

YEAR ENDING 31 MARCH, 1947

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT—*continued*

VOTE—CUSTOMS— <i>continued</i>	1946-47.	1945-46.	
		Voted.	Expended.
<i>Subdivision No. II—Customs: Miscellaneous Services</i>			
	£	£	£
CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
Customs Building, Wellington	500	500	459
Grant to Cook and Niue Islands Governments of an amount equivalent to the Customs duties, petrol and tire-tax collected in New Zealand on goods afterwards shipped to those islands	(a) 5,883	4,185	4,185
Grants to officers in lieu of leave on retirement	350	700	163
Payment of the monetary equivalent of leave due to deceased officers	150	200	180
Refund of duty and sales tax on chairs for invalids, and clothing, apparatus, and other articles for persons in poor circumstances who cannot pay the duty	50	50	44
Refund of duty and sales tax on printed matter and other articles for the use of Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, Navy League, and similar patriotic societies, Red Cross Society, and Young Helpers' League, as may be approved by the Minister	20	20	..
Refund of duty and sales tax on wigs ..	20	50	..
Compassionate grants to widows and dependants of deceased officers	910	911
Refund of deposit under the Immigration Restriction Acts which had previously been forfeited	400	400
Refund of part value of confiscated banknotes	49	49
<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i>	6,973	7,064	6,391
GROSS TOTAL	250,395	216,066	206,778
CREDITS-IN-AID	(b)	22,507	30,471
NET TOTAL	250,395	193,559	176,307

(a) Increased exports to the islands.

(b) Now included in Public Accounts as "Departmental Receipts." Anticipated receipts, 1946-47, £34,000.