

RETURNS.

RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL ORDINARY EXPENDITURE OF THE MARINE AND INSPECTION OF
MACHINERY DEPARTMENT DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1918.

Nature of Expenditure.	Details.	Totals.	Grand Totals.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Head Office: Salaries of staff	..	3,799 8 6	
Harbours:—			
Greymouth,—			
Salary of Engineer	..	480 0 0	
Hokianga,—			
Salaries of staff	529 2 9		
Repairing launch	15 9 3		
Stores and contingencies	89 11 5		
Kaipara,—		634 3 5	
Salaries of staff	734 14 1		
Lighting beacons in Helensville River	4 0 0		
Repairing launch	14 4 0		
Repairing and attending buoys	5 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	346 10 5		
Wellington,—		1,104 8 6	
Salary of storeman	..	220 0 0	
Picton,—			
Salary	260 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	27 0 1		
Ngunguru,—		287 0 1	
Salary	15 0 0		
Contingencies	0 4 0		
Napier,—		15 4 0	
Salary	..	20 0 0	
Marokopa,—			
Salary	10 0 0		
Timber and freights	9 7 0		
Tongaporutu,—		19 7 0	
Salary	25 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	15 8 3		
Mokau,—		40 8 3	
Salary	..	50 0 0	
Awakino,—			
Salary	20 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	2 14 0		
Waitapu,—		22 14 0	
Salary	25 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	82 10 0		
Puponga,—		107 10 0	
Stores and contingencies	..	15 2 0	
Collingwood,—			
Salary	70 0 0		
Removing snags, &c.	7 14 6		
Stores and contingencies	12 16 0		
Karamea,—		90 10 6	
Salary	145 0 0		
Shifting beacons, &c.	11 5 0		
Stores and contingencies	67 7 11		
Repairs to signal staff	12 12 0		
Little Wanganui,—		236 4 11	
Piloting vessels	13 0 0		
Stores	18 17 7		
Hokitika,—		31 17 7	
Salary	20 0 0		
Gas and contingencies	10 12 0		
Repairs	0 7 6		
Okarito,—		30 19 6	
Salary	100 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	15 1 6		
Okuru,—		115 1 6	
Salary	..	60 0 0	
Waikawa,—			
Salary	..	10 0 0	
Anglem Point,—			
Salary	25 0 0		
Stores and contingencies	12 5 2		
Supervision of beaches, Hauraki Gulf	..	37 5 2	
General contingencies	..	25 0 0	
Lighthouses:—		143 19 0	
Salaries	10,135 9 6		
Oil, stores, and contingencies	7,665 5 10		
Keepers' travelling-expenses	294 6 9		
New cylinders, Chicken Island	246 16 4		
New dwellings, Puysegur	2,934 6 5		
		21,276 4 10	
Meteorological Office:—			
Salaries	1,169 16 8		
Cleaning offices	25 18 0		
Extra clerical assistance	80 15 2		
Inspection of stations	35 10 5		
Postage, telegrams, rent of boxes	1,336 2 7		