

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	1925-26.	
1925-26.		£	£
	VOTE No. 21.—DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Subdivision No. I.—Head Office—continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
2	Advertising	100	
3	Bird-life, expenses in connection with preservation of	300	
4	Cinematograph-films : Cost of administration and ex- penses in connection with the censorship of ...	750	
5	Commissions of Inquiry (part recoverable) ...	800	
	Dominion (formerly Hector) Observatory—		
6	General expenses	320	
7	Instruments and equipment	300	
8	Maintenance of grounds	80	
9	Fire Brigades : Railway-pass for Secretary to United Fire Brigades' Association	88	
	Fire Brigades Annual Conference—		
10	Grant-in-aid	1,000	
11	Railway passes for brigades attending	1,250	
12	Freight, cartage, and transport charges	200	
13	Fresh-water fisheries and game, expenses in connec- tion with, including wages of workmen, purchase of land, and erection of buildings	1,200	
14	Fuel for Government offices	1,750	
15	Law-costs	5	
16	Light, power, and water for Government buildings . .	4,300	
17	New Zealand Academy of Fine Arts, Wellington, payment to, for part services of custodian, National Picture Gallery, and other charges in connection therewith	172	
18	Office fittings and requisites—	£	
	Head office	753	
	Ministers' offices	250	
		1,003	
19	Office furniture (transfer expenses)	20	
20	Overtime and meal allowances	40	
21	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes (part recover- able)	600	
	Printing and Stationery—		
22	Head office	1,800	
23	Ministers' offices	1,000	
24	Publications (including newspapers and books) ...	750	
25	Rent	63	
26	Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls)	1,350	
	Travelling allowances and expenses of—		
27	Ministers (allowances only as authorized by the Civil List Act, 1908)	1,750	
28	Ministers beyond the Dominion	100	
29	Ministers' expenses	2,500	
30	Private Secretaries to Ministers	2,640	
31	Officers of the Department	1,190	
32	Tuatara lizards, protection of: Special payments to lighthouse-keepers and others	175	
33	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure in- cidental to the other items of this subdivision ...	50	
	Estimated credits -in -aid under Section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 (see end of vote)—	£	
	Commissions of Inquiry	500	
	Postage	110	
	Miscellaneous	140	
		750	
		27,646	
	<i>Total—Subdivision No. I</i> ...		51,989