

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1948-49

STATE FOREST SERVICE

—	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
VOTE—FOREST ADMINISTRATION ..	£ 190	£ 37,510	£ 37,700

For Services chargeable on the Consolidated Fund—continued

ORDINARY REVENUE ACCOUNT—*ctd.*

VOTE—FOREST ADMINISTRATION

Salaries—

PROFESSIONAL DIVISION

Allowance (Assistant Director) (a) 190

190

Other Charges for and incidental to—

Compensation to employees and dependants (additional) (b) 1,250

Ex gratia payment towards cost of replacement of personal effects lost by employee whilst on duty (c) 60

Expenses of officers travelling overseas on duty and for study (additional) (d) 450

Field, office, and experimental equipment: tools, furniture, instruments, &c., purchase of (additional) (e) 1,000

Maintenance of administrative buildings (works expenditure), (additional) (f) 1,500

Payment of interest on deposits (g) 100

Waipa State Sawmill—

Operating and selling expenses (additional) (h) 10,000

Transfer value of logs, &c. (additional) .. (h) 26,000

40,360

(a) Allowance payable to Assistant Director during absence of Director on duty overseas.

(b) £8,400 provided on main estimates. Additional amount required on account of claims to date being heavier than anticipated.

(c) Personal effects destroyed when a forest lookout hut was demolished in a storm.

(d) £5,000 provided on main estimates. Additional provision required for expenses of three officers attending Canberra School of Forestry.

(e) £5,000 provided on main estimates. Requirements underestimated.

(f) £2,000 provided on main estimates. Additional amount required mainly for renovations and alterations to Tapanui Hostel.

(g) Provision for payment of interest on deposits lodged as security in connection with sales of timber.

(h) Increases necessary as timber-production is likely to be greater than estimated. Amounts provided on main estimates, £185,000 and £125,500 respectively.