

1894.  
NEW ZEALAND.

## APPLICATIONS MADE BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES FOR LOANS

UNDER "THE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACT, 1886," FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR  
ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1894 (ANNUAL RETURN OF).

*Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly in pursuance of Section 50 of "The  
Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886."*

RETURN showing what Applications have been made by Local Authorities, and which of them have been granted or refused, also what Sums have been granted or advanced, and for what Purposes, and the Names of such Authorities; what Sums have been borrowed or raised by the Treasurer; and what are the Outstanding Liabilities and the Assets.

LIST OF APPLICATIONS AND ADVANCES DURING YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1894.

Local Authority.	Amount applied for.	Provisionally granted or refused.	Result of Poll or Petition.	Advances.		Purposes of Loan.	Remarks.
				New Loans.	Loans of Previous Years.		
COUNTY COUNCILS.							
Amuri ..	£ 1,200	P.G.	Carried ..	£ ..	£ ..	Waiau Plains Water-race	Uncompleted.
Bruce ..	75	G.	No poll required	75	..	Works in Lakes drainage district	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	500	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Ditto.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	750	"	
" ..	..	..	..	..	850	Drainage-works in Matu Riding.	
Buller ..	..	..	..	..	600	Road from Buller Bridge to sea-coast.	
Clifton ..	350	G.	Carried ..	350	..	Construction of Pukeho Road.	
" ..	400	G.	" ..	400	..	Construction of Otaraoa Road and Taramokako Bridge.	
" ..	40	G.	" ..	40	..	Formation of Wiri Road.	
" ..	2,250	G.	" ..	2,250	..	Metalling portion of Junction Road.	
" ..	650	G.	" ..	650	..	Formation of Autawa Road.	
" ..	55	G.	" ..	55	..	Formation of Oapui Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	187	Construction of Ngatoto Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	350	Construction of Okoke and Kohangamoa Roads.	
Clutha ..	..	..	..	..	120	Various roads in South Molyneux and Richardson Ridings.	
Collingwood ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Construction of East Takaka Road and bridge at Paine's Ford.	
Carried forward	5,520	..	..	3,820	3,857		

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<i>COUNTY COUNCILS—continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 5,520	..	..	£ 3,820	£ 3,857		
Cook ..	1,500	G.	Carried ..	1,500	..	Road to connect Tauwhareparae Block with Tolago-Ara-kihi Road.	
" ..	207	G.	No poll required	207	..	Road to Te Aroha Station	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	290	G.	Ditto ..	290	..	Coast road to Tolago Bay	Ditto.
" ..	225	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Drainage-works at Muhanga Creek	Uncompleted.
" ..	547	G.	" ..	547	..	Constructing two bridges on Mahia Road, at Maraetaha.	
" ..	6,000	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Metalling parts of Waimata Road	Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	53	Road to Te Aroha Station.	
Geraldine ..	400	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Four Peaks water-supply construction	Uncompleted.
Hawera ..	70	G.	No poll required	70	..	Completion of Whareroa Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	500	G.	Ditto ..	500	..	Further loan for Eltham Road	Ditto.
" ..	300	G.	Carried ..	300	..	Roads in Section 180, Hawera.	
" ..	1,200	G.	" ..	1,200	..	Metalling Maungawhero Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	2,000	Portion of Eltham Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	400	Morea and Matamaro-roke Roads.	
Horowhenua ..	250	G.	Carried ..	250	..	Metalling main road.	
" ..	1,000	G.	" ..	150	..	Completion of main road.	
Mackenzie ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	For a water-race in Ashwick Flat.	
Manawatu ..	1,500	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of Foxton-Shannon Road	Uncompleted.
Pahiatua ..	1,450	G.	" ..	1,450	..	Construction of portion of Tiraumea Valley Road.	
" ..	600	G.	" ..	130	..	Construction of Mangaramarama Rd.	
" ..	200	G.	" ..	200	..	Construction of road in Pahiatua West Village Settlement.	
" ..	1,000	G.	" ..	1,000	..	Metalling Makairo Road and erection of bridge.	
" ..	900	G.	" ..	900	..	Construction of portion of Woodville-Aohanga Road.	
" ..	1,000	G.	" ..	1,000	..	For roads and bridges in Mangahao South District.	
" ..	200	G.	" ..	200	..	Construction of Pah Valley Road.	
" ..	1,000	G.	" ..	1,000	..	Bridge over Tiraumea River at Ngaturi.	
" ..	120	G.	" ..	120	..	Construction of Short Road, Pahiatua Village Settlement.	
Patangata ..	2,000	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Reconstructing five spans of bridge at Patangata destroyed by floods	Uncompleted.
Patea ..	4,000	G.	" ..	2,000	..	For road-construction in Kapara special rating district.	
" ..	700	P.G.	" ..	..	..	For construction of Patea River bridge	Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	3,000	Ditto.	
Carried forward	32,679	..	..	16,834	10,810		

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				New Loans.	Loans of Previous Years.		
<i>COUNTY COUNCILS—continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 32,679	..	..	£ 16,834	£ 10,310		
Rangitikei	70	G.	No poll required	70	..	Construction of Mangaraupi Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	80	G.	Ditto	80	..	Construction of West Road	Ditto.
"	2,500	G.	Carried ..	2,500	..	Construction of roads in Hunterville Township