

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XIV.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COMMERCE, AND
TOURISTS—*continued.*

Item.		1910-11.	
		£	£
	AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE— <i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 78— <i>continued.</i>		
	FIELDS AND EXPERIMENTAL FARMS DIVISION— <i>continued.</i>		
48	<i>Salaries—continued.</i>		
	3 Clerks at Experimental Farms: 1 at £140, 1 at £135, 1 at £125	400	
	2 Overseers Poultry-breeding Stations (attached to Experimental Farms) 1 at £130, 1 at £100	230	
	5 Hemp Graders: 1 at £325, 2 at £300, 1 at £260, 1 at £250	1,435	
	Hemp Instructor	260	
	Grain Grader, Dunedin	50	
		21,025	
	<i>Other Charges for and incidental to—</i>		
49	Bicycles and repairs	50	
50	Co-operative field experiments	1,000	
51	Compassionate allowance to N. Campbell, late rabbitier	50	
52	Cultivation of <i>phormium tenax</i>	100	
53	Departmental apiaries	400	
54	Destruction of noxious weeds on Native lands	3,000	
	Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands—		
55	Auckland District	3,500	
56	Napier	2,500	
57	Wellington - West Coast	800	
58	Marlborough-Nelson-Westland	100	
59	Canterbury-Kaikoura	750	
60	Otago	2,500	
61	Destruction of rabbits on Native Lands	4,000	
62	Equipment of young men's training quarters at Ruakura Experimental Farm: Furniture, water-supply, &c.	1,500	
63	Expenses grading New Zealand Hemp	50	
	Experimental Farms: Erection and Repairs of Buildings, Purchase of Stock, Entertainment of Visitors, and General Working—		
64	Arataki	700	
65	Bickerstaffe	700	
66	Lichfield	50	
67	Motuihi Island	700	
68	Moumahaki	2,500	
69	Ruakura	4,850	
70	Tauranga	700	
71	Waerenga	5,500	
72	Weraroa	3,000	
73	Experiments in cultivating North Auckland gum lands	250	
74	Experiments in re-grassing denuded lands	250	
75	Experiments in utilization of pumice lands	250	
76	Extra clerical assistance	25	
77	Grain Grading	10	
78	Legal expenses	100	
79	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	950	
	Poultry Farms (attached to Experimental Farms):		
	Buildings, Purchase of Birds, &c.—		
80	Moumahaki	500	
81	Ruakura	500	
82	Preparation of weed-seed cabinets	20	
83	Purchase of stud stock, including expenses of importation	2,500	
84	Removal expenses	250	
85	Seeds and plants for distribution	25	
86	Subscriptions and extensions to telephones, including bureau charges	150	
87	Subsidies to local bodies for the destruction of the Kea	60	