

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1944.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—*continued.*

Number of Persons.		VOTE—EDUCATION— <i>continued.</i>	1943-44.	1942-43.	
1943-44	1942-43		Voted.	Expended.	
			£	£	£
Subdivision No. XV.—Miscellaneous Services.					
CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—					
Accidents to departmental officers, school-children, teachers, and training-college students: Grants for medical and legal expenses, scholarships, and compensation ..		750	2,500	2,322	
Allowances to officers performing higher duties (under Regulation 209)		270	100	348	
Conferences of Education Authorities and Committees, &c.: Cost of investigations, reports, &c.		200	150	237	
<i>Education Gazette</i> (part recoverable)		1,400	1,400	1,499	
Examinations: Teachers', School Certificate, Scholarships, Technological, &c. (part recoverable)		3,500	4,000	3,407	
Exhibits of school-work: Preparing and forwarding ..		10	10		
Grading and registration of teachers (including advertising, travelling, legal, and other expenses in connection with appeals <i>re</i> grading, certificates, dismissal, &c., and cost of inquiries)		(a) 300	100	39	
Grants—					
In aid of free kindergartens for infants under school age,—					
Capitation		(b) 12,155	11,000	9,770	
Towards cost of buildings		1,000	500		
To estates of deceased officers equivalent to leave due ..		200	..		
Towards provision of hot meals for sub-normal school-children		25	25	35	
To Department of Scientific and Industrial Research towards cost of expenses of Timber Protection Research Committee		50	50	64	
To pre-school education centre, Dunedin		250	250	150	
Office furniture, fittings, requisites, and removal of offices ..		1,000	500	1,589	
Overtime (including allowances in lieu thereof) and meal allowances		1,500	500	1,423	
Payment, including legal expenses, for damages to motor-vehicles other than departmental vehicles		10	10		
Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes		5,000	5,000	4,755	
Printing and stationery (including supply of parliamentary papers, publications, photographs, advertising, &c.) ..		1,000	1,250	1,872	
Purchase of motor-buses and motor-cycles		(c) 5,000	..		
Purchase of radio sets, gramophones, records, pianos, and other special equipment for schools (recoverable) ..		500	500	346	
Rent of offices		1,500	1,500	1,713	
Salaries of teachers from overseas on exchange in New Zealand (recoverable)		270	250	597	
Special assistance to deserving students in cases of hardship ..		1,000	1,000	780	
Special grant for swimming instruction		560	560	560	
Storage and despatch of stores and stationery		100	100	96	
Subsidy to Teachers' Superannuation Fund (Public Service Superannuation Act, 1927)—					
Annual subsidy		£ 43,000			
Increased allowances to widows		6,000			
		49,000	49,000	47,879	
Superannuation contributions of teachers on active service, 1914-19		50	50		
Teaching aids—					
Museum exhibits, material, and expenses		300	300	102	
Payment to National Broadcasting Service for half cost of fees, &c., for educational broadcasts		200	150	200	
Visual education: Equipment, &c.		(d) 2,500	1,000	1,289	
Transfer to University of New Zealand of fees received on account of School Certificate Examination		425	437	976	
War bursaries		8,500	8,500	7,654	

(a) Biennial grading due this year.

(b) Provision made for additional trainees and increased capitation.

(c) Provision for purchase of new school buses.

(d) Provision of additional films.