

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS—continued.

Number of Persons.		VOTE No. .—EXTERNAL AFFAIRS—continued.	1939-40.	1938-39.	
1939-40	1938-39			Voted.	Expended.
		<i>Subdivision No. I.—Head Office—continued.</i>			
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—	£	£	£
		Advertising books, photographs, newspapers, and other publications	45	45	8
		Contribution to Bureau of Tropical Diseases, London ..	100	200	(a) 200
		Freight, cartage, and transport charges	10	10	
		Fuel, light, water, attendance, &c.	120	120	102
		Miscellaneous payments due to former officers of the Samoan Public Service on return to New Zealand	30	30	
		Office fittings and requisites	60	60	124
		Overtime and meal allowances	30	30	35
		Postage, telegrams, and rent of boxes	600	600	619
		Printing and stationery	150	150	112
		Telephone services (including installation, extensions, maintenance, rent, and calls)	100	100	90
		Travelling allowances and expenses	(b) 260	160	(b) 129
		Contingencies, including unforeseen expenditure incidental to the other items of the vote	20	20	
			1,525	1,525	1,419
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. I..</i>	5,203	4,572	4,589
		<i>Subdivision No. II.—New Zealand Reparation Estates.</i>			
		SALARIES, WAGES, PURCHASE OF STORES, MAINTENANCE OF PLANTATIONS, AND GENERAL EXPENSES (including capital expenditure)—			
		Improvements	(c) 2,418	560	438
		Maintenance of plantations	20,705	20,351	(d) 18,713
		Public Service Superannuation Fund contribution ..	100	100	86
		Salaries and wages	2,675	3,000	(d) 2,889
		Stores and general expenses	36,436	37,346	(d) 29,788
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. II</i>	(e) 62,334	61,357	(d) 51,914
		<i>Subdivision No. III.—Export of Bananas from Samoa.</i>			
		Purchase of bananas, stores, and general expenses ..	130,660	114,675	124,497
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. III</i>	(f) 130,660	114,675	(g) 124,497
		<i>Subdivision No. IV.—Cook Islands.</i>			
		<i>Subsidy, &c., to Cook Islands Administration—</i>			
		OTHER CHARGES FOR AND INCIDENTAL TO—			
		Subsidy to Cook Islands Administration	21,000	21,000	21,000
		Cool store and packing-shed, Rarotonga	1,200	1,112
		<i>Total—Subdivision No. IV</i>	21,000	22,200	22,112