

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS—continued

Number of Persons.		VOTE—INTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>continued</i>	1944-45.	1943-44.	
1944-45	1943-44			Voted.	Expended.
				£	£
<i>Subdivision No. V.—Miscellaneous Services</i>					
SALARIES (including Relieving Staff)—					
OTHER SALARIES					
109	102	109 (£70 to £565)	22,070	20,353	} 33,950
		Cost-of-living allowances	2,830	2,360	
109	102	Lodging-allowances (cadets)	265	205	
		Special allowances to shorthand writers and typists employed in Ministers' offices	413	517	
		Salaries of staff of National Art Gallery and Dominion Museum (recoverable)	4,236	4,703	
		Payments to other Departments— £			
		Education Department	251		
		Native Department	216		
		Railways Department	271		
			738	241	
		Allowances to officers under Public Service Regulations 24A and 209	592	..	
Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—					
National Art Gallery and Dominion Museum: Salaries			£ 4,236		
Salaries of officers relieving in other Departments			14,799		
			19,035		
			31,144	28,379	33,950
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—					
American Museum of Natural History: Purchase, assembly, and despatch of exhibits			25	25	..
Anzac Day Services, London: New Zealand's proportion of cost			10	10	6
Colonial appointments, Board of Selection: Travelling-expenses of applicants in New Zealand and members of Board of Selection			10	10	..
Compassionate grant to widowed mother of L. B. Burgess, deceased, clerk, Wellington			62	..	..
Cost-of-living bonus to annuitants under the Public Service and Teachers' Superannuation Funds and Civil Service Act, 1908, and to other persons in receipt of retiring-allowances (part recoverable)			(a) 80,770	720	706
Dogs Registration Amendment Act, 1937, prevention of hydatids under (recoverable)			11,000	11,000	(b) 129
Emergency Regulations Act, 1939: Fees and other expenses of members of committees or other bodies appointed by regulations under the Act			10	50	..
Entertaining visitors to the Dominion and official functions—					
Allowances to officers in connection with			50	50	51
Cost of			2,500	2,500	5,252
Exhibition of New Zealand art overseas			100	..	..
Exhibits for Museums, railage on			10	10	3
Expenses incurred as a result of Government House, Auckland, being in use for patriotic purposes: Additional to amount provided under Civil List Act, 1920			300	300	18
Fire Boards, subsidies to (Fire Brigades Act, 1926, section 26)			4,500	4,450	4,523
Flood, fire, earthquake, &c., damage, grants in relief of			2,500	200	..
Fuel for Government offices, including Canterbury Provincial Buildings, Christchurch			(c) 2,900	2,400	2,909
Government Buildings: Furnishings and fittings for retiring-rooms			100	..	..

(a) Increase due to additional cost-of-living bonus payable to State superannuitants from 1st October, 1943.
(b) Contract for supply of drug not completed until this year. Reserve stock was distributed last year.
(c) Offset to some extent by free accommodation granted by the Canterbury Provincial Buildings Board to Government Departments.