1912-13.	
	£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—<i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 15—<i>continued.</i>		
CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—<i>continued.</i>		
4	Audit fees	200
5	Automatic franking-machine: Refunds on spoiled impressions	500
6	Carriage of Private Bags	800
7	Cash lost or stolen by fires, burglaries, &c.— Matiere—Ongarue mail-bag, containing remittance, stolen	£146
	Te Hana Post-office, burglary	40
	A. R. Hillmer, theft	163
	Money-order No. 3521, Invercargill on Wellington, paid on forged signature	8
8	Cash registers for telegraph counters, Purchase of, £624 (on account)	312
9	Cleaning and scavenging	6,000
10	Compassionate allowance, Mrs. Parker	297
11	Compensation for articles lost or damaged during transmission by post	75
12	Compensation to A. F. Wimsett, to pay legal expenses of defence	100
13	Expenses of Chief Electrician's trip to Europe and America	525
14	Fees to non-permanent telephonists	600
15	Fire-extinguishers	950
16	Forage allowances	890
17	Fraudulent withdrawals from Post-office Savings-bank— Account 137270, Auckland	£25
	Account 195250, Christchurch	78
		103
18	Grant to John Schofield, for injuries received whilst on duty	100
19	Hire of Dickie stamp-vending machines	250
20	Home savings-banks, Purchase of	1,000
21	Legal expenses	200
22	Light, fuel, and water	9,700
23	Lodging allowances to cadets and cadettes	5,300
24	Motor-lorries for carriage of mails	3,444
25	New typewriters and repairs to typewriters	1,000
26	New Zealand's share of the cost of International Postal and Telegraph Bureaux, Berne, for the year 1908	150
27	Night clerks and miscellaneous allowances	1,200
28	Office expenses	5,500
29	Old-age Pensions— Allowances to Postmasters	£300
	Fees for certificates of age	40
	Interpreters' fees	25
	Printing	300
	Travelling allowances and expenses of officers, Magistrates, Registrars, Police, and pensioners	50
		715
30	Overtime	7,000
31	Plant for Wellington City mail-service	400
32	Parcel-post expenses	6,000
33	Postage stamps, Cost of new designs and dies	700
34	Postal Inspectors' travelling-expenses	1,800
35	Post-marking machines for various offices	100
36	Printing, binding, &c.	15,000
37	Purchase and hire of bicycles and motor-cycles, and allowances to officers using their own machines	8,750
38	Railway travelling post-offices allowances	2,700
39	Relieving-expenses	3,800
40	Removal expenses	5,000
41	Rent of premises throughout the Dominion	4,000
42	Repairs, fittings, new buildings, &c.	4,500