

DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH—*continued*

VOTE—SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH— <i>continued</i>	1946-47.	1945-46.	
		Voted.	Expended.
	£	£	£
<i>Subdivision No. IV.—Dominion Observatory</i>			
(Number of officers : 1946-47, 6 ; 1945-46, 5)			
SALARIES—			
OTHER SALARIES			
6 (£178 to £1,000)	2,477	1,399	1,599
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
Allowances to observers	(a) 120	50	50
Furniture and fittings, purchase of	25	10	4
Instruments, apparatus, equipment, and laboratory stores, purchase of	766	1,050	(b) 90
Maintenance and operating expenses of observatories	555	390	(c) 86
Office expenses	70	70	85
Overtime and meal allowances	55	55	65
Payments to Post and Telegraph Department	50	60	58
Permanent improvements, including buildings, roading, fencing, &c.	(d) 25	..	..
Printing and stationery	20	20	9
Printing of bulletins and maps	100	10	19
Travelling allowances and expenses	20	20	(e) 1
Contingencies	1	1	..
(Recoveries, £224)	1,807	1,736	467
<i>Total—Subdivision No. IV</i>	4,284	3,135	2,066

(a) Allowances paid to seismographic observers have been increased.

(b) Seismographs ordered from the United States of America did not come to charge in 1945-46.

(c) Cost of rewiring electrical circuits did not come to charge in 1945-46.

(d) For construction of an office partition.

(e) Number of officers, 1. Travelling-expenses, £1.