

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

Item.	AGRICULTURE, INDUSTRIES, AND COM- MERCE— <i>continued.</i>	1912-13.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 77— <i>continued.</i>		
	FIELDS AND EXPERIMENTAL FARMS DIVISION— <i>continued.</i>		
59	<i>Salaries—continued.</i>		
	Agriculturist ... ..	600	
	4 Fields Supervisors at £345 ... ..	1,380	
	2 Fields Instructors: 1 at £285, 1 at £265 ... ..	550	
	2 Assistant Fields Instructors: 1 at £150, 1 at £140 ... ..	290	
	63 Inspectors of Rabbits and Noxious Weeds: 1 at £325, 7 at £300, 2 at £290, 1 at £280, 6 at £260, 2 at £250, 1 at £240, 7 at £220, 9 at £210, 17 at £200, 6 at £170, 4 at £160 ... ..	14,075	
	Caretaker of Rabbit Fence ... ..	100	
	5 Experimental Farm Managers: 1 at £260, 1 at £250, 1 at £215, 1 at £200, 1 at £185 ... ..	1,110	
	3 Experimental Farm Overseers: 2 at £165, 1 at £120 (also Caretaker, Quarantine Station, £40) ... ..	450	
	4 Experimental Farm Manager's Assistants: 1 at £180, 1 at £140, 2 at £135 ... ..	590	
	Vineyard Overseer ... ..	175	
	4 Orchard and Garden Overseers: 1 at £185, 1 at £175, 1 at £150, 1 at £120 ... ..	630	
	Overseer Poultry-breeding Stations (attached to Ex- perimental Farms) ... ..	150	
	Apiarist ... ..	95	
	6 Hemp Graders: 1 (Chief) at £325, 2 at £300, 1 at £275, 1 at £260, 1 at £250 ... ..	1,710	
	Plant Breeder ... ..	180	
		24,690	
	<i>Other Charges for and incidental to—</i>		
60	Bicycles and repairs ... ..	50	
61	Co-operative field experiments and provision for visitors ... ..	2,010	
62	Crop experiments on Crown lands, Westland ... ..	300	
63	Departmental apiaries ... ..	300	
64	Destruction of noxious weeds on Native lands ... ..	1,500	
	Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands—		
65	Auckland District ... ..	4,050	
66	East Coast " ... ..	2,665	
67	Napier " ... ..	2,470	
68	Wellington - West Coast " ... ..	1,350	
69	Marlborough-Nelson-Westland " ... ..	250	
70	Canterbury-Kaikoura " ... ..	650	
71	Otago " ... ..	2,750	
72	Destruction of rabbits on Native lands ... ..	5,500	
73	Equipment of Young Men's Training Quarters at Ruakura Farm of Instruction: Furniture, Water- supply, &c. ... ..	200	
	Experimental Farms and Farms of Instruction: Erec- tion and Repairs of Buildings, Purchase of Stock, Provision for Visitors, and General Working—		
74	Arataki ... ..	950	
75	Bickerstaffe ... ..	900	
76	Lichfield ... ..	100	
77	Motuihi Island ... ..	600	
78	Moumahaki ... ..	3,500	
79	Ruakura ... ..	5,065	
80	Tauranga ... ..	750	
81	Waerenga ... ..	5,500	
82	Weraroa ... ..	4,000	
	Poultry Section—		
83	Moumahaki ... ..	10	
84	Ruakura ... ..	600	
85	Experiments in cultivating North Auckland gum lands ... ..	400	
86	Experiments in re-grassing denuded lands ... ..	400	
87	Experiments in utilization of pumice lands ... ..	400	
88	Extra clerical assistance ... ..	50	