

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH DEPARTMENT.

				Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
VOTE—SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH—				£	£	£
<i>Subdivision II.—Research Investigations</i>				2,800	9,900	12,700
GROSS TOTAL				2,800	9,900	12,700
CREDITS-IN-AID				..	9,100	9,100
NET TOTAL				2,800	800	3,600

Number of Persons.						£	£	£
1942 43	1941-42	For Services chargeable on the Consolidated Fund— <i>continued.</i>						
		ORDINARY REVENUE ACCOUNT— <i>continued.</i>						
		VOTE.—SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH.						
		<i>Subdivision II.—Research Investigations.</i>						
		ANIMAL RESEARCH.						
		<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>						
		Grants (additional)				(a) 200		
		PHYSICAL TESTING LABORATORY.						
7	..	<i>Salaries—</i>						
		7 (£235 to £500)				1,774		
		Cost-of-living allowances				100		
						(b) 1,874		
		<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>						
		Instruments, equipment, apparatus, and stores (additional)				(c) 300		
		Removal expenses				(d) 300		
		Wages (additional)				(e) 8,000		
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—				8,600		
		Wages			8,000			
						10,474		
		PLANT RESEARCH BUREAU.						
		<i>Other charges for and incidental to—</i>						
		Chemicals, apparatus, equipment, and stores (additional) ..				400		
		Experimental areas : Operating expenses (including stores, general maintenance, erection of buildings and other improvements), (additional)				200		
		Wages (additional)				500		
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote) .. £1,100				(f) 1,100		

- (a) Grant to Canterbury Agricultural College for the continuation of wool metrology work. An amount of £472 was provided for this purpose on the Main Estimates.
- (b) Provision for salaries of officers appointed since date of Main Estimates.
- (c) Provision for purchase of Shaddle crane at a cost of £300 for the handling of heavy machinery and stores at new premises at Lower Hutt.
- (d) Estimated cost of removing machinery, stores, office equipment, &c., to new premises now in course of erection at Lower Hutt.
- (e) Wages of employees in tool-room. Provision for appointments recently made and for employees now being trained. £8,000 recoverable from War Expenses Account (Civil).
- (f) Provision for enlarged programme of phormium research involving the cultivation, planting, and upkeep of additional research areas. Cost recoverable from Department of Industries and Commerce.