

ESTIMATES for the Year ending 30th June, 1898—*continued*.
Expenditure—continued.

Vote.	Service.	Voted, 1896-97.	Expended, 1896-97.	Estimated, 1897-98.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
5	Shipping-master	12 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0
6	Paymaster and Clerk to Parliament ...	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0
7	Auditor	15 0 0	15 0 0	15 0 0
8	Expenses, Chief of Government ...	30 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0
9	Interpreting and clerical assistance ...	45 0 0	40 6 5	45 0 0
10	General contingencies ... }	115 2 0	99 15 6	{ 90 0 0 24 0 0
	Outstanding liabilities ... }			114 0 0
11	Ngatipa	22 10 0	22 10 0	22 10 0
12	Printing, stationery, &c.	115 0 0	...	{ ... 70 0 0
	Compiling and printing Federal and local laws ... }	50 0 0	61 1 9	{ 22 10 0
	Outstanding liability ... }			92 10 0
13	Passages of members	13 10 0	13 10 0	13 10 0
14	Expenses of Parliament	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0
15	Maintenance of children at Tereora School	125 0 0	121 5 0	125 0 0
16	Subsidies in aid of Arikis' Courts and police—			
	Mangaia	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0
	Atiu, Mitiaro, Mauke	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0
	Aitutaki	24 0 0	24 0 0	24 0 0
	Rarotonga	57 0 0	57 0 0	57 0 0
				129 0 0
17	Printing-paper and material for printing laws	20 0 0	18 13 4	20 0 0
18	Care of the insane	50 0 0	15 15 0	...
19	Cook Islands Hospital			{ 180 0 0 5 12 6
	Rent due September, 1897, to June, 1897	215 0 0	195 6 3	{ 7 10 0 11 8 4
	Rent for June, 1897, to June, 1898			
	Outstanding liabilities (blinds, &c.) prior to September, 1896			
				204 10 10
20	School fittings, &c.	222 0 0	167 5 9	...
21	Subsidy Britannic Wharf and sheds ...	50 0 0	50 0 0	25 0 0
22	Post-office, rent due (three years) ...	27 0 0	27 0 0	...
23	Victoria Road to old road, Ngatipa ...	40 0 0	36 6 4	60 18 0
24	Unauthorised (Act 4, 1892), for buildings, fencing, water-supply, thatching, approaches, fittings, &c.	...	110 8 6	35 0 0
	Add transfer from Vote 20	...	54 14 3	...
		1,862 12 0	1,654 0 3	1,375 8 10

APPENDIX.—Extracts from the Minutes of Proceedings in Parliament in reference to the Estimates and Appropriation Act.

[Extract from *Te Torea*, Saturday, 2nd October, 1897.]

Thursday, 26th August, 1897.

Estimates considered and passed.

Ayes, 9.—Utakea, Tua, Kaketava, Metuarau, Ngaropu, Tapitii, Tangi, Tarrape, Tita.

Noes, 2.—Vaikai Maoate, Ngapo.