

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

WORKING RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	1924-25.	
VOTE No. 6—WORKING RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i>	3,063 Miles.	
3 WORKING-EXPENSES OF SECTIONS—	£	£
Including salaries and wages; allowances made to members by regulations made under section 68 of the Government Railways Act, 1908, for special work performed in the course of their duty; payments for Sunday duty; general repairs and miscellaneous services; supplies of stores, provisions, stationery, water, and material; advertising; compensation for accidents, personal injuries received, loss of property by fire, damage to or loss of goods; freights on goods lost or destroyed; postages, telegrams, telephones, maintenance of wires; payments under the Workers' Compensation Acts; payments in connection with works outside railway boundaries in which Department has beneficial interest; compassionate allowances; temporary clerical and draughting assistance; travelling allowance and expenses; allowances to members under Regulation No. 86 (made under the Government Railways Act, 1908); increased night allowances to members and allowances to members on transfer in excess of the regulations; value of accrued leave due to deceased members; stationery and supplies; also contingencies and all other unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of the vote—		
<i>Maintenance of Way and Works—</i>		
<i>Section—</i>		
Whangarei	64,000	
Kaihu	5,000	
Gisborne	14,000	
North Island Main Line and Branches ...	667,000	
South Island Main Line and Branches ...	607,000	
Westport	16,000	
Nelson	14,000	
Picton	16,950	
Special allowance to ex-Inspector J. Smith for originating idea of ballast plough	50	
Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 (see end of vote)	£10,000	
	1,404,000	
<i>Maintenance of Signals, Telegraphs, and Telephones—</i>		
<i>Section—</i>		
Whangarei	930	
Gisborne	190	
North Island Main Line and Branches ...	46,730	
South Island Main Line and Branches ...	32,140	
Westport	675	
Nelson	110	
Picton	205	
Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 (see end of vote)	£50	
	80,980	