

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS III.—POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.		1917-18.	
	CONVEYANCE OF OCEAN MAILS.	£	£
	VOTE No. 13.		
	CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
1	Suez Services—	£	
	Australian overland transit ...	1,700	
	Australia-Europe ...	7,050	
	European transit ...	500	
			9,250
2	Pacific Services—		
	Vancouver service ...	20,000	
	San Francisco service ...	25,000	
	Resident Agency, San Francisco ...	200	
	North American and overland transit ...	6,100	
	Australia-San Francisco service ...	400	
			51,700
3	Coastal Services—		
	Auckland services, including Great Barrier ...	2,460	
	Blenheim services ...	1,025	
	Chatham Islands ...	500	
	Invercargill services ...	330	
	Nelson services ...	180	
	Wellington-Pelorus Sound ...	460	
			4,955
4	Gratuities and landing and shipping ...	32,000	
5	Postal Union transit charges ...	800	
			98,705
	Less estimated credits under section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 ...	22,800	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 13 ...		75,905
	CONVEYANCE OF INLAND MAILS.		
	VOTE No. 14.		
	CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
1	Auckland ...	27,200	
2	Blenheim ...	1,500	
3	Christchurch ...	8,300	
4	Dunedin ...	8,800	
5	Gisborne ...	6,300	
6	Greymouth ...	1,150	
7	Hokitika ...	1,200	
8	Invercargill ...	4,900	
9	Napier ...	7,300	
10	Nelson ...	5,200	
11	New Plymouth ...	4,600	
12	Oamaru ...	1,000	
13	Thames ...	4,000	
14	Timaru ...	4,800	
15	Wanganui ...	8,500	
16	Wellington ...	18,500	
17	Westport ...	1,750	
18	New services, &c. (all districts) ...	2,000	
			117,000
	Less estimated credits under section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 ...	5,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 14 ...		112,000