

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

XII.—MINES DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	1921-22.	
1921-22.	VOTE No. 22.—MINES DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Subdivision No. II.—Geological Survey Branch— continued.</i>	£	£
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>		
7	Investigation, water-supplies	50	
8	Office fittings and requisites (including printing and stationery)	50	
9	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	50	
10	Petrographical specimens and petrographical and chemical apparatus	20	
11	Printing bulletins, lithographing, &c.	250	
12	Sorting and distributing mineral specimens	20	
13	Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls)	25	
14	Travelling allowances and expenses	400	
15	Tools, equipment, and field expenses	400	
16	Wages	800	
17	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of the vote	20	
		2,450	
	<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i>		6,546
	<i>Subdivision No. III.—Miscellaneous Services.</i>		
	CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
18	Advance to F. J. Gunn by the Government Agent, Sydney, to cover expenses when on a visit to Newcastle relative to supplies of coal for New Zealand	6	
19	Advertising, photographs, books, newspapers, and other periodicals	50	
	Assistance towards—		
20	Construction and maintenance of roads and works	1,100	
21	Prospecting	7,000	
22	Audit fees for inspection of accounts	20	
23	Bonus of 4d. per lb. for the production of the first 40,000 lb. of good marketable retorted quicksilver	667	
24	†Coal Control Branch: Working-expenses (including salaries of staff, cost-of-living bonus, and salaries of local secretaries)	2,550	
25	Diamond and other drills and appliances (working-expenses only)	1,200	
26	Examinations, Mining and Coal-mines Acts	200	
27	Expenses, New Zealand Government Representative, Imperial Mineral Resources Bureau	50	
28	*Expert and temporary assistance, fees, wages, &c.	800	
29	Freight, cartage, and transport charges	30	
30	Fuel, light, power, and water	60	
31	†Government Firewood Depot: Working-expenses (including salaries of staff, wages, and cost-of-living bonus), (recoverable)	9,660	
	Grants—		
32	Bowling-green and tennis-court, Runanga	182	
33	Erection of dressing-shed, recreation-grounds, Deniston	100	
34	Libraries in mining townships	100	
35	Mine-water flooding, Thames	1,840	
36	Recreation-ground, Runanga	77	
37	Sick and accident funds	150	

* Includes cost-of-living increase to scale salaries or wages.
and Commerce."

† Previously voted under vote "Industries