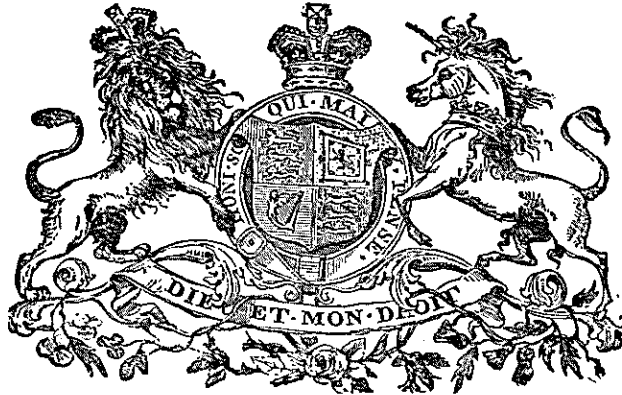


WESTERN AUSTRALIA.



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XXXIII.

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**No. 18 of 1904.**

AN ACT to authorise the raising of a sum of One million five hundred and eighty-two thousand Pounds by Loan for the construction of certain Public Works, and other purposes.

[Assented to 16th January, 1904.]

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to authorise the raising, by way of Loan, of certain sums of money amounting in all to One million five hundred and eighty-two thousand pounds for the several purposes hereinafter mentioned, and also to re-appropriate certain Loan Moneys: Be it enacted by the King'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:—

Preamble.

1. THIS Act may be cited for all purposes as the *Loan Act*, 1904. Short title.

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor, from time to time, to raise by way of loan such several sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of One million five hundred and eighty-two thousand pounds, as may be required for the several works and purposes mentioned in the First Schedule to this Act.

Power to raise money for certain purposes.

Sums raised, how to be applied.

3. ALL sums by this Act authorised to be raised shall be paid to the Colonial Treasurer, and shall be by him placed to the credit of an account to be called the General Loan Fund, and shall be applied by the Colonial Treasurer to the purposes set forth in 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.

Contribution to Sinking Fund.

4. THE contributions to the Sinking Fund (which shall be at the rate of one per centum per annum) for the repayment of the sum by this Act authorised to be raised shall commence four years from the date of the first issue of the Debentures or Inscribed Stock.

Principal and interest charged on Revenue.

5. THE principal moneys and interest raised and secured by the Stock to be created and sold, under the authority of this Act, shall rank *pari passu* with the principal moneys and interest raised and secured by the Stock created and sold under the Loan Act, 1891, and all subsequent Loan Acts, and are hereby charged upon and shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and Assets of the Government of Western Australia, and shall constitute a charge thereon, subject to the prior charges mentioned in the fourth section of the Loan Act, 1891.

Advances on account.

6. THE Governor may from time to time, by warrant under his hand, authorise the Colonial Treasurer to advance and apply, to the purposes set forth in the First Schedule of this Act, any sums of money not exceeding in the whole the sum hereby authorised to be raised; and any sums of money so advanced and paid shall be retained by the Colonial Treasurer out of any moneys coming to his hands under the authority of this Act.

Excess on "Construction of pipe main, etc.," how provided for.

7. IT shall be lawful for the Governor to defray from the provision (£200,350) made and set forth in the First Schedule hereto for "Completion of Goldfields Water Scheme," the expenditure incurred against "Construction of Pipe Main, etc.," in excess of the provision (£2,214,000) made therefor by the Coolgardie Goldfields Water Supply Re-allocation Act, 1902.

Re-appropriation from and to.

8. IT shall further be lawful for the Governor to appropriate out of the sum of £463,524 2s. 2d. set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, from the items therein set forth, and to the items enumerated in the Third Schedule hereto, the sum of £91,748 16s. 10d. to be expended on the works named in the said Third Schedule hereto.

