

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XI.—CUSTOMS, MARINE AND HARBOURS, AND INSPECTION OF
MACHINERY DEPARTMENTS—*continued.*

Item.		1917-18.	
	CUSTOMS OFFICES AND SERVICES— <i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 63— <i>continued.</i>		
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—	£	£
2	Allowances to officers temporarily performing higher duties	75	
3	Audit fees for inspection of accounts	600	
4	Contribution to other Votes—		
	Marine	260	
	Police	10	
	Post and Telegraph	1,900	
	Working Railways	20	
5	Cost of instruments, books, periodicals, and uniform trimmings	150	
6	Expenses connected with prosecutions and seizures under the Customs' Acts, and legal expenses	150	
7	Expenses of Head Office and local offices	2,000	
8	Extra assistance (clerical and other)	2,250	
9	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	800	
10	Printing and stationery	1,200	
11	Rewards in connection with the protection of the revenue and detection of offences under the Customs Acts	800	
12	Telephone subscriptions and expenses	450	
13	Travelling allowances and expenses, including transfer and relieving expenses	750	
14	Travelling allowance and expenses of Inquiry Agent and Commercial Expert—		
	Special allowance while stationed away from New Zealand	104	
	Travelling and general expenses	300	
15	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of the vote	100	
		11,919	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 63		60,676
	CUSTOMS: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.		
	VOTE No. 64.		
	CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
1	Additional retiring-allowance to H. A. Day, late watchman, Customs Department	63	
2	Additional retiring-allowance to G. Rowe, late watchman, Customs Department	9	
3	Amount of pensions short paid to retired officers	175	
4	Expenses incurred in obtaining confidential information from United States and Canada concerning the value and origin of goods	500	
5	Expenses under the Immigration Restriction Act, 1908	100	
6	Expenses of Customs Buildings, Wellington—		
	Cleaning and washing	100	
	Lighting, water, heating, and electric power	190	
	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of the vote	50	
7	Grant to Cook and Niue Islands Governments of an amount equivalent to the Customs duties collected in New Zealand on goods afterwards shipped to those Islands	2,000	
8	Refund of duty on—		
	Aeroplane and spares (for training men for Imperial service) imported by the Canterbury Aviation Company (Limited)	157	
9	Baggage not fully complying with the terms of the exemption under the tariff, but being baggage and effects not for sale; also on <i>bona fide</i> heirlooms not exceeding in value £50, when the Collector is satisfied as to the facts	200	