

NEW ZEALAND COMFORTS FUND—*continued.*EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

Date of Service.	Particulars of Expenditure.	New Zealand War Contingent Association, for Comforts.	Sundry Payments.	Comforts.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1916.	<i>Other than through High Commissioner—continued.</i>			
June ..	Chaplains and Nurses: England, £594 10s.; Egypt, £41 13s. 4d.	..	636 3 4	..
Aug. ..	Distribution charges, England	..	21 19 9	..
1917.				
Jan. 3 ..	Christmas comforts for crew of H.M.S. "Philomel" ..	..	..	20 0 0
1916.				
July 17 ..	For benefit of Westland men	..	25 0 0	..
" 5 ..	Y.M.C.A. representative, Cairo	..	30 0 0	..
Sept. 13 ..	For N.Z. sick and wounded, Malta	..	42 15 6	..
1915.				
July 26 ..	For N.Z. sick and wounded: Dardanelles, £120 10s.; Egypt, £20; Malta, £14 10s. 6d.	..	155 0 6	..
" 31 ..	Lady Godley, Alexandria, for sick and wounded ..	..	20 2 3	..
1916.				
May 23 ..	Chaplain	..	16 13 4	..
Sept. 28 ..	Aotea Convalescent Home	..	250 0 0	..
" ..	Lady Godley, for Convalescent Nursing Home ..	..	100 0 0	..
" ..	For benefit of soldiers, per Colonel Charters ..	..	22 10 0	..
" ..	For N.Z. hospitals in Egypt, Dardanelles, or Salonika ..	..	75 0 0	..
" ..	For soldiers, per Dr. Agnes Bennett	..	14 0 0	..
Oct. 3 ..	Tinned tongues for crew of H.M.S. "Philomel" ..	..	13 0 0	..
1917.				
April 2 ..	For France or Egypt, per Salvation Army and Y.M.C.A.	..	100 0 0	..
1916.				
Sept. 28 ..	For Private J. Connor	..	10 0 0	..
Aug. ..	Postage, taxi-hires, fruit, milk, cigarettes, &c., Brockenhurst ..	..	..	198 11 1
		8,005 8 9	6,595 13 4	5,222 8 2
			19,823 10 3	
	Vouchers in transit		10,691 12 9	
	Balances in hand—	£ s. d.		
	New Zealand	6,867 11 9		
	High Commissioner	2,342 1 10		
	Egypt	793 13 2		
			10,003 6 9	
			£40,518 9 9	

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S COMFORTS FUND.

RETURN SHOWING THE RECEIPTS AND DISPOSAL OF MONEY CONTRIBUTED BY PATRIOTIC SOCIETIES AND OTHERS TO PROMOTE THE WELL-BEING OF SOLDIERS OVERSEAS FROM THE BEGINNING OF THE WAR TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1917.

RECEIPTS.

(Direct by High Commissioner.)

1915.				£ s. d.
June 5.	Gisborne Patriotic Committee (N.Z. wounded)	..	..	500 0 0
Dec. 2.	Spencer Gollan (N.Z. wounded)	..	..	25 0 0
" 3.	Shanghai residents (N.Z. wounded)	..	..	133 6 8
" 9.	Otago Patriotic Association (Otago wounded)	..	..	1,000 0 0
" 11.	Feilding St. John's Church Guild (Christmas comforts, Walton) ..	..	..	22 10 0
" 11.	High Commissioner's Staff	..	..	12 6 7
" 11.	J. C. Chaytor (material for ladies' work)	..	..	20 0 0
" 14.	St. John Ambulance Association, Wellington (comforts, Walton) ..	..	..	21 0 0
" 15.	H. H. Wall	..	..	20 0 0
" 4.	Per Mr. Moss Davis, for comforts for N.Z. men: J. Dewar (Limited), £5 5s.; J. Walker and Son, £5 5s.; J. Lyons (Limited), £5 5s.; Clark and Son, £10 10s.; Mrs. E. Marks, £5 5s.; Mackie Limited, £5; Greenlees Bros., £5 5s.; A. Usher and Co., £10 10s.; Merrish, Grant, and Co., £2 2s.; W. R. Foster and Sons, £5 5s.; H. C. Miller, £5 5s.; T. R. Ronald, £5 5s.; Goggs Bros., £3 3s.; J. Warwick (Limited), £7 7s.; Cundy, Fitter, and Co., £5 5s.; Morrison and Co., £15 15s.; Cecil Leys, £2 2s.; G. M. Rylance, £5 5s.; A. Bell and Co., £5; Stewart Dawson and Co., £10 10s. ..	..	..	124 9 0
Dec. 16.	Alan Hughes (comforts, N.Z. troops)	..	..	100 0 0
" 16.	Shaw, Savill, and Albion Company (comforts, N.Z. troops) ..	..	..	500 0 0
" 16.	N.Z. Shipping Company (comforts, N.Z. troops)	..	..	1,000 0 0
" 16.	Per Mr. Moss Davis, for comforts for N.Z. men: J. Buchanan (Limited), £105; W. Plender, £2 2s.; Clyde Cooperage Company, £1 1s. ..	..	..	108 3 0
" 21.	Auckland Girls' Realm Guild (underclothing for sick) ..	..	..	100 0 0
" 22.	Norman Leslie (Christmas for N.Z. soldiers, London) ..	..	..	5 0 0
" 22.	Per Mr. Moss Davis, for comforts for N.Z. wounded: Campbell Gas-engine Company ..	..	..	5 5 0
" 23.	Dr. Hilda Northcroft (Christmas gifts, N.Z. wounded) ..	..	..	0 10 0
" 29.	F. W. Furkert (comforts, N.Z. soldiers)	..	..	5 0 0