

*Appropriations for State Forests Account.***NEW ZEALAND STATE FORESTS ACCOUNT.****MINISTER OF LANDS.**

	1908-9.		
	Salaries.	Other Charges.	Total.
	£	£	£
Vote 123.—State Forests Branch of the Lands and Survey Department	2,985	27,511	30,496
TOTAL	2,985	27,511	30,496

Item.	STATE FORESTS BRANCH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.	1908-9.	
	Total number of officers .. 1908-9. 16	£	£
	VOTE No. 123.		
1	SALARIES—		
	Chief Forester	365	
	15 Assistant Foresters and Nursery Overseers: 1 at £230, 1 at £215, 1 at £200, 3 at £180, 4 at £170, 2 at £160, 3 at £145	2,620	
		2,985	
	OTHER CHARGES INCIDENTAL TO—		
	Fencing, Buildings, Planting, Material, &c.—		
	Nurseries—		
2	Eweburn	825	
3	Rotorua	4,000	
4	Tapanui	1,682	
5	Hanmer	1,575	
6	Ruatangata	1,370	
7	Kurow	100	
8	Starborough	480	
	Plantations—		
9	Survey Paddock, Naseby	212	
10	Gimmerburn Reserve	500	
11	Dusky Hill	1,075	
12	Conical Hills	1,945	
13	Hanmer Springs	1,000	
14	Whakarewarewa	5,000	
15	Waiotapu and extension	2,500	
16	Kaingaroa (maintenance)	50	
17	Dumgree	250	
18	Puhipuhi	1,600	
19	Books, stationery, office requisites, photographic material, insurances, and telephones	100	
20	Extra clerical assistance	175	
21	Extension of nurseries and additional plantations	350	
22	Fencing State Forest Reserve, Kaiparoro	200	
23	Management expenses of State forests	1,500	
24	Mount Bruce Forest Reserve, half cost felling and clearing one chain wide round boundary	497	
25	Planting reserves, Mackenzie County (from rents of reserves)	95	
26	Postages and telegrams, including rent of letter-boxes... ..	50	
27	Travelling allowances and expenses, and expenses of transfer of officers and men	350	
28	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure in- cidental to the other items of the vote	30	
		27,511	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 123		30,496
	STATE FORESTS ACCOUNT		£30,496