

1112. The savings in this vote, so far as they can be assessed, are summarized as follow :—

*Subdivision I.—Head Office :—*

Item—	£	£
Salaries .. .. .	7,500	
Advertising, photographs, books, &c. .. .. .	75	
Board of Agriculture .. .. .	150	
New Zealand Wool Committee .. .. .	70	
Ruakura Farm .. .. .	1,000	
Fuel, light, water, &c. .. .. .	200	
Chemical Laboratory .. .. .	350	
Mineral content of pastures .. .. .	100	
Postage, telegrams, &c. .. .. .	400	
Preparation and distribution of publications .. .. .	525	
Printing and stationery .. .. .	200	
Rent of offices in New Zealand and abroad .. .. .	1,450	
Travelling allowances and expenses .. .. .	290	
	—	12,310

*Subdivision II.—Live-stock Division :—*

Item—	£	£
Salaries .. .. .	14,000	
Bicycles and motors, &c. .. .. .	560	
Destruction of noxious weeds on Crown lands, Native lands, and other lands .. .. .	545	
Administrative costs in connection with noxious weeds .. .. .	7,500	
Wages, &c., poison-mixing depots .. .. .	400	
Experimental Farm, Mamaku .. .. .	1,000	
Inspection of manure—sterilizing, &c. .. .. .	135	
Investigation into deficiency diseases of stock, &c. .. .. .	260	
Poultry Experimental Station at Wallaceville .. .. .	800	
Purchase of equipment and material, meat-inspection .. .. .	50	
Quarantine stations, Auckland, Wellington, and Lyttelton .. .. .	450	
Telephone services, &c. .. .. .	150	
Transfer and removal expenses .. .. .	350	
Travelling allowances and expenses .. .. .	4,000	
Veterinary Laboratory .. .. .	450	
Veterinary Surgeons Board .. .. .	10	
	—	30,660

*Subdivision III.—Horticulture Division :—*

Item—	£	£
Salaries .. .. .	5,500	
Bicycles and motors, &c. .. .. .	250	
Collection of orchard-tax .. .. .	25	
Cool-storage, &c. .. .. .	35	
Control of fireblight disease .. .. .	35	
Cutting-out of abandoned orchards .. .. .	10	
Fumigation and destruction of diseased fruit .. .. .	20	
Orchards requisites, &c. .. .. .	30	
Horticultural station at Te Kauwhata .. .. .	350	
Tobacco industry .. .. .	45	
Transfer and removal expenses .. .. .	25	
Travelling allowances and expenses .. .. .	1,400	
	—	7,725

*Subdivision IV.—Dairy Division :—*

Item—	£	£
Salaries .. .. .	4,500	
Bicycles and motors, &c. .. .. .	500	
Certificate-of-record testing, &c. .. .. .	50	
Cost, passage to London, Inspector of Dairy Produce .. .. .	81	
Dairy requisites and produce for experiments .. .. .	25	
Certificate-of-record testing dairy cows in Nelson District .. .. .	10	
Grading of dairy-produce, &c. .. .. .	400	
Special investigational and instructional work : Cheese, &c. .. .. .	869	
Travelling allowances and expenses .. .. .	1,000	
	—	7,435