

## RETURNS.

RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF THE MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1920.

	Details.			Totals.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Head Office: Salaries of staff .. .. .	..	..	..	4,994	5	1
Harbours:—						
Greymouth,—						
Salary of Engineer .. .. .	..	..	..	525	0	0
Hokianga,—						
Salaries of staff .. .. .	677	10	0			
Repairs to launch .. .. .	32	9	4			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	189	15	5			
Kaipara,—				899	14	9
Salaries of staff .. .. .	610	17	3			
Fascines for beacons .. .. .	37	15	9			
Repairs to launch .. .. .	19	9	8			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	167	3	8			
Wellington,—				835	6	4
Salary of storeman .. .. .	..	..	..	265	0	0
Somes Island,—						
Salary .. .. .	195	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	266	0	6			
Picton,—				461	0	6
Salary .. .. .	337	2	10			
House for Harbourmaster .. .. .	1,260	8	1			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	42	3	8			
				1,639	14	7
Ngunguru,—						
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	15	0	0
Napier,—						
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	20	0	0
Marokopa,—						
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	10	0	0
Tongaporutu,—						
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	25	0	0
Mokau,—						
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	58	6	0
Waitapu,—						
Salary .. .. .	25	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	3	5	5			
Awakino,—				28	5	5
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	20	0	0
Collingwood,—						
Salary .. .. .	70	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	59	0	6			
Karamea,—				129	0	6
Salary .. .. .	145	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	112	15	2			
Little Wanganui,—				257	15	2
Piloting vessels .. .. .	..	..	..	16	0	0
Hokitika,—						
Salary .. .. .	20	0	0			
Gas and contingencies .. .. .	13	0	10			
Okarito,—				33	0	10
Salary .. .. .	120	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	44	16	8			
Okuru,—				164	16	8
Salary .. .. .	60	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	7	2	9			
Waikawa,—				67	2	9
Salary .. .. .	..	..	..	10	0	0
Anglem Point,—						
Salary .. .. .	35	0	0			
Stores and contingencies .. .. .	10	4	3			
				45	4	3
Supervision of beaches, Hauraki Gulf .. .. .	..	..	..	25	0	0
General contingencies .. .. .	..	..	..	261	14	9
				10,806	7	7
Total .. .. .						
Lighthouses:—						
Salaries .. .. .	12,838	1	5			
Oil, stores, and contingencies .. .. .	11,455	10	5			
Keepers' station and travelling allowances .. .. .	1,421	12	2			
Compensation for William Murray .. .. .	300	0	0			
Crane for Cuvier Island .. .. .	166	12	0			
				26,181	16	0
Meteorological Office:—						
Salaries .. .. .	1,481	17	10			
Cleaning offices .. .. .	29	19	0			
Extra clerical assistance .. .. .	91	11	8			
Inspection of stations .. .. .	34	11	5			
Postage, telegrams, rent of boxes .. .. .	1,488	14	0			
Printing and stationery .. .. .	118	6	7			
Rent, office equipment, &c. .. .. .	191	11	4			
Repairs, purchase of instruments .. .. .	116	15	9			
Expenses, Director, at Imperial Conference .. .. .	370	11	2			
Contingencies .. .. .	15	17	6			
				3,939	16	3