

## PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, 1897-98.

STATEMENT in Detail of the EXPENDITURE for MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—*contd.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>CLASS IV.—MINISTER OF JUSTICE:—</b>									
<b>VOTE No. 30—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES:—</b>									
Item 1—Purchase of reports and treatises for Crown Law Office	..	..	..	..	..	..	58	9	9
Item 2—Payment to Survey Department for lithographing, preparation of plans, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	297	0	11
Item 3—Purchase of Courthouse site, Eketahuna	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	0	0
<b>Item 4—Contingencies,—</b>									
Advertising, books, and publications	..	..	..	..	..	33	16	11	
Counsels' fees, defending murder charges	..	..	..	..	..	31	6	11	
Courthouse, Port Waikato, In settlement of lease of	..	..	..	..	..	50	0	0	
Extra clerks and temporary officers	..	..	..	..	..	793	2	5	
Fees paid to hangman	..	..	..	..	..	50	0	0	
Fidelity guarantee premiums	..	..	..	..	..	169	0	10	
Fuel, light, and water	..	..	..	..	..	684	13	5	
Interpreting	..	..	..	..	..	133	10	8	
Patent fees to agents for work done	..	..	..	..	..	47	0	0	
Sanitary requirements and sweeping chimneys	..	..	..	..	..	61	4	5	
Sundry payments	..	..	..	..	..	692	10	3	
Typewriting, copying, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	74	6	0	
Typewriters and mimeographs	..	..	..	..	..	60	4	6	
Telephone-exchange connections	..	..	..	..	..	286	4	11	
Travelling-allowances and -expenses of officers of the department	..	..	..	..	..	126	12	2	
Total net expenditure, Vote No. 30	..	..	..	..	..		3,293	13	5
	..	..	..	..	..		<b>£3,749</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>CLASS V.—POSTMASTER-GENERAL:—</b>									
<b>VOTE No. 37—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES:—</b>									
Item 1—Stationery, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,114	9	8
Item 2—Special allowance to telegraph messengers	..	..	..	..	..	..	660	0	0
Item 3—Gas and water	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,555	4	6
Item 4—Telephone-fees to non-permanent officers	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,945	17	10
Item 5—Scientific and technical instruction	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Item 6—To make good robbery at Tikokino Post-office	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	1
Item 7—Ditto at Newmarket Post-office	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	4	10
Item 8—Defalcation by an officer now deceased	..	..	..	..	..	..	279	19	8
Item 9—Expenses incurred to recover mails from wreck of "Tasmania"	..	..	..	..	..	..	559	19	0
<b>Item 10—Office expenses, fuel, travelling-expenses of Telegraphists and Contingencies—</b>									
Advertising and printing	..	..	..	..	..	131	11	3	
Carriage of private bags	..	..	..	..	..	271	11	10	
Cleaning and scavenging	..	..	..	..	..	1,908	7	0	
Money-order and Savings-bank fees	..	..	..	..	..	427	2	10	
Allowances (interest, tellers, R.T.P.O., house, forage, &c.)	..	..	..	..	..	2,174	13	5	
Postal Inspectors, travelling-expenses	..	..	..	..	..	868	11	6	
Lighting and fuel (gas excepted)	..	..	..	..	..	1,337	0	4	
Overtime	..	..	..	..	..	1,166	14	8	
Parcels-post expenses	..	..	..	..	..	2,019	15	2	
Repairs, fittings, new buildings, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	2,029	11	2	
Sundries	..	..	..	..	..	2,609	5	7	
Travelling- and relieving-expenses	..	..	..	..	..	4,306	14	2	
Uniforms	..	..	..	..	..	875	11	10	
Temporary officers (excluding Linemen)	..	..	..	..	..	2,186	16	7	
Poundage paid..	..	..	..	..	..	1,760	8	8	
Total net expenditure, Vote No. 37	..	..	..	..	..		24,073	16	0
	..	..	..	..	..		<b>£41,201</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>CLASS VI.—COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS:—</b>									
<b>VOTE No. 39—CUSTOMS, MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES:—</b>									
Item 1—Quarantine-keepers, Auckland, Wellington, and Port Chalmers—Salaries, 1st April, 1897, to 31st March, 1898	..	..	..	302	2	0			
Less recoveries	..	..	..	36	0	0			
Item 2—Quarantine Stations—Contingencies	..	..	..	..	..	266	2	0	
	..	..	..	..	..	165	16	1	
Item 3—Bonus on exportation of canned and cured fish	..	..	..	..	..		431	18	1
Item 4—Freight on samples forwarded to London Chamber of Commerce	..	..	..	..	..		727	4	10
Refund of Customs duty on, —	..	..	..	..	..		3	9	0
Item 5—Memorial to late Dr. Stuart	..	..	..	..	..				
Item 6—Memorial statue to the late John Ballance	..	..	..	..	..	17	5	0	
Item 7—Memorial to late Peter Cunningham	..	..	..	..	..	16	15	0	
Item 8—Statue of Bishop Harper, Christchurch	..	..	..	..	..	75	15	0	
Item 9—Statue of Her Majesty the Queen, Auckland	..	..	..	..	..				
Item 10—Monument to the victims of the Brunner coal-mine disaster, Stillwater	..	..	..	..	..				
Item 11—Tobacco stalks destroyed	..	..	..	..	..	12	8	0	
Carried forward	..	..	..	..	..	122	3	0	1,162 11 11