

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, 1908-1909.

STATEMENT in Detail of the EXPENDITURE for MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—*contd.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	5,230	10	1
CLASS XV.—DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>ctd.</i>									
VOTE No. 56—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES— <i>continued.</i>									
Item 28—Fire brigades attending annual conference, railway passes for	1,386	18	5
Item 29—Fire brigades annual conference, grant-in-aid	400	0	0
Item 30—Freight and cartage	421	15	1
Item 31—Fuel for Government offices	419	14	6
Item 32—General Contingencies—									
Allowances to messengers for special attendance on Saturday afternoons to receive training in use of fire-extinguishing apparatus, Departmental Buildings	20	0	0			
Allowance to J. F. Andrews for acting Secretary to Cabinet	50	0	0			
Cleaning grounds Government Buildings, Nelson	3	12	0			
Cost of two first-class tourist tickets for all railway-lines in New Zealand for Hon. Dyson Blair, Commissioner of Lands, Fiji	16	0	0			
Cost of searching London newspapers for notices, articles, &c., relating to New Zealand	12	12	0			
Dock and shipping charges	16	10	8			
Expenses Earl of Ranfurly attending Quebec celebrations as representative of New Zealand	120	9	8			
Expenses of Kawhia County Council election inquiry	13	5	9			
Funeral expenses of E. Drury, late messenger, Government buildings	10	11	0			
Payment to Secretary Blenheim Fire Brigade for services rendered when the Government Buildings (Blenheim) were endangered by fire	15	0	0			
Refreshments supplied in connection with the entertainment of Admiral Fawkes	2	18	0			
Reindexing Volume I, Historical Records of New Zealand	15	15	0			
Special allowances to officers for extra work during session	60	0	0			
Sundries	3	2	7			
				359	16	8			
Less recoveries on account of previous expenditure	14	6	0			
							345	10	8
Item 33—Grant to swimming associations for encouragement of swimming				200	0	0
Item 34—Grant to the Canterbury Philosophical Institute for the purpose of securing scientific records in connection with the construction of the Arthur's Pass Tunnel				200	0	0
Item 35—Grant to Polynesian Society for assistance and publishing manuscript documents				100	0	0
Item 36—Gratuities to workmen for losses sustained through bush fires while employed by Roads Department				58	4	6
Item 37—Gratuities equal to one year's honorarium to widows of late members of Legislature—									
Fish, Mrs J.	300	0	0			
Bonar, Mrs. E. M.	300	0	0			
Pinkerton, Mrs. M.	300	0	0			
							900	0	0
Item 38—House allowance, messenger at Government Buildings, New Plymouth				52	0	0
Item 39—Imperial Institute expenses				89	12	0
Item 40—In settlement of T. Lock's claim for use of Wellesley Street Post-office site, Auckland				75	0	0
Item 41—Legal expenses incurred on behalf of Maori Land Board and Native Land Court Judges				191	11	4
Item 42—Legal expenses, Attorney-General v. Badger (Privy Council)				15	12	4
Item 43—Light and water for various Government buildings				1,180	12	4
Item 44—Locomotion expenses of Governor and staff when travelling between Palmerston North and Wellington				121	16	0
Item 45—"Manual of New Zealand Mollusca"				400	0	0
Item 46—Office equipment, including telephones				393	2	7
Item 47—Pacific cable: New Zealand's portion of estimated deficiency				6,929	3	4
Item 48—Payment to Reuter's Telegram Company for special telegrams				516	0	0
Item 49—Payment to P. van der Velden in consideration of picture destroyed by fire at Parliament Buildings, Wellington				25	0	0
Item 50—Pension of late Provincial Government, Nelson: Mrs. Robinson's two daughters				100	0	0
Carried forward	19,752	3	2