

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	1927-28.	
1927-28.	VOTE No. 13—DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>continued.</i>	£	£
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>		
9	Office fittings and requisites	50	
10	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	300	
11	Printing and stationery	375	
12	Royal Commission to inquire into Samoan matters, expenses of	3,000	
13	Samoan petition : Professional services of counsel ... Steamer for Island service—	315	
14	Purchase of (on account), (£27,189 also provided under vote "Cook Islands")	27,189	
15	Working-expenses	2,167	
16	Telephone services, including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls	50	
17	Travelling allowances and expenses	100	
18	Treatment of Samoan Chief, Mataafa, at Rotorua Sanatorium	13	
19	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure in- cidental to the other items of the vote	35	
		45,344	
	Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—	£	
	Apia Observatory	400	
	Steamer for Island service	2,000	
	Miscellaneous	100	
		2,500	
	GROSS TOTAL		47,913
	CREDITS-IN-AID (a)	...	2,500
	NET TOTAL—VOTE No. 13		45,413

(a) Credits-in-aid—

	Salaries. £	Other Charges. £	1927-28. £
	..	2,500	2,500
Totals	..	2,500	2,500