## DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

## MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

AN ESTIMATE of the Sum that will be required in the Year ending 31st March, 1943, to defray the Salaries, Contingencies, and Expenses of the Department of External Affairs.

SUMMARY. 1941-42. 1942-43. Voted. Total. Expended, Salaries. Other Charges. £ £ Vote-External Affairs-4,861 4,662 1,890 4,943 2,971 69,829 72,239 67,882 67,705 2,410 Estates94,167 107,625 75,850 III.—Export of Bananas from Samoa 75,850 29,600 29,600 34,750 34,262 IV.—Cook and other Islands V.—N.Z.G.M.V. "Maui Pomare" 49,650 49,650 57,500 48,903 232,200 272,700 249,699 226,819 5,381 GROSS TOTAL 3,256 21,000 40,000 40,000 CREDITS-IN-AID . . 186,819 192,200 251,700 246,443 5,381 NET TOTAL Number 1941-42. of Persons. 1942-43. VOTE-EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. Voted. Expended. 1942-43 1941-42 Subdivision No. I .- Head Office. £ £ £ \*SALARIES-Secretary (Permanent Head, Prime Minister's Department, £1,200) OTHER SALARIES. 3,437 3,125 2,587 10 (£80 to £515) 10 13 35 12 Cadet's lodging-allowance Allowances to officers performing higher duties ... 125 125. . Adult allowance 224 Cost-of-living allowances 3,125 2,971 3,583 OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO-Advertising books, photographs, newspapers, and other 15 15 14 publications Contribution to Bureau of Tropical Diseases, London **2**00 *100* 200 10 5 Freight, cartage, and transport charges 102 105 110 Fuel, light, water, attendance, &c. Miscellaneous payments due to former officers of the Samoan 20 20 Public Service on return to New Zealand . . 28 30 30 • • Office fittings and requisites ... 25 25 11 Overtime and meal allowances (a) 1,1151,250  $650^{-1}$ Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes ...

<sup>\*</sup> For particulars of salaries see "Public Service Classification List."

<sup>(</sup>a) Due to interruptions in mail-services necessitating increased use of radio-telegraph.