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No. XXIX.

AN ACT to consolidate the Unexpended Balances of Loans.

[Assented to, 27th October, 1896.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. THIS Act may be cited as the Loans Consolidation Act, 1896. Short title.

2. NOTWITHSTANDING anything in any Loan Act contained, the several unexpended balances of the sums authorised by any Acts to be raised by way of Loan, which balances are set forth in the First Schedule to this Act, shall be paid by the Colonial Treasurer to the credit of an account to be called the "General Loan Fund." Unexpended loan moneys to be consolidated in one account.

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Heads of Expendi-  
ture.

**3.** ALL sums authorised by this Act to be paid to credit of the “General Loan Fund” shall be applied by the Colonial Treasurer to the purposes set forth in the Summary in the Second Schedule to this Act, in such amounts and manner as the Governor by any warrants under his hand may from time to time authorise and direct in conformity with the annual Estimates of the Expenditure of Loan Moneys sanctioned by Parliament.

In the name and on behalf of the Queen I hereby assent  
to this Act.

ALEX. C ONSLOW, Governor's Deputy.

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### First Schedule.

Undertakings.	Amount of each Undertaking.	Total of each Loan.
	£   s.   d.	£   s.   d.
LOAN, 1884 (48 Vict., No. 26).		
Public Works, Geraldton ... ..	375   4   11	
Public Buildings, Pinjarrah ... ..	926   16   7	
		1302   1   6
LOAN, 1888 (52 Vict., No. 12).		
Extension of Beverley Station ... ..	103   5   9	
		103   5   9
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9).		
Railway from Perth to Bunbury, from Boyanup to Minninup Bridge, and from Boyanup to Busselton ... ..	667   2   4	
Railway from Geraldton to Mullewa ... ..	236   14   2	
Improvements to Eastern Railway and Railway Stations ... ..	4478   4   0	
Additional Rolling Stock for Existing Railway Lines ... ..	864   12   2	
Harbour Works at Geraldton (including new Jetty) ... ..	904   4   9	
Additional Shipping Facilities and Repairs of Tramway at Carnarvon, and Dredging ... ..	1630   4   9	
Shipping Facilities at Ashburton, Landing Stage and Approach, and Buildings ... ..	374   13   10	
Harbour Improvements at Cossack, Extension of Jetty and Approaches ... ..	433   11   6	
Improvements at other Ports, and Contingencies	851   6   4	
Immigration ... ..	36899   13   3	
Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin ... ..	1919   2   2	
Public Buildings at Geraldton, Cossack, and other Northern Towns ... ..	2720   18   4	
		51980   7   7
LOAN, 1893 (57 Vict., No. 10).		
Railway Workshops ... ..	14941   17   9	
Roads, and also Roads to Railway Stations ... ..	4665   1   6	
School Buildings ... ..	47   18   10	
Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans ... ..	11595   5   3	
		31250   3   4
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18).		
Railway from Mullewa to Murchison Goldfield (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	311617   15   6	
Railway from Southern Cross to Coolgardie Goldfield (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	82522   1   6	
Carried forward ... ..	394139   17   0	84635   18   2

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### FIRST SCHEDULE -*continued.*

Undertakings.	Amount of each Undertaking.	Total of each Loan.
	£   s.   d.	£   s.   d.
Brought forward ... ..	394139 17 0	84635 18 2
<i>LOAN, 1894 (continued).</i>		
Railway from Donnybrook towards Bridgetown (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	72349 1 8	
Railway to Collie Coalfields (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	57389 18 10	
Rolling Stock for above-mentioned Railways and Additional Rolling Stock for Existing Lines	15931 15 11	
Additional Improvements to Opened Railways	514 8 3	
Harbour Works, Fremantle ... ..	238 12 5	
Development of Goldfields and Mineral Re- sources, including £10,000 for the Pilbarra Goldfield and £5,000 for the Kimberley Districts ... ..	4963 19 2	
Development of Agriculture (including Clearing Land, Draining of Land, Market in Perth, and Cold Storage) ... ..	25460 16 10	
Harbour Works at Geraldton (including Exten- sion of Jetty) ... ..	4127 19 5	
Improvements to Harbours and Rivers (includ- ing Jetties and Dredging) ... ..	14119 15 10	
Lighthouses ... ..	8339 5 3	
Roads and Bridges (including Stock Route to Northern Districts, and from the Murchison to Coolgardie) ... ..	30739 4 8	
Miscellaneous (including Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans) ... ..	30000 0 0	
	658314 15 3	
Net premiums on two Instalments ... ..	11544 1 2	
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		£754494 14 7

Second Schedule.

