

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE
TREASURY DEPARTMENT—continued

Number of Persons.		VOTE—TREASURY—continued	1944-45.	1943-44.	
1944-45	1943-44			Voted.	Expended.
		<i>Subdivision No. II.—Government Actuary's Branch</i>			
		SALARIES—	£	£	£
		PROFESSIONAL DIVISION			
1	1	1 at £1,150 (Government Actuary)	1,150	1,150	}
1	..	1 at £800 (Assistant Government Actuary) (part year) ..	600	..	
		OTHER SALARIES			
12	12	12 (£65 to £615)	3,500	3,290	}
		Cadets' lodging-allowances	10	10	
14	13	Allowances to officers under Public Service Regulations 24A and 209	115	150	}
		Cost-of-living allowances	280	280	
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—			
		Miscellaneous £5,655			
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i>	5,655	4,880	5,093
		<i>Subdivision No. III.—Miscellaneous Services</i>			
		CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
		Advances to Public Trustee for disbursements on account of Land Settlement Finance Associations for protection of securities	50	50	..
		Advertising, photographs, books, newspapers, and other publications	120	100	118
		Audit fees	75	75	75
		Bank exchange, discount, and commission (part recoverable)	3,000	4,000	2,965
		Cartage, freight, &c.	75	30	122
		Earthquake damage: Grants to local bodies and miscellaneous expenditure	10,000	22,500	15,978
		Expenses in connection with administration of—			
		Frost, flood, fire relief, and miscellaneous loans, &c. ..	50	50	9
		Fuel, light, power, and water	50	50	34
		Insurance premiums and commission on collections ..	450	500	464
		Law-costs, professional services, and annual certificate under Law Practitioners Act, 1931	50	50	197
		Local Government Loans Board: Fees, travelling allowances and expenses of members	150	120	129
		Medical fees and expenses	75	50	78
		Office-cleaning	10	20	6
		Office fittings, furniture, and requisites	2,000	800	(a) 3,569
		Overtime and meal allowances	2,000	1,500	1,969
		Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	8,500	9,000	8,682
		Post and Telegraph charges	1,300	1,200	1,292
		Printing and stationery	5,000	5,000	6,154
		Refund of unclaimed moneys—			
		Section 30, Public Revenues Act, 1926	50	50	39
		Section 96, Public Revenues Act, 1926	50	50	..
		Unclaimed dividends, New Zealand Government securities	50	50	77
		Miscellaneous	200	200	130
		Rent of offices	1,000	1,300	1,019
		Stamp duty	50	50	..
		Telegrams beyond the Dominion (part recoverable) ..	(b) 4,000	22,000	26,532

(a) Overexpenditure due to the purchase of additional equipment for accounting machines.
(b) Previous to 1st May, 1944, the cost of all Government cablegrams was paid out of vote "Treasury" and recovered from the Departments concerned as credits-in-aid. These costs are now charged direct to the Departments. Provision made this year to cover the charges for two months only.