

*Appropriations for State Forests Account.*STATE FORESTS ACCOUNT—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item	1937-38.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 57.—STATE FOREST SERVICE— <i>continued.</i>		
1937-38.	<i>Subdivision No. II.—General Development and Management of Indigenous State Forests, &c.—continued.</i>		
	OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE CHARGES—		
	<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>		
12	Advertising	189	
13	Cost-of-living bonus to annuitants, Public Service Superannuation Fund, and increased pensions to widows and children	139	
14	Forest reconnaissance	2,259	
15	Kauri-gum, collection of	10	
16	Law-costs	155	
17	Maintenance buildings	124	
18	Maintenance field equipment, tools, &c.	137	
19	Maintenance office equipment	105	
20	Maintenance roads, tracks, and fences	2,913	
21	Maintenance telephone-lines (forest)	37	
22	Management of kauri forests	300	
23	Office rent, heating, lighting, cleaning, and messenger services	2,059	
24	Overtime and meal allowances	12	
25	Payment to other Departments for services rendered	320	
26	Policing, patrol, and maintenance	1,371	
27	Postages, cables, telegrams, &c.	821	
28	Printing and stationery	549	
29	Public Service Superannuation Fund contribution	595	
30	Railway Department : Lease of loading-site (recoverable)	16	
31	Settlement land examination	3	
32	Supervision of current operations	440	
33	Timber cruising, valuation, and appraisal	2,765	
34	Transfer and removal expenses	200	
35	Transportation expenses and upkeep of motor-vehicles	1,904	
36	Travelling allowances and expenses	1,581	
37	Work for other Departments, outside bodies, &c. (recoverable)	781	
38	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to other items of subdivision	15	
	Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—	£	
	Work for other Departments	781	
	Miscellaneous	300	
		1,081	
	Total—Operation and Maintenance Charges	19,800	
	<i>Total Subdivision No. II</i>		33,666
	<i>Subdivision No. III.—Forest Fire Fighting and Prevention : Indigenous Forests.</i>		
	CAPITAL CHARGES—		
	<i>Charges for and incidental to—</i>		
39	Equipment	302	
40	Protection improvements	226	
	Total—Capital Charges	528	