YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1944.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE, TOURIST AND PUBLICITY—continued.

Number of Persons.		1943-44	1942-43.	
1943 44 1942 43	VOTE—INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE, TOURIST AND PUBLICITY—continued.		Voted.	Expended.
	Subdivision No. II.—Tourist and Publicity—continued.	£	£	£
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—continued.			
	Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)— Chateau Tongariro: Receipts 1,000 Photographs and films, sale of			
	on behalf of other Departments 100 Rents recoverable 300 Miscellaneous recoveries			
	19,350			
		102,072	127,432	122,696
	Total—Subdivision No. II	156,245	182,974	173,967
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	Subdivision No. III.—New Zealand Standards Institute.			
27 18	SALARIES— 27 (£65 to £540) Cost-of-living allowances	$6,984 \\ 598$	5,477 385	6,511
Total Number of Persons.		7,582	5,862	6,511
792 544	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO-			
	Advertising, books, and publications	150 40	150 40	23 37
	connection therewith Office-cleaning	250 100	50 85	122
	Overtime and meal allowances	200 350 500	$egin{array}{c} 25 \ 250 \ 350 \ \end{array}$	(a) 219 260 (b) 550
	Purchase of specifications and reports	150 (c) 800 230	70 600 150	$\begin{array}{c} 103 \\ (c) 480 \\ (d) 252 \end{array}$
	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to other items of the vote	10	10	(e) 1
	Estimated credits-in-aid under section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)— Contributions towards expenses—			•
	New Zealand Railways420Public Works Department220Post and Telegraph Department50			
	Sales of specifications 650 Miscellaneous 50			
:	1,390			
		2,780	1,780	2,047
	Total—Subdivision No. III	10,362	7,642	8,558

⁽a) Overexpenditure due to increase in activities of Standards Institute necessitating more overtime being worked.
(b) Overexpenditure due to increase in activities of this Branch.
(c) Underexpenditure due to liabilities at the 31st March, 1943. Increase in amount provided this year covers additional office accommodation leased to provide for increase in staff.
(d) Number of Officers, 9. Travelling-allowances, £41; travelling-expenses, £211.
(e) Medical expenses, £1.