

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES, 1946-47

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—continued

	£	£	£
For Services chargeable on the Consolidated Fund—continued			
ORDINARY REVENUE ACCOUNT—<i>ctd.</i>			
VOTE—AGRICULTURE—continued			
<i>Subdivision No. IV.—Dairy Division</i>			
<i>Salaries—</i>			
OTHER SALARIES			
(£130 to £1,000)	(a) 2,970		
<i>Total—Subdivision No. IV</i> ..		2,970	
<i>Subdivision V.—Fields Division</i>			
<i>Salaries—</i>			
OTHER SALARIES			
(£95 to £1,000)	(b) 3,670		
<i>Other Charges for and incidental to—</i>			
Agricultural investigations and research—			
Field crops (including contract growing, seed certification, &c.), (recoverable), (additional)	(c) 6,000		
Field experiments (additional)	(d) 4,000		
Seed Testing (recoverable), (additional) ..	(e) 1,200		
Experimental and instructional farms and areas—			
South Island Research and Experimental Station : wages and general working-expenses, purchase of stock and equipment, &c.	(f) 10,000		
	21,200		

- (a) £96,975 provided on main estimates. Additional provision required to cover cost of regrading.
 (b) £79,000 provided on main estimates. Additional provision required to cover cost of regrading.
 (c) £15,000 provided on main estimates. There has been a higher production of seeds from contract areas than was estimated.
 (d) £5,600 provided on main estimates. Increased imports of weed-killing substances for large-scale trials.
 (e) £4,000 provided on main estimates. Equipment unprocureable during the war period, is now becoming available.
 (f) Provision for institution in the South Island to carry out research and experimental work in connection with soils, crops, and stock.