## YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1945

## MARINE DEPARTMENT—continued

Number of Persons.	VOTE—MARINE—continued  Subdivision. No IV.—Mercantile Marine—continued	1944–45.	1943-44.	
1944-45 1943-44		1341 10.	Voted.	Expended.
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—continued	£	£	£
	Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—  School of Navigation: Fees		£	r
	Shipping subsidies— Bluff-Stewart Island			
	Charts	)		
	Refunds of costs of nautical inquiries	)		
	9,360	)		
		11,060	14,105	15,50
-	Total—Subdivision No. IV	28,932	26,515	29,16
÷	Subdivision No. V.—Inspection of Machinery and Survey of Ships Salaries—			
1 1	Professional Division  1 at (£800)	. 800	800	)
45 43	OTHER SALARIES 45 (£93 to £665)	. 20,311	20,145	
46 44	Allowances to officers performing special or higher dutie		100	21,9
	under Public Service Regulations 24A and 209 Cost-of-living allowances	. 787	650	
	Lodging-allowances	160	$\begin{vmatrix} 40 \\ 160 \end{vmatrix}$	
		22,148	21,895	21,9
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— Advertising, photographs, books, newspapers, and other	50 1	50	
	publications	10	10	• •
	Maintenance, &c., and accident costs  Purchase of	600	450 10	6
	Office fittings and requisites	. 100 . 150	150 120	1 1
	Post and Telegraph Department: Payment for service rendered (collection of inspection fees)	$\frac{220}{200}$	220 300	.1 3
	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	. 500	150 10	(b) 2
	Removal of offices	1,200	1,200	1,3
	tenance, rent, and calls)	. 350	$ \begin{array}{r} 300 \\ 50 \\ 2,600 \end{array} $	$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ (c) 3, \theta \end{pmatrix}$
	Welding course for Inspectors Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidents	. 10 1	10	
i ·	to the other items of this subdivision Compassionate grant, widow of late W. Mowatt	. 10	$\frac{10}{200}$	$\stackrel{(d)}{2}$

<sup>(</sup>a) Department now costing repairs to ships and recovering costs from owners.
(b) Cost of additional posters issued to industry.
(c) Number of officers, 38. Motor-car allowances, £974; motor hire, Post and Telegraph Department, £382; travelling-allowances, £1,332; rail and boat fares, £399.
(d) Proportion charges removing waste paper for pulp, £10; compensation for damage to clothing. £7: total, £17.