

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS—*continued.*

Number of Persons.	Item.	VOTE No. 22.—DEPARTMENT OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS— <i>continued.</i>	1926–27.	
1926–27.			£	£
		<i>Subdivision No. I—Head Office—continued.</i>		
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—		
	2	Advertising	150	
	3	Bird-life, expenses in connection with preservation of	300	
	4	Cinematograph-films : Cost of administration and ex- penses in connection with the censorship of ...	750	
	5	Commissions of Inquiry (part recoverable) ...	800	
		Dominion Observatory—		
	6	Astronomical sites, testing of	250	
	7	General expenses	250	
	8	Grounds, maintenance of	80	
	9	Instruments and equipment	300	
	10	Longitude, international wireless determinations of, temporary assistance in connection with ...	100	
	11	Fire Brigades : Railway-pass for Secretary to United Fire Brigades' Association	90	
		Fire Brigades Annual Conference—		
	12	Grant-in-aid	500	
	13	Railway passes for brigades attending	500	
	14	Freight, cartage, and transport charges	150	
		Fresh-water fisheries and game—		
	15	Expenses in connection with, including wages of workmen, purchase of land, and erection of buildings	1,200	
	16	Motor-car, purchase of	390	
	17	Fuel for Government offices	2,000	
	18	Law-costs	5	
	19	Light, power, and water for Government buildings . .	4,500	
	20	New Zealand Academy of Fine Arts, Wellington, payment to, for part services of custodian, National Picture Gallery, and other charges in connection therewith	172	
	21	Office fittings and requisites... ..	750	
	22	Office furniture (transfer expenses)	100	
	23	Overtime and meal allowances	50	
	24	Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes (part recoverable)	750	
		Printing and Stationery—		
	25	Head office	1,800	
	26	Ministers' offices	1,000	
	27	Publications (including newspapers and books) ...	750	
	28	Rent	63	
	29	Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls)	1,250	
		Travelling allowances and expenses of—		
	30	Ministers (allowances only as authorized by the Civil List Act, 1920)	1,750	
	31	Ministers' expenses	2,500	
	32	Private Secretaries to Ministers	2,500	
	33	Officers of the Department	1,200	
	34	Tuatara lizards, protection of: Special payments to lighthouse-keepers and others	175	
	35	Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure in- cidental to the other items of this subdivision ...	50	
		Estimated credits - in - aid under Section 22 of the Appropriation Act, 1923 (see end of vote)—		
		Commissions of Inquiry	500	
		Postage	20	
		Miscellaneous	200	
		720		
			27,175	
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. I</i> ...		53,342