

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1942-43.

POST OFFICE ACCOUNT—continued.

	£	£	£
Chargeable on the Post Office Account—continued.			
VOTE—POST AND TELEGRAPH WORKING-EXPENSES—continued.			
<i>Subdivision No. IX.—Miscellaneous Services.</i>			
<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>			
Cash deficiencies—			
Loss of cash through the destruction by fire of the railway-station in which the Wangaehu Post-office was conducted	2		
Loss of cash by temporary assistant at Te Aro ..	5		
Loss of cash in transit at Te Awamutu ..	14		
Loss of cash through burglaries at Arapuni, Glen Afton, Mount Albert, Parnassus, and Waimate North ..	182		
	203		
<i>Office-management expenses—</i>			
Cost-of-living bonus to annuitants, Public Service Superannuation Fund, and increased pensions to widows and children ..	81		
Motor-plates in connection with registration of motor-vehicles (recoverable) ..	(a) 600		
Temporary officers: Postmen, messengers, exchange attendants, and general ..	(b) 125,000		
	125,681		
Overtime and meal allowances ..	(c) 200,000		
Provision of equipment for aeradio services (recoverable) ..	(d) 32,000		
<i>Sundry Charges—</i>			
Allowance to Administrative Officer performing higher duties ..	170		
Donation to National Patriotic Fund ..	7,500		
Exchange on remittances abroad ..	(e) 17,750		
	25,420		
Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926—			
Aeradio equipment purchased on behalf of other Departments £41,490			
<i>Total—Subdivision No. IX</i>		383,304	
GROSS TOTAL		884,054	
CREDITS-IN-AID		241,490	
NET TOTAL			642,564

(a) £500 in Main Estimates. Additional plates required for armed forces.
(b) £354,350 provided in Main Estimates. Increased expenditure due to the replacement of officers called up for military service.
(c) £210,000 in Main Estimates. The additional amount required is due to increased work and reduced staff.
(d) £35,000 in Main Estimates. Additional requirement due to increased activities. The amount is recoverable.
(e) £55,000 in Main Estimates. The increased amount is to provide for exchange on additional mail payment.