

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*PERMANENT CHARGES—*continued.*

				1923-24.
UNDER SPECIAL ACTS OF THE LEGISLATURE— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>New Plymouth Harbour Board Endowment Act, 1874—</i>				£
One-fourth of proceeds of sales, &c., payable to Harbour Board	...	...	...	4,300
<i>New Zealand Institute Act, 1908—</i>				
General expenses of Institute	...	...	...	1,000
<i>New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—</i>				
<i>New Zealand Consolidated Stock—</i>				
Charges and expenses of management	...	...	23,950	
Less recoverable from other accounts	...	...	3,200	
				20,750
<i>New Zealand University Act, 1908—</i>				
Contribution to University	...	...	...	3,845
<i>New Zealand University Amendment Act, 1914, and Amendment Act, 1919 (Section 4)—</i>				
University National Scholarships	...	...	...	3,100
University bursaries	...	...	...	11,400
National Research Scholarships	...	...	...	500
Grants-in-aid to—				
Auckland University College	...	...	7,100	
Victoria University College	...	...	7,100	
Canterbury College	...	...	4,100	
University of Otago	...	...	8,700	
				27,000
University Colleges—				
Subsidies on bequests and on voluntary contributions	...	...	...	10,900
<i>Orchard-tax Act, 1916 (Section 4)—</i>				
Proceeds of Orchard-tax payable to New Zealand Fruit-growers' Federation, Limited	...	...	...	2,000
<i>Pensions Act, 1913, and Finance Act, 1920—</i>				
Military pensions (Maori War)	...	...	...	32,000
Old-age pensions	...	...	800,000	
Less amount charged to National Endowment Residue	...	...	38,306	
				761,694
Widows' pensions	...	...	...	225,000
<i>Public Revenues Act, 1910, and Appropriation Act, 1920—</i>				
Salary of Controller and Auditor-General	...	...	1,170	
Claims repayable under sections 16, 29, and 90	...	...	300	
				1,470
<i>Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1912 (Section 5)—</i>				
Fire Insurance Fund	...	...	...	10,000
<i>Public Service Act, 1912, and Appropriation Act, 1920 (Section 16, Sub-section 1)—</i>				
Salaries of Public Service Commissioners	...	...	...	2,442
<i>Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Acts, 1908, 1909, and 1912—</i>				
Annual contributions—				
Public Service Superannuation Fund	...	...	86,000	
Railway Superannuation Fund	...	...	25,000	
Teachers' Superannuation Fund	...	...	43,000	
				154,000
<i>Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908—</i>				
Subsidies to Rabbit Boards for the destruction of rabbits	...	...	...	6,000
<i>Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1916 (Section 67)—</i>				
Compensation to Mrs. Ann Noble, of Alexandra, Otago	...	...	...	78