

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS XXI.—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—*continued.*

Item.			1906-7.	
	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE— <i>continued.</i>		£	£
	VOTE No. 68— <i>continued.</i>			
6	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>			
	<i>Canterbury-Kaikoura District—</i>			
	9 Inspectors: 1 (in charge) at £325, 1 at £280, 2 at £270, 1 at £250, 2 at £230, 2 at £220		2,295	
	2 Clerks: 1 at £230, 1 at £156		386	
	Cadet		65	
	Fruit Inspector and Clerk		200	
	4 Caretakers of South Canterbury rabbit-fence: 3 at £100, 1 at £50		350	
	6 Rabbit Agents: 3 at £190, 1 at £180, 1 at £176, 1 at £166		1,092	
			4,388	
7	<i>Otago District—</i>			
	15 Inspectors: 1 (in charge) at £325, 1 at £280, 5 at £270, 2 at £260, 1 at £250, 3 at £235, 1 at £220, 1 at £185		3,835	
	3 Clerks: 1 at £210, 1 at £175, 1 at £156		541	
	Cadet		85	
	Fruit Inspector and Clerk		210	
	20 Rabbit Agents: 8 at £190, 7 at £185, 3 at £175, 1 at £172, 1 at £156		3,668	
			8,339	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 68			60,801
	MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.			
	VOTE No. 69.			
1	Advertising, printing, &c.		200	
2	Amount payable to George Logan, Onewhero, in respect to cheque for compensation which went astray		2	
3	Bicycles and repairs		300	
4	Bonuses or advances to assist fruit-canning factories		2,000	
5	Bonus for best means of destroying small birds		250	
6	Bonus for discovery of mineral phosphates		500	
7	Clerical assistance		400	
8	Collection of agricultural and pastoral statistics		4,000	
9	Compassionate allowance to Catherine Munro, wife of Alexander Munro, late Rabbit Agent, Anderson's Bay, Dunedin		50	
10	Compassionate allowance to Mrs. Carswell		25	
11	Compensation for loss through anthrax		50	
12	Contribution towards printing report of Conference of National Dairy Association, Palmerston North		20	
	Dairy Industry—			
13	Contribution towards cool-storage for dairy-produce		200	
14	Grading of dairy-produce		1,100	
15	Purchase of dairy requisites and produce for experiments		100	
16	Subsidy to National Dairy Association		200	
17	Establishment of dairy schools		1,000	
	Destruction of Rabbits on Crown Lands: Contracts, Labour, Natural Enemies, &c.—			
18	Auckland District	£4,000	} 9,400	
19	Napier	1,200		
20	Wellington - West Coast	600		
21	Marlborough-Nelson-Westland	100		
22	Canterbury-Kaikoura	500		
23	Otago	3,000		