

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH 1947

DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH—*continued*

VOTE—SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH— <i>continued</i>	1946-47.	1945-46.	
		Voted.	Expended.
	£	£	£
<i>Subdivision No. V.—Geological Survey</i>			
Number of officers : 1946-47, 38 ; 1945-46, 22)			
SALARIES—			
OTHER SALARIES			
38 (£90 to £1,000)	(a) 16,521	10,110	10,311
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
Air mapping	(b) 2,900	..	..
Furniture and fittings, purchase of	350	560	259
Honorarium of retired Director	250	105	..
Instruments, apparatus, equipment, and laboratory stores, purchase of	(a) 3,000	775	326
Motor - vehicles : purchase and running- expenses	(c) 5,150	800	41
Office expenses	(a) 935	610	503
Overtime and meal allowances	5	15	7
Payments to Post and Telegraph Depart- ment	175	150	157
Permanent improvements, including build- ings, roading, and fencing, &c.	10	500	468
Printing and stationery	70	50	195
Printing of bulletins and maps	(d) 700	400	332
Rent and rates	(a) 427	367	220
Travelling allowances and expenses	(a) 1,800	1,200	(e) 1,413
Wages	(a) 3,000	1,100	312
Contingencies	1	1	..
(Recoveries, £2,600)	18,773	6,633	4,233
Total—Subdivision No. V	(a) 35,294	16,743	14,544

(a) Provision now made for field-work of Coal Survey and for Geophysical Survey, previously provided under Subdivision II (total expenditure, £18,000).

(b) " Air mapping " was previously provided for under Subdivision II.

(c) Cost of drill truck being built for Coal Survey by Dominion Physical Laboratory, £2,750 ; repairs and running costs of Geophysical trucks, £1,200 ; purchase of new vehicles and running-costs, £1,200.

(d) Provision for cost of printing Geological Bulletins now being undertaken by the Government Printer.

(e) Number of officers, 16. Motor hire, £40 ; mileage-allowances, £350 ; travelling-allowances, £491 ; travelling-expenses, £532.