

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*PENSIONS DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	1923-24.	
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>		£	£
1923-24.	VOTE No. 21.— <i>continued.</i>		
1	SALARIES— <i>continued.</i>		
	GENERAL DIVISION.		£
	2 at £181		362
	2 at £169		338
	1 at £149		149
	3 at £137		411
	1 at £125		125
10	1 at £85		85
			1,470
100	Cadets' lodging-allowances		400
	Salaries and honoraria of members of War Pensions Board		2,306
	Salary, Pensions Medical Examiner		950
			25,098
	Less proportion of salaries provided for but not payable for full year		396
			24,702
	Less estimated credits under Section 48 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910—		
	Contribution from Imperial Government for services rendered in payment of Imperial pensioners residing in New Zealand		3,500
			*21,202
	OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
2	Advertising, photographs, books, newspapers, and other publications		20
	Compassionate allowances to—		
3	Mrs. Florence E. Heslin		100
4	Mr. O. F. Holland		50
5	Exchange and commission on money-orders		200
6	Fees for certificates of age		10
7	Fuel, light, power, and water		100
8	Grants to recipients of New Zealand Cross		70
9	Interpreters' fees		10
10	Loading on life-insurance premiums on account of impaired health occasioned by war service		300
11	Medical fees		10,000
12	Medical treatment of returned soldiers		100,000
13	Office-cleaning		50
14	Office fittings and requisites		100
15	Payment of hospital maintenance and transport charges in respect of Imperial ex-officer, Captain J. R. M. Vesey, charged to Imperial Pensions Account, which amount the Ministry of Pensions, London, declines to accept as a liability on the Imperial Government		17
16	Payment to Post and Telegraph Department for services of officers		15,902
17	Pensions to epidemic widows and their dependants...		35,000
18	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes		3,500
19	Printing and stationery		2,000
20	Rent of offices		566
21	Special annuities (81 cases)		4,470
22	Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls)		150

* Includes cost-of-living increase to scale salaries or wages.