

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1947

TREASURY DEPARTMENT—*continued*

VOTE—TREASURY— <i>continued</i>	1946-47.	1945-46.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<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 ..	10	10	..
Bank exchange, discount, and commission (part recoverable)	2,500	2,500	(a) 3,980
Cables (part recoverable)	1,250	1,500	1,121
Contribution to National Provident Fund ..	134	..	..
Earthquake damage: grants to local bodies and miscellaneous expenditure	(b) 100	4,000	3,870
Expenses in connection with administration of frost, flood, earthquake, and fire relief, and miscellaneous loans, &c.	10	50	1
Expenses of—			
Government Actuary's Office (part recoverable)	(c) 1,000	..	..
Public Service Superannuation Office (recoverable)	(c) 3,000	..	..
Expenses of officers travelling overseas ..	2,500	100	225
Local Government Loans Board: fees, travelling allowances and expenses of members	230	130	175
Office expenses (part recoverable)	850	800	841
Office fittings, furniture, and requisites ..	(d) 9,000	7,000	(d) 2,018
Overtime and meal allowances (part recoverable)	1,650	1,750	2,411
Payments to the Post and Telegraph Department (part recoverable)	(e) 11,000	14,000	(f) 12,421
Printing and stationery	(g) 8,000	4,850	(g) 6,916
Refund of unclaimed moneys—			
Section 30, Public Revenues Act, 1926 ..	50	50	..
Section 96, Public Revenues Act, 1926 ..	50	50	..
Unclaimed dividends, New Zealand Government securities	75	75	47
Miscellaneous	350	400	292

(a) Expenditure greater than anticipated.

(b) Only a few small payments now to be made—all major claims have been met.

(c) This expenditure was previously charged against various items in Subdivision III. It has now been consolidated in one item for accounting convenience.

(d) Mechanical equipment ordered and provided for in 1945-46 did not come to charge in that financial year. Further mechanical equipment and office furniture is on order and is provided for this year.

(e) Part of this expenditure is now provided for under item "Expenses of Public Service Superannuation Office."

(f) Expenditure less than anticipated.

(g) Increase due to replenishing of stocks and additional printing required.