## LOAN ACT, 1904.

## First Schedule.

Item No.	UNDERTAKING.	PROVISION.			Total of Group.
		Works and Services.	Discounts.	Item Total.	
	DEPARTMENTAL.	£	£	£	£
1	Administration ... ..	123,160	6,160	129,320	129,320
	RAILWAYS, ETC.				
2	Additions and Improvements opened Railways ...	105,000	5,250	110,250	
3	Boulder Railway Duplication (Construction) ...	18,700	830	19,530	
4	Collie—Collie-Boulder Railway ... ..	17,000	850	17,850	
5	Collie-Narrogin Railway ... ..	82,500	4,120	86,620	
6	Geraldton-Murchison Goldfields Railway ... ..	4,610	230	4,840	
7	Malcolm-Laverton Railway ... ..	40,000	2,000	42,000	
8	Menzies-Leonora Railway ... ..	55,000	2,750	57,750	
9	Northam-Goomalling Railway ... ..	6,670	330	7,000	
10	Purchase of land for Railway Cottesloe-Fremantle, <i>via</i> Rocky Bay	50,000	2,500	52,500	
11	Rails and Fastenings ... ..	58,100	2,900	61,000	
12	Railway Workshops ... ..	240,480	12,020	252,500	
13	Rolling Stock ... ..	142,840	7,160	150,000	
14	Surveys New Lines ... ..	1,900	100	2,000	
15	Transcontinental Railway Water Supply ... ..	12,500	620	13,120	876,960
	HARBOUR AND RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.				
16	Albany Harbour Works ... ..	18,000	900	18,900	
17	Bunbury Harbour Works ... ..	22,100	1,100	23,200	
18	Carnarvon Harbour Works ... ..	1,950	90	2,040	
19	Fremantle Dock and Slip ... ..	10,000	500	10,500	
20	Fremantle Harbour Works, including Wharf Sheds...	55,240	2,760	58,000	
21	Fremantle Sea Wall and Esplanade ... ..	8,040	400	8,440	
22	Geraldton Harbour Works ... ..	10,550	520	11,070	
23	Improvements Harbours and Rivers ... ..	10,210	510	10,720	
24	Point Sampson (near Cossack) Jetty ... ..	7,300	360	7,660	150,530
	WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.				
25	Completion of Goldfields Water Scheme ... ..	200,350	10,010	210,360	
26	Water Supply for Towns ... ..	31,000	1,550	32,550	242,910
	DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS AND MINERAL RESOURCES.				
27	Eastern Goldfields ... ..	26,510	1,320	27,830	
28	Murchison and Peak Hill Goldfields ... ..	5,280	260	5,540	
29	Pilbarra Goldfields ... ..	7,460	370	7,830	
30	Other Goldfields (including Boring for Coal and Miscellaneous) ... ..	4,500	220	4,720	
31	Development of Mining ... ..	22,000	1,100	23,100	69,020
	DEVELOPMENT OF AGRICULTURE.				
32	Development of Agriculture, including Drainage ...	32,870	1,640	34,510	
33	Loans for Purchase of Wire Netting ... ..	15,000	750	15,750	50,260
	DISCOUNTS.				
34	Discounts on Current Loans ... ..	60,000	3,000	63,000	63,000
	TOTAL ... ..	£ 1,506,820	75,180	1,582,000	1,582,000

## Second Schedule.

*Re-appropriation of £91,748 16s. 10d., appropriated for various Works under 60 Vict., No. 28; 60 Vict., No. 29; 61 Vict., No. 9, and 62 Vict., No. 7; 63 Vict., No. 44; 64 Vict., No. 13; 1 Edw. VII., No. 2, and 1 & 2 Edw. VII., No. 11, known respectively as "The Loan Act, 1896;" "The Loans Consolidation Act, 1896;" "The Re-appropriation of Loan Moneys Acts" of 1897-8; "The Loan Act, 1899;" "The Loan Act, 1900;" "The Loan Act, 1901;" and "The Coolgardie Goldfields Water Supply Re-allocation Act, 1902."*

Item No.	Act.	Undertaking.	Amount of original item on Loan Schedule.			Amount to be re-appropriated under this Act.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	60 Vict., No. 28 ...	Dredges and Barges ...	a108,000	0	0	5,846	16	9
2	60 Vict., No. 29 ...	Lighthouse at Cape Leeuwin ...	1,824	2	2	61	15	5
3	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Ashburton Jetty ...	7,500	0	0	305	15	11
4	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Port Hedland Jetty and Approaches ...	13,500	0	0	15	15	4
5	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Wyndham Jetty ...	5,500	0	0	1,237	0	2
6	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Bunbury Jetty ...	10,000	0	0	55	13	0
7	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Bunbury Breakwater ...	30,000	0	0	202	4	10
8	63 Vict., No. 44 ...	Busselton Harbour Works ...	4,000	0	0	646	8	10
9	64 Vict., No. 13 ...	Ashburton River Water Supply ...	3,000	0	0	2,863	0	9
10	64 Vict., No. 13 ...	Derby Harbour Works ...	6,000	0	0	1,035	13	0
11 {	60 Vict., No. 13 ...	Lighthouses ...	10,000	0	0	18,170	0	0
11 {	1 Edw. VII., No. 2 ...	Lighthouses ...	21,200	0	0			
12	61 Vict., No. 9 ...	Kanowna Railway ...	20,000	0	0	787	13	5
13	61 Vict., No. 9 ...	Southern Cross-Kalgoorlie Railway ...	18,000	0	0	443	0	6
14	61 Vict., No. 9 ...	Kalgoorlie-Boulder Railway ...	22,000	0	0	1,051	5	9
15	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Menzies Railway ...	25,000	0	0	3,453	1	1
16	62 Vict., No. 7 ...	Greenhills Railway ...	20,000	0	0	4,117	16	7
17	64 Vict., No. 13 ...	Donnybrook-Bridgetown Railway ...	5,000	0	0	275	16	11
18	1 Edw. VII., No. 2 ...	Boulder-Brown Hill Loop Line ...	17,000	0	0	11,580	0	0
19	1 Edw. VII., No. 2 ...	Distributing Mains ...	121,000	0	0	39,599	18	7
TOTAL ...			£	463,524	2 2	91,748	16	10

a. Reduced from original appropriation of £128,000 by 62 Vict., No. 7.

## Third Schedule.

*Works to which the amount £91,748 16s. 10d., to be re-appropriated by this Act, is to be applied.*

Item No.	Undertaking.	Amount to be re-appropriated under this Act.		
		£	s.	d.
1	Improvements to Harbours and Rivers ...	30,440	4	0
2	Additions and Improvements, opened Railways ...	21,708	14	3
3	Completion of Goldfields Water Scheme ...	39,599	18	7
TOTAL ...		£	91,748	16 10