

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XXII.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—*continued.*

Item.		1908-9.	
		£	£
	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE— <i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 73— <i>continued.</i>		
	VITICULTURAL DIVISION—		
80	<i>Salaries—</i>		
	Viticulturist	325	
	Clerk (at £165) (1 month)	14	
		339	
	<i>Other Charges incidental to—</i>		
81	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	40	
82	Sundry expenses in connection with fostering the wine and grape industry	100	
83	Travelling allowances and expenses	300	
		440	
	LIVE-STOCK AND AGRICULTURE DIVISION—		
84	<i>Salaries—</i>		
	Chief Inspector of Stock and Director of Experimental Farms	575	
	26 Clerks: 1 at £280, 1 at £260, 1 at £225, 1 at £220, 1 at £215, 1 at £210, 1 at £200, 1 at £190, 1 at £185, 2 at £180, 3 at £170, 4 at £165, 1 at £155, 1 at £150, 1 at £130, 2 at £125, 1 at £120, 1 at £105, 1 at £104	4,529	
	20 Cadets: 1 at £95, 2 at £90, 3 at £85, 5 at £75, 6 at £65, 1 at £50, 2 at £40	1,425	
	Superintendent of Show Exhibits	175	
	Inspector of Stock (relieving)	240	
	8 Inspectors in Charge: 1 at £350, 1 at £340, 4 at £335, 2 at £325	2,680	
	59 Inspectors of Stock: 1 at £320, 1 at £305, 2 at £300, 2 at £295, 12 at £290, 13 at £280, 3 at £270, 1 at £265, 6 at £255, 3 at £250, 3 at £245, 5 at £240, 1 at £235, 4 at £230, 1 at £225, 1 at £185	15,790	
	39 Rabbit Agents: 9 at £200, 11 at £190, 3 at £185, 3 at £180, 3 at £175, 8 at £170, 2 at £160	7,190	
	40 Inspectors of Dairies: 1 at £200, 1 at £187, 1 at £185, 37 at £180	7,232	
	14 Inspectors of Noxious Weeds: 1 at £220, 4 at £190, 4 at £175, 5 at £165	2,505	
	Inspector of Noxious Weeds: £160 (7 months)	93	
	6 Farm Overseers: 2 at £210, 2 at £185, 1 at £165, 1 at £156	1,111	
	Organiser of Agricultural Experiments and Lectures	400	
	Expert in Phormium Culture, at £350 (2 months)	59	
	Horticulturist	210	
	Caretaker of offices, Auckland	100	
	Caretaker Fruit-testing Station, Tauranga	135	
	3 Quarantine-station Caretakers: 2 at £140, 1 at £100	380	
	4 Caretakers of Rabbit-fence: 3 at £100, 1 at £50	350	
	4 Managers of Poultry-stations: 2 at £140, 2 at £130	540	
		45,719	
	<i>Other Charges incidental to—</i>		
85	Breeding of Angora goats	250	
86	Collection of agricultural and pastoral statistics	4,000	
87	Cultivation of <i>phormium tenax</i>	500	
88	Departmental apiaries	500	
89	Departmental exhibits at agricultural and pastoral association shows	850	