

## DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

## MARINE DEPARTMENT—continued.

Number of Persons.		VOTE—MARINE—continued.	1942-43.	1941-42.	
1942-43	1941-42			Voted.	Expended.
		<i>Subdivision No. II.—Harbours—continued.</i>			
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—continued.	£	£	£
		Mokau Harbour Board: Repairs to cottage .. ..	..	150	150
		Office expenses .. .. .	..	30	27
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—			
		Miscellaneous .. .. .	£50		
			2,265	2,022	1,735
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i> .. ..	3,814	3,450	3,189
		<i>Subdivision No. III.—Lighthouses.</i>			
65	67	SALARIES—			
		65 (£200 to £765) .. .. .	15,566	16,917	19,707
		Allowances to officers performing special or higher duties under Public Service Regulations 24A and 209 ..	10	10	
		Cost-of-living allowances .. .. .	1,665	..	
		Station allowances .. .. .	650	650	
		Temporary keepers' wages .. .. .	2,000	2,050	
		Wireless operators' allowances .. .. .	500	500	
			20,391	20,127	19,707
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
		Books, magazines, and newspapers .. .. .	80	80	68
		Fog-signals, maintenance of .. .. .	(a) 1,325	1,325	579
		Fuel for lights: Gas, kerosene, &c. .. ..	1,350	1,650	(b) 1,081
		Horses, vehicles, and harness—			
		Purchase of .. .. .	(c) 190	50	
		Maintenance of .. .. .	300	300	245
		Lighthouse tender, working-expenses of .. ..	10	1,500	(d) 2,030
		Lightkeepers: Compensation, &c., for loss of stores and effects, &c. .. .. .	20	100	58
		Medical examinations and expenses .. .. .	50	50	43
		Motor-vehicles, purchase of .. .. .	(e) 250	180	14
		Repairs and maintenance of lighthouses, dwellings, &c. ..	9,000	9,800	(f) 6,619
		Services for Meteorological Office (recoverable) .. ..	250	250	240
		Stores, mails, &c., for lighthouses: Transport and delivery charges, &c. .. .. .	2,740	6,675	(g) 1,989
		Telephone allowances (recoverable) .. .. .	55	55	55
		Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls) .. .. .	200	300	172
		Transfer and removal expenses .. .. .	600	500	699
		Travelling allowances and expenses .. .. .	75	75	(h) 44
		Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of this subdivision .. .. .	10	10	(i) 16
		Mails, carriage of .. .. .	(j) ..	800	867
		Marine Store: Repairs and improvements, &c. .. ..	..	120	163
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—			
		Recoveries—	£		
		Services for Meteorological Office .. .. .	250		
		Telephone allowances .. .. .	55		
		Miscellaneous .. .. .	250		
			555		
			16,505	23,820	14,982
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. III</i> .. ..	36,896	43,947	34,689

(a) Cost of extensive repairs at Pencarrow to come to charge.

(b) Reduction due to modification of lights.

(c) Horse and trap required at Cape Saunders Lighthouse.

(d) Final payments on G.S.S. "Matai" before transfer.

(e) Motor-truck required at Portland Island Lighthouse.

(f) Cost of repairs by Public Works Department still to come to charge.

(g) On transfer of lighthouse tender to other work it was difficult to estimate cost of transport of stores, &amp;c. Cost was much lower than anticipated, as stations had stocked up previously.

(h) Number of officers, 11. Travelling-allowance, £3; motor hire, £1; rail and boat fares, £40.

(i) Cost of inquiry at lighthouse, £16.

(j) Now included in item "Stores, mails, &amp;c.: Transport and delivery charges, &amp;c."