

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1949

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS—*continued*

VOTE—EXTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>continued</i>	1948-49.	1947-48.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<i>New Zealand Legation, Moscow</i>	£	£	£
(Number of officers : 1948-49, 13 ; 1947-48, 13)			
SALARIES—			
Minister	1,500	1,500	} 14,295
OTHER SALARIES			
12 (£250 to £1,025)	6,806	5,037	
Location allowances	6,297	9,086	
	14,603	15,623	14,295
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
British-American Co-operative Press Service :			
New Zealand's proportion of expenses ..	2,500	1,600	2,206
British Commonwealth Medical Service : pro-			
portion of expenses	300	300	..
Foodstuffs and other commodities (part			
recoverable)	600	1,000	611
Maintenance, repairs, alterations, and upkeep			
of office, residences, and grounds ..	800	600	1,005
Motor-vehicles—			
Maintenance of	800	500	682
Purchase of	1,500	..	..
Office equipment and furnishings for official			
residences	200	2,250	3,025
Office expenses	1,500	1,200	2,749
Official entertainment, grants for	800	800	615
Postages, telegrams, cablegrams, telephones,			
and toll calls	2,000	1,000	2,286
Printing and stationery	100	100	27
Publicity, advertising, photographs, books,			
newspapers, and other publications ..	200	200	224
Rental of office and official residences ..	3,300	1,825	1,506
Travelling allowances and expenses ..	300	800	285
Travelling and other expenses on appoint-			
ment, transfer, furlough, &c.	2,000	1,000	888
Contingencies	10	50	..
Subscriptions to various societies and associa-			
tions	..	10	..
	16,910	13,235	16,109
	31,513	28,858	30,404