

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

| Number<br>of<br>Persons. | Item | VOTE No. 9.—INTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>continued.</i>                                                                                                                  | 1937–38. |   |
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|                          |      |                                                                                                                                                                  | £        | £ |
| 1937–38.                 |      | <i>Subdivision No. VI.—Miscellaneous Services—continued.</i>                                                                                                     |          |   |
|                          |      | OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>                                                                                                           |          |   |
| 134                      |      | Personal effects of Ministers, transfer of .. .. .                                                                                                               | 20       |   |
|                          |      | Post Office Account—                                                                                                                                             |          |   |
| 135                      |      | Franked Government telegrams .. .. .                                                                                                                             | 1,000    |   |
| 136                      |      | Franked telephone communications .. .. .                                                                                                                         | 550      |   |
| 137                      |      | Ministerial and Parliamentary Under-Secretaries' tele-<br>graphic memoranda .. .. .                                                                              | 3,800    |   |
| 138                      |      | Printing, stationery, and requisites, Ministers' and Parlia-<br>mentary Under-Secretaries' offices .. .. .                                                       | 1,500    |   |
| 139                      |      | Publications (including newspapers and books), Ministers'<br>and Parliamentary Under-Secretaries' offices .. .. .                                                | 500      |   |
|                          |      | Public Service Superannuation Fund—                                                                                                                              |          |   |
| 140                      |      | Contribution to (P.S.S. Act, 1927, section 50) .. .. .                                                                                                           | 86,000   |   |
| 141                      |      | Contribution to meet increased allowances to widows and<br>children (P.S.S. Act, 1927, section 114) .. .. .                                                      | 18,600   |   |
| 142                      |      | Contribution to : Under provisions of Statutes Amend-<br>ment Act, 1936, section 27 .. .. .                                                                      | 931      |   |
| 143                      |      | Regulations Act, 1936 : Expenses of printing regulations,<br>&c. (recoverable) .. .. .                                                                           | 1,200    |   |
| 144                      |      | Royal Empire Society's new building, London : Panelling<br>and flooring one committee-room with New Zealand timber,<br>cost of .. .. .                           | 463      |   |
| 145                      |      | Societies for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, fines paid<br>to (Police Offences Act, 1927, section 15) .. .. .                                                 | 40       |   |
| 146                      |      | Subsidies to local bodies in connection with district<br>centennial celebrations .. .. .                                                                         | 200      |   |
| 147                      |      | Subsidy (not exceeding £50,000) to New Zealand Centennial<br>Exhibition, Wellington, 1940 (£1 for £2), (on account) .. .. .                                      | 7,000    |   |
| 148                      |      | Superannuation funds : Reimbursement of amount of<br>reduction of rate of interest on mortgages and loss<br>on conversion .. .. .                                | 40,000   |   |
| 149                      |      | Telegrams beyond the Dominion .. .. .                                                                                                                            | 100      |   |
| 150                      |      | Telephone services, Ministers and Parliamentary Under-<br>Secretaries (including installation, extensions, mainten-<br>ance, rent, and calls) .. .. .            | 1,300    |   |
| 151                      |      | Town-planning, expenses in connection with (including<br>travelling-expenses of Board and Town Planning<br>Adviser) .. .. .                                      | 200      |   |
| 152                      |      | Transfer expenses of officers .. .. .                                                                                                                            | 20       |   |
|                          |      | Travelling-allowances and expenses of—                                                                                                                           |          |   |
| 153                      |      | Minister and Parliamentary Under-Secretaries (allow-<br>ances only as authorized by the Civil List Act, 1920,<br>and the Civil List Amendment Act, 1936) .. .. . | 1,500    |   |
| 154                      |      | Ministers and their wives and Parliamentary Under-<br>Secretaries : Expenses .. .. .                                                                             | 3,000    |   |
| 155                      |      | Private Secretaries to Ministers .. .. .                                                                                                                         | 2,000    |   |
| 156                      |      | Ministerial staff .. .. .                                                                                                                                        | 500      |   |
| 157                      |      | Members of the General Assembly (Finance Act, 1936,<br>section 39) .. .. .                                                                                       | 50       |   |
|                          |      | Turnbull Library—                                                                                                                                                |          |   |
| 158                      |      | Binding of books .. .. .                                                                                                                                         | 300      |   |
| 159                      |      | Incidental expenses .. .. .                                                                                                                                      | 300      |   |
| 160                      |      | Purchase of books .. .. .                                                                                                                                        | 400      |   |
| 161                      |      | Shelving, cost of .. .. .                                                                                                                                        | 200      |   |
| 162                      |      | Visit of Minister of Finance and party to the United<br>Kingdom—                                                                                                 |          |   |
|                          |      | Grant (balance) .. .. .                                                                                                                                          | 1,800    |   |
|                          |      | Allowances—                                                                                                                                                      |          |   |
|                          |      | Private Secretary .. .. .                                                                                                                                        | 510      |   |
|                          |      | Customs Officer .. .. .                                                                                                                                          | 450      |   |
|                          |      | Manufacturing Adviser .. .. .                                                                                                                                    | 450      |   |
|                          |      | Marketing Officer .. .. .                                                                                                                                        | 450      |   |
|                          |      | Stenographer .. .. .                                                                                                                                             | 180      |   |
|                          |      | General expenses .. .. .                                                                                                                                         | 1,160    |   |
|                          |      |                                                                                                                                                                  | 5,000    |   |