

## DETAILS OF ESTIMATES FOR THE

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS—*continued*

VOTE—LEGISLATIVE— <i>continued</i> <i>Subdivision No. VI—Buildings, Grounds, and Catering Department—continued</i>	1947-48.	1946-47.	
		Voted.	Expended.
OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO— <i>ctd.</i>			
Sessional allowance to Catering Department's staff .. .. .	£ 1,000	£ 800	£ 1,050
Lodging-allowance to officer in charge .. .. .	..	33	33
	2,810	2,633	2,433
	11,232	12,381	11,390
<i>Total—Subdivision No. VI</i> .. .. .	26,859	28,618	26,920
<i>Subdivision No. VII—General Expenses</i>			
CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
Allowance to Police Constables in attendance during session .. .. .	25	50	24
Allowance to the Leader of the Opposition .. .. .	187	187	187
Compassionate grants to dependants of deceased officers .. .. .	50	..	..
Expenses incidental to rearrangement of accommodation, public functions, obsequies, purchase of memorials, &c. .. .. .	400	100	97
Expenses of Select Committees of the House sitting during the recess .. .. .	10	350	198
Furniture and office requisites— £			
Purchases .. .. . 3,700			
Maintenance and repairs .. .. . 300			
	(a) 4,000	900	1,223
Hire of motor-cars for Speakers of both Houses and their wives .. .. .	40	25	39
Meals to Messengers, &c., on late-sitting nights and meal allowances .. .. .	150	200	125
Miscellaneous consumable stores .. .. .	620	450	513
Office expenses .. .. .	7,000	6,200	6,990
Passages and expenses of witnesses attending Committees .. .. .	10	10	..
Passages of—			
Members of both Houses— £			
Air .. .. . 2,000			
Steamer .. .. . 1,400			
Service car .. .. . 50			
	3,450		
Members' wives—			
Steamer .. .. . 300		3,770	2,023
Service car .. .. . 20			
	320		

(a) Now includes last year's item "Office equipment for Ministers' offices."