

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*

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

Item.	1914-15.	
	£	£
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 17— <i>continued.</i>		
CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>		
4	Office Management Expenses— <i>continued.</i>	
	Legal expenses ... ..	100
	Light, fuel, and water ... ..	12,500
	Mail-bags, purchase of ... ..	1,750
	New Zealand's share of the cost of International Postal and Telegraph Bureaux, Berne ... ..	150
	Office expenses ... ..	8,750
	Rent of premises ... ..	2,600
	Stationery, printing, and binding ... ..	33,000
	Temporary officers, letter-carriers, and messengers ... ..	9,250
	Exchange cadettes ... ..	4,500
	Clerks and telegraphists ... ..	500
		81,600
5	Overtime ... ..	10,500
6	Parcel-post expenses ... ..	8,500
7	Repairs, fittings, new buildings, &c. ... ..	6,500
8	Sundry Items—	
	Compensation for articles lost or damaged during transmission by post	75
	Compensation, legal action Partridge v. King (accident caused by line opera- tions at Christchurch frightening horse) ... ..	491
	Compensation to widow of late J. Comeskey, Postmaster, Upper Hutt	520
	Destructor for stores ... ..	450
	Fraudulent withdrawal, Savings-bank Account, Wellington, 249301 ... ..	8
	Fraudulent withdrawal, Savings-bank Account, Greymouth, 31191 ... ..	8
	Fraudulent withdrawal, Savings-bank Account, Christchurch, 252702 ... ..	20
	Fraudulent withdrawal from Savings- bank Account No. 208485, Auckland	16
	Forged bank-notes tendered at Auckland	20
	Madrid Postal Conference—	
	Grant to Secretary, Post and Tele- graph Department, to cover ex- penses of self and private secretary in Canada, United States, and Australia ... ..	428
	Steamer fares, Auckland - Vancouver and San Francisco - Sydney - Wel- lington ... ..	200
	Medical Expenses of Officers injured on Duty—	
	C. H. Mathieson, Invercargill ... ..	30
	A. T. Stevenson, Wanganui ... ..	32
	Money-order Telegrams Paid on Forged Signatures—	
	Dargaville ... ..	5
	Palmerston North ... ..	2
	Ellerslie ... ..	3
	Pensions for officers, retired, whose allowance from the Superannuation Fund is under £52 per annum ... ..	150
	Remittances stolen from Railway Trains—	
	Turakina-Wanganui ... ..	32
	Kakahi-Taumarunui ... ..	114
	Whakamatau burglary ... ..	258
		2,862