

Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	VOTE No. 36.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE— <i>continued.</i>	1925-26.	
1925-26.			£	£
		<i>Subdivision No. II.—Live-stock Division—continued.</i>		
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>		
		Destruction of Rabbits— <i>continued.</i>		
		Wages and general working-expenses, poison- mixing depots, purchase of material, &c. (recoverable)—		
61		Trading section (recoverable)	10,000	
62		Non-trading section (recoverable)	1,000	
63		Destruction of the kea (part recoverable)	750	
64		Destruction of wild pigs; also votes Department of Lands and Survey, £350, and State Forest Service, £350	350	
		Diseases of Live-stock—		
65		Applying tuberculin test to cattle and disposing of diseased stock	150	
66		Cattle-dips at Mahakatino and Piopio	1,000	
67		Control of cattle-tick, and provision for caretakers at crossing places	2,150	
68		Experiments in connection with bush-sickness and allied troubles	500	
69		Inoculation of calves for "black-leg"	150	
70		Loans to cattle-dipping associations in need of financial assistance	5,000	
71		Subsidies to cost of erection of cattle-dips	600	
72		Experimental Farm, Mamaku: Wages and general working-expenses, buildings, purchase of stock, and provision for visitors	1,250	
73		Inspection of manure-sterilizing (Australia and India): Labour, travelling, office, and other ex- penses (part recoverable)	750	
74		Inspection of meat	750	
75		Law-costs	250	
76		Preparation of wool specimens for instructional pur- poses	50	
77		Quarantine-stations, Auckland, Wellington, and Lyttelton (recoverable)	1,500	
78		Telephone services (including extensions, main- tenance, rent, and calls)	950	
79		Transfer and removal expenses	1,500	
80		Transit expenses of veterinarians from England and from Australia	500	
81		Travelling allowances and expenses	18,560	
82		Veterinary Laboratory: Wages and general working- expenses, land and buildings, and investigation of diseases	850	
83		Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure in- cidental to the Live-stock Division items of the vote	40	
			85,550	
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 (see end of vote)—		
		Destruction of noxious weeds—	£	
		Department of Lands and Survey	3,700	
		Native Department	2,000	
		Destruction of rabbits	8,750	
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		Department of Lands and Survey	8,500	
		Native Department	7,500	
		Farm areas	1,050	
		Quarantine-stations	1,000	
		Sundry items	550	
			33,050	
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i>		172,844