Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

PERMANENT CHARGES—continued. 1924-25. UNDER SPECIAL ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE. Animals' Protection and Game Act, 1921-22 (Section 20)-£ Payments to Acclimatization Societies of fees, royalties, &c., on opossumskins 5,000 Appropriation Act, 1916 (Section 9)-Payment of subsidies to County Councils, Road and Town Boards in 178,000 respect of general rates Auckland University College Act, 1882 --Grant-in-aid 4,000 Civil List Act, 1920 (Section 16)-Legislative Council-Speaker 720 Chairman of Committees 450 House of Representatives— Speaker 900 Chairman of Committees 675. . . Civil List Act, 1920 (Section 17)-£ Payment to members of the Legislative Council ... 11,970 Payment to members of the House of Representatives 30,600 42,570 Civil List Act, 1920 (Section 22)— Legislative Council— Člerk 750 . . . Clerk Assistant 550 House of Representatives-Clerk 750 Clerk Assistant 550 Civil Service Act; 1908— Pensions, Compensation, and Gratuities under Civil Service Act, 1908 ... 19,000 Defence Act, 1909-Pensions and allowances 3,000 Education Act, 1914— Education Boards— Subsidies on bequests and on voluntary contributions on account of Public Primary Schools (including District High Schools) 14,500 Technical Instruction— Subsidies on bequests and on voluntary contributions 3,000 National Scholarships— Grants to Education Boards for junior and senior scholarships 12,000 Secondary Schools— Subsidies on bequests and on voluntary contributions 5,000 Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1913 (Section 3)-Compensation for improvements 1,000 Finance Act, 1918 (No. 2), (Section 8)— Free issue of official postage-stamps to members of both Houses 2,000 Finance Act, 1919 (Section 14)-Pensions in respect of Police Officers 500 Finance Act, 1920 (Section 21)-Interest at 4 per cent. on New Zealand Expeditionary Force canteer profits and regimental funds deposited with Government at call *1,400 Finance Act, 1920 (Section 43)— Canterbury College (additional to statutory grant) 1,562