

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XII.—STAMP AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

| Item. | | | 1904-5. | |
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| STAMP DEPARTMENT—continued. | | | | |
| VOTE No. 49—continued. | | | £ | £ |
| OTHER CHARGES— | | | | |
| 9 | Auditing stamps | ... | 87 | |
| 10 | Cleaning offices | ... | 25 | |
| 11 | Extra assistance | ... | 580 | |
| 12 | Gas, water, and fuel | ... | 20 | |
| 13 | Legal expenses | ... | 250 | |
| 14 | Payment to General Post Office for services per- formed | ... | 25 | |
| 15 | Postage-stamp and other paper | ... | 1,000 | |
| 16 | Printing-inks | ... | 250 | |
| 17 | Purchase of two new penny-stamp presses and dies for same | ... | 35 | |
| 18 | Remission of duty on estates of deceased members of contingents | ... | 25 | |
| 19 | Travelling allowances and expenses | ... | 150 | |
| 20 | Contingencies | ... | 150 | |
| | | | 2,597 | |
| TOTAL—VOTE No. 49 | | | | 7,388 |
| LAND AND DEEDS REGISTRY. | | | | |
| | | | 1904-5. | |
| Total number of officers | | | 42 | |
| VOTE No. 50. | | | | |
| SALARIES— | | | | |
| 1 | Auckland— | | | |
| | District Land Registrar | ... | 550 | |
| | Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Chief Clerk | ... | 290 | |
| | 3 Clerks: 1 at £200, 2 at £175 | ... | 550 | |
| 2 | Taranaki— | | | |
| | Assistant Land Registrar and Deputy Registrar of Deeds | ... | 280 | |
| | 2 Clerks: 1 at £150, 1 at £125 | ... | 275 | |
| | Cadet | ... | 65 | |
| 3 | Wellington— | | | |
| | District Land Registrar | ... | 550 | |
| | Late District Land Registrar (3 months) | ... | 138 | |
| | Examiner of Titles | ... | 350 | |
| | Chief Clerk | ... | 255 | |
| | Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Assistant Land Registrar | ... | 325 | |
| | 1 Clerk | ... | 190 | |
| | 1 Cadet | ... | 60 | |
| | Typiste | ... | 100 | |
| | Messenger (8s. per diem) | ... | 146 | |
| | Office-cleaner | ... | 50 | |
| 4 | Hawke's Bay— | | | |
| | District Land Registrar and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps | ... | 500 | |
| | Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Chief Clerk | ... | 285 | |
| 5 | Poverty Bay— | | | |
| | District Land Registrar and Examiner of Titles (also President Maori Land Council, Judge of Validation and Native Land Court, and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps, nil) | ... | 425 | |
| | Assistant Land Registrar and Deputy Registrar of Deeds | ... | 200 | |
| 6 | Nelson— | | | |
| | Deputy Registrar of Deeds and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps | ... | 280 | |
| | Cadet | ... | 80 | |