Undertakings under Loan Acts.	Amount.	Heads on General Loan Fund to which to be credited.					
			Construction.	Departmental.	Rails and Fastenings.	Rolling Stock.	Total.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
LOAN, 1884 (48 Vict., No. 26)— Public Works, Geraldton ... ..	375 4 11	Public Works, Geraldton	357 4 11	18 0 0	...	...	375 4 11
LOAN, 1884 (48 Vict., No. 26)— Public Buildings, Pinjarrah ... ..	926 16 7	...	880 16 7	46 0 0	...	...	...
LOAN, 1893 (57 Vict., No. 10)— Roads, and also Roads to Railway Stations ...	4665 1 6	...	4432 1 6	233 0 0	...	...	...
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Roads and Bridges (including Stock Route to Northern Districts, and from the Murchison to Coolgardie) ... ..	30739 4 8	...	29203 4 8	1536 0 0	...	...	...
	36331 2 9	Roads and Bridges ...	34516 2 9	1815 0 0	...	...	36331 2 9
LOAN, 1888 (52 Vict., No. 12)— Extension of Beverley Station ... ..	103 5 9	Extension of Beverley Station	103 5 9	...	...	...	103 5 9
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Railway from Perth to Bunbury, from Boy- anup to Minnipup Bridge, and from Boy- anup to Busselton ... ..	667 2 4	South-Western Railway...	634 2 4	33 0 0	...	...	667 2 4
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Railway from Geraldton to Mullewa ... ..	236 14 2	...	225 14 2	11 0 0	...	...	...
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Railway from Mullewa to Murchison Gold- field (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ...	311617 15 6	* Geraldton to Murchison Goldfields Railway	231037 15 6	15580 0 0	65000 0 0	...	...
	311854 9 8		231263 9 8	15591 0 0	65000 0 0	...	311854 9 8
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Improvements to Eastern Railway and Rail- way Stations ... ..	4478 4 0	...	4255 4 0	223 0 0	...	...	...
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Additional Improvements to Opened Railways	514 8 3	...	489 8 3	25 0 0	...	...	...
	4992 12 3	Additions and Improve- ments to Opened Rail- ways	4744 12 3	248 0 0	...	...	4992 12 3
Carried forward ... ..	354323 17 8	...	271618 17 8	17705 0 0	65000 0 0	...	354323 17 8

\* Exclusive of Rails and Fastenings and Rolling Stock.

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SECOND SCHEDULE—continued.

Undertakings under Loan Acts.	Amount.	Heads on General Loan Fund to which to be credited.					
			Construction.	Departmental.	Rails and Fastenings.	Rolling Stock.	Total.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brought forward ... ..	354323 17 8		271618 17 8	17705 0 0	65000 0 0	...	354323 17 8
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Additional Rolling Stock for Existing Rail- way Lines ... ..	864 12 2		...	43 0 0	...	821 12 2	
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Rolling Stock for abovementioned Railways, and Additional Rolling Stock for Existing Lines ... ..	15931 15 11		...	796 0 0	...	15135 15 11	
	16796 8 1	Rolling Stock ... ..	...	330 0 0	...	15957 8 1	16796 8 1
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Harbour Works at Geraldton (including New Jetty) ... ..	904 4 9		859 4 9	45 0 0			
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Harbour Works at Geraldton (including Ex- tension of Jetty) ... ..	4127 19 5		3921 19 5	206 0 0			
	5032 4 2	Harbour Works, Geraldton	4781 4 2	251 0 0	...	...	5032 4 2
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Additional Shipping facilities and repair of Tramway at Carnarvon, and Dredging ...	1630 4 9	Additional Shipping facili- ties and repair of Tram- way at Carnarvon, and Dredging	1549 4 9	81 0 0	...	...	1630 4 9
Shipping facilities at Ashburton Landing Stage and approach, and Buildings ...	374 13 10	Shipping facilities at Ash- burton Landing Stage and Approach and Build- ings	356 13 10	18 0 0	...	...	374 13 10
Harbour Improvements at Cossack, Extension of Jetty and approaches ... ..	433 11 6	Harbour Improvements at Cossack, Extension of Jetty and Approaches	412 11 6	21 0 0	...	...	433 11 6
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Improvements at other Ports, and Contin- gencies ... ..	851 6 4		809 6 4	42 0 0			
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Improvements to Harbours and Rivers (in- cluding Jetties and Dredging) ... ..	14119 15 10		13414 15 10	705 0 0			
	14971 2 2	Improvements to Harbours and Rivers	14224 2 2	747 0 0	...	...	14971 2 2

