DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

DEPARTMENT OF ISLAND TERRITORIES—continued

| VOTE—ISLAND TERRITORIES—continued | 1946-47. | 1945 -46. | |
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| Subdivision No. IV—Cook and other Islands | | Voted. | Expended. |
| Subsidies, &c., to Cook and other Islands— | £ | £ | £ |
| OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— Western Samoa— Government scholarships in New Zealand | | | |
| for students from Western Samoa Expenses of Administrator-Designate prior | (a) 6,340 | 3,350 | 3,106 |
| to taking up appointment | 250 | • • | •• |
| (on account) | (b) 3,000 | : | 3 |
| Government scholarships in New Zealand for students from Cook Islands Tuberculosis sanatorium at Rarotonga | 1,260 | | |
| (balance of cost) Radio reconstruction (on account) Hospital at Aitutaki | 3,100 (c) 10,300 3,000 | 43,669 | 43,669 |
| War pensions to ex-members and dependents, local defence forces Ordinary subsidy Niue Island— | (d) 57,000 | | |
| Taking over by Administration of mission schools | 4,410 (e) 10,956 | 8,524 | 7,755 |
| Administration for expenditure incurred on behalf of Inspection of and equipment for islands | (f) 1,450 | 1,000 | 789 |
| schools | (g) 9,100 | 1,000 | 699 |
| South Pacific Health Service: contribution to cost of Inspectorate-General | 1,504 | 5,100 | (<i>h</i>) |
| Visits— Samoan Faipule to New Zealand Samoan Fautua to New Zealand, 1945 | 820 300 | ., 818 | ·· (i) 31 |

(a) Number of students for 1946 increased from 13 to 27.

⁽b) Profits from New Zealand Reparation Estates cover all subsidies to Western Samoa.

⁽c) Present plant is obsolete for modern requirements.

⁽d) Includes reconstruction of bridges, survey of reef passages, scheme for milk in schools, improvements
Rarotongo Hospital, cost of operating T.B. Sanatorium, new quarters, and second cost-ofliving allowance for staff.

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(**) Bringing all schools in Niue under control of Administration, also provision for purchase of x-ray, and medical equipment, scheme for milk in schools, balance of cost of dental clinic, and cost-of-living allowance for staff.

⁽f) Provision for cost of taking census.

⁽g) Scheme for provision of visual equipment and also inspection of schools commenced in January, 1946. Estimate is for full year's cost.

⁽h) Health Service Scheme not yet fully expanded. No claims came to charge during 1945-46 financial year.

⁽i) Total cost of visit approximately £1,180, of which £830 was charged to vote "Internal Affairs," item "Cost of entertaining Visitors to New Zealand."