

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1948-49

DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS—*continued***For Services chargeable on the Consolidated Fund—*continued***ORDINARY REVENUE ACCOUNT—*ctd.*VOTE—INTERNAL AFFAIRS—*continued**Subdivision No. IV.—Explosives Branch**Other Charges for and incidental to—*

Saving on expenditure already provided on main estimates consequent upon adjustment of the exchange rate

Cr. 400

Total—Subdivision No. IV . .

Cr. 400

*Subdivision No. V.—Miscellaneous Services**Salaries (including Relieving Staff)—*

CLERICAL DIVISION

1 at £1,375 (Manager, Royal Tour), (6 months)

688

Other Charges for and incidental to—

Donation of foodstuffs towards relief of Arab and Jewish refugees in Palestine, including freight and incidental expenses.

18,700

Expedition to Fiordland National Park: sea transport, foodstuffs, equipment, wages and travelling—expenses of workmen, &c.

(a) 4,000

Expenses of Ministers and Private Secretaries travelling overseas

(b) 500

Fire services—

Committee on automatic fire-alarm systems in Government buildings: travelling—expenses of members

(c) 150

Fire protection at Trentham Camp: works

(d) 1,013

Sirens, hand-operated, purchase of (part recoverable)

(e) 1,000

- (a) To study the potentialities of that region from point of view of timber and hydro-electric resources and to investigate matters pertaining to science, wild-life, and land survey.
- (b) Covers cost of travel overseas by Ministers and Private Secretaries on general business of the Government. The cost of travel by Ministers and Private Secretaries to international conferences is charged to vote "External Affairs."
- (c) Expenses of meetings in Wellington of a committee of technical experts.
- (d) Alterations and repairs to fire-station buildings.
- (e) For resale to fire brigades and for use in Government buildings as evacuation alarms.