

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*MARINE DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	VOTE No. 31.—MARINE DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>	1927-28.	
1927-28.		<i>Subdivision No. IV.—Mercantile Marine.</i>	£	£
	50	SALARIES—		
		PROFESSIONAL DIVISION.		
1		1 at £765	765	
		Class B—		
		5 at £590	2,950	
7		2 at £540	1,080	
		Class C—		
8		8 at £490	3,920	
		Class D—		
3		3 at £425	1,275	
		CLERICAL DIVISION.		
		Class VII—		
		2 at £295	590	
		1 at £275	275	
4		1 at £190	190	
			1,055	
		GENERAL DIVISION.		
		2 at £420	840	
		1 at £345 (8 months)	230	
3		1 at £335	335	
			1,405	
		UNCLASSIFIED.		
		Shipping Officer, Onehunga	50	
		Shipping Officer, Whakatane	25	
4		2 Load-line Inspectors at £10	20	
		NON-PERMANENTS.		
		1 at £295	295	
		1 at £260	260	
		2 at £156	312	
5		1 at £117	117	
			984	
35		Contribution to Post and Telegraph Department for services performed by Postmaster at Tauranga ...	25	
		Overall allowances	20	
			13,574	
		<i>Other Charges for and incidental to—</i>		
51		Advertising, photographs, books, newspapers, and other publications	50	
52		Examinations: Expenses connected with	200	
53		Fuel, light, power, and water	10	
54		Inquiries into shipping casualties	500	
55		Life-saving appliances, expenses connected with	100	
56		Office fittings and requisites	150	
57		Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	130	
58		Printing and stationery	400	
59		Prosecutions under Shipping and Seamen Act	10	
60		Removal of Dunedin office, furniture, and records	50	
61		Rent	284	
62		Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls)	200	
63		Transfer and removal expenses	400	
64		Travelling allowances and expenses	100	
65		Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure in- cidental to the other items of this subdivision ...	10	
			2,594	
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—		
		Refunds of costs of nautical inquiries £100		
		Miscellaneous	60	
			160	
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. IV</i> ...		16,168