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LOAN 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Immigration ... ..	36899 13 3	Immigration ... ..	36899 13 3	...	...	...	36899 13 3
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin ... ..	1919 2 2	Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin	1824 2 2	95 0 0	...	...	1919 2 2
LOAN, 1891 (54 Vict., No. 9)— Public Buildings at Geraldton, Cossack, and other Northern towns ... ..	2720 18 4	Public Buildings at Geraldton, Cossack, and other Northern Towns	2584 18 4	136 0 0	...	...	2720 18 4
LOAN, 1893 (57 Vict., No. 10)— Railway Workshops ... ..	14941 17 9	Railway Workshops ...	14194 17 9	747 0 0	...	...	14941 17 9
LOAN, 1893 (57 Vict., No. 10)— School Buildings ... ..	47 18 10	School Buildings ... ..	47 18 10	...	...	...	47 18 10
LOAN, 1893 (57 Vict., No. 10)— Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans ...	11595 5 3						
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Miscellaneous (including Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans) ... ..	30000 0 0						
Net Premiums on Floating Loan ... ..	11544 1 2						
	53139 6 5	Miscellaneous (including Charges and Expenses of Raising Loans)	53139 6 5	...	...	...	53139 6 5
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18, and 59 Vict., No. 21)— Railway from Southern Cross to Kalgoorlie (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	82522 1 6	* Southern Cross to Kalgoorlie Railway	78396 1 6	4126 0 0	...	...	82522 1 6
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Railway from Donnybrook towards Bridgetown (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	72349 1 8	* Donnybrook towards Bridgetown Railway	40732 1 8	3617 0 0	28000 0 0	...	72349 1 8
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Railway to Collie Coalfields (exclusive of Rolling Stock) ... ..	57389 18 10	* Collie Coalfields Railway	37520 18 10	2869 0 0	17000 0 0	...	57389 18 10
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Harbour Works, Fremantle ... ..	238 12 5	Fremantle Harbour Works	227 12 5	11 0 0	...	...	238 12 5
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources (including £10,000 for the Pilbarra Goldfield, and £5,000 for the Kimberley Districts) ... ..	4963 19 2	Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources in Kimberley Districts	4715 19 2	248 0 0	...	...	4963 19 2
Carried forward ... ..	720694 12 6	...	563226 4 5	31511 0 0	110000 0 0	15957 8 1	720694 12 6

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Undertakings under Loan Acts.	Amount.	Heads on General Loan Fund to which to be credited.					
			Construction.	Departmental.	Rails and Fastenings.	Rolling Stock.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Brought forward ...	720694 12 6	563226 4 5	31511 0 0	110000 0 0	15957 8 1	720694 12 6	
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Development of Agriculture (including Clearing Land, Draining of Land, Market in Perth, and Cold Storage) ...	25460 16 10	Development of Agriculture 24187 16 10	1273 0 0	...	...	25460 16 10	
LOAN, 1894 (58 Vict., No. 18)— Lighthouses ...	8339 5 3	Lighthouses ...	7923 5 3	416 0 0	...	8339 5 3	
Total ...	754494 14 7	Total ...	595337 6 6	33200 0 0	110000 0 0	15957 8 1	754494 14 7

SUMMARY.

	£ s. d.
Public Works, Geraldton	357 4 11
Roads and Bridges	34516 2 9
Extension of Beverley Station	103 5 9
South-Western Railway	634 2 4
*Geraldton to Murchison Goldfields Railway	231263 9 8
Additions and Improvements to opened Railways...	4744 12 3
Rolling Stock	15957 8 1
Harbour Works, Geraldton	4781 4 2
Additional Shipping Facilities and Repair of Tramway at Carnarvon, and Dredging	1549 4 9
Shipping Facilities at Ashburton, Landing Stage, and Approach and Buildings	356 13 10
Harbour Improvements at Cossack, Extension of Jetty and Approaches	412 11 6
Improvements to Harbours and Rivers	14224 2 2
Immigration	36899 13 3
Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin	1824 2 2
Public Buildings at Geraldton, Cossack, and other Northern Towns	2584 18 4
Railway Workshops	14194 17 9
School Buildings	47 18 10
Miscellaneous (including Charges and Expenses of raising Loans)	53139 6 5
*Southern Cross to Kalgoorlie Railway	78396 1 6
*Donnybrook toward Bridgetown Railway	40732 1 8
*Collie Coalfields Railway	37520 18 10
Fremantle Harbour Works	227 12 5
Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources in Kimberley Districts	4715 19 2
Development of Agriculture	24187 16 10
Lighthouses	7923 5 3
Rails and Fastenings	110000 0 0
Departmental	33200 0 0
Total ...	£754494 14 7

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