

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1947-48

POST OFFICE ACCOUNT—*continued*

	£	£	£
For Services chargeable on the Post Office Account—<i>continued</i>			
VOTE—POST AND TELEGRAPH WORKING-EXPENSES—<i>ctd.</i>			
<i>Subdivision No. VIII.—Maintenance of Post and Telegraph Buildings and Sites and Capital Expenditure on Buildings</i>			
<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>			
Administration charges on expenditure out of Public Works Account on construction of Post and Telegraph buildings	(a) 21,600		
Post Office premises, including transit housing: purchase of buildings and building-materials, and erection and renovation of premises (additional)	(b) 160,000		
<i>Total—Subdivision No. VIII</i> ..		181,600	
<i>Subdivision No. X.—Miscellaneous Services</i>			
<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>			
Office-management expenses — temporary officers—postmen, messengers, exchange attendants and general: payment of increases arising out of the Arbitration Court pronouncement	52,000		
Overtime and meal allowances (additional)	(c) 15,000		

(a) Provision to cover Public Works charges in connection with planning and erection of post-office buildings. Two years provision to overtake arrears. (Previously included in Public Works Account, vote "Public Buildings," item "Postal and Telegraph.")

(b) £134,720 provided on main estimates. Increased provision required to cover cost of transit housing, hostel, and urgent temporary post-office and workshop accommodation.

(c) £425,000 provided on main estimates.