

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS—continued.

Number of Persons.		VOTE No. —LEGISLATIVE—continued.	1939-40.	1938-39.	
1939-40	1938-39			Voted.	Expended.
		<i>Subdivision No. VII.—General Expenses—continued.</i>			
		CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—continued.	£	£	£
		Postage and telegrams, including parliamentary papers ..	1,450	1,450	978
		Printing of Statutes, Journals, Appendices, Bills, Order Papers, Standing Orders, Statutory Regulations, &c. ..	6,000	6,000	6,290
		Railway passes and concessions to members and ex-members of the Legislature, families, relations, &c., cost of ..	26,500	26,500	26,287
		Railway sleeping-berths—			
		Members £ 1,400			
		Members' wives 350	1,750	1,750	1,342
		Refund to Post Office, being difference between special and ordinary rates for telegrams from members of the General Assembly	2,000	2,000	2,000
		Supply of publications to Members of the Legislature ..	400	400	440
		Telephone services (rents and calls): Payment to Post and Telegraph Department of difference between full rates and half rates allowed to members of the House of Representatives and Legislative Council	1,300	1,000	1,274
		Tram fares, freights, and cartage, &c.	10	10	5
		Travelling allowances and expenses of Members travelling to and returning from Parliament	450	450	315
		Travelling-expenses of Speakers of both Houses during recess ..	20	20	3
		Travelling-expenses and annual rail passes, Clerks of both Houses	(a) 200	..	..
		Typewriters—			
		Purchases £ 250			
		Maintenance 25	275	375	327
		Uniforms for messengers and night-watchmen	300	128	104
		Winding and repairing clocks, &c.	80	80	69
		Window-cleaning, rubbish-removal, and chimney-sweeping ..	224	224	230
		Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of this subdivision	50	50	(b) 40
		Estimated credits-in-aid under Section 51 of the Public Revenues Act, 1926 (see end of vote)—			
		Fuel, light, power, and water £ 25			
		Window-cleaning 9			
		34			
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. VII</i>	49,426	49,154	46,265
		GROSS TOTAL	111,288	106,417	100,236
		CREDITS-IN-AID (c)	1,293	1,357	1,445
		NET TOTAL—VOTE No.	109,995	105,060	98,791

(a) Includes provision for two annual rail passes at £90 per annum.

(b) Piano-tuning, £1 5s.; cartage and freight, 10s. 2d.; taxi-hire, Members and staff, £4 3s. 6d.; travelling-expenses, Clerk of House of Representatives, delegate to Library Conference, Palmerston North, £3 7s. 6d.; medical expenses, Messenger, £1 1s.; New Zealand Library Association, registration and subscription fees, £1 10s. 9d.; extra labour, opening Parliament, £25 14s. 10d.; equipment Members' gymnasium, £1 18s.; total, £39 10s. 9d.

(c) Credits-in-aid—		Salaries.	Other Charges.	Estimated. 1939-40. Total.	Estimated. 1938-39.	Recovered. 1938-39.
		£	£	£	£	£
Subdivision	II ..	..	..	..	..	19
"	IV ..	.. 540	..	540	..	84
"	V ..	.. 240	..	240	..	..
"	VI ..	.. 479	..	479	1,030	1,027
"	VII ..	.. ..	34	34	327	315
Totals		1,259	34	1,293	1,357	1,445