

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1943.

DEPARTMENT OF SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH—*continued.*

Number of Persons.		VOTE—SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH— <i>continued.</i>	1942-43.	1941-42.	
1942-43	1941-42			Voted.	Expended.
		<i>Subdivision No. II.—Research Investigations—continued.</i>	£	£	£
		<i>Wheat Research—continued.</i>			
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>continued.</i>			
		Laboratory accommodation, maintenance, and repairs ..	170	250	89
		Office furniture and fittings	50	50	21
		Postages and telegrams	75	75	36
		Printing and stationery	100	100	57
		Rent	38	38	4
		Telephone services	30	25	70
		Travelling allowances and expenses	400	500	442
		Wages of field and laboratory hands	603	753	960
		Contingencies	1	1	
		(Recoverable, £3,100.)			
			2,217	2,682	2,503
			6,509	7,089	6,567
		<i>General—</i>			
		SALARIES—			
1	19	1 at £380	380	5,650	9,472
		Cost-of-living allowance	13	..	
261	236	Officer on loan from New Zealand Railways Department	318	
			393	5,968	9,472
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
		Grants	500	1,500	435
		Instruments, equipment, stores, and experimental material	1,000	1,957	408
		Miscellaneous investigations: Travelling-expenses, wages, freight, postages, telegrams, cables, patents, and other expenses	1,000	1,000	1,171
			2,500	4,457	2,014
			2,893	10,425	11,486
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)— £ Recoveries on account of research .. 74,002			
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i>	188,394	167,202	150,177
		<i>Subdivision No. III.—Dominion Laboratory.</i>			
		SALARIES—			
		PROFESSIONAL DIVISION.			
1	1	1 at £900	900	900	17,371
		OTHER SALARIES.			
57	49	57 (£80 to £665)	16,931	16,620	
		Allowance to officer acting as gas referee	75	75	
58	50	Payment for services, officers of Department of Internal Affairs	276	404	
		Cadets' lodging-allowances	57	63	
		Cost-of-living allowances	855	..	
		Allowance to officer under Public Service Regulation 209	19	
			19,094	18,081	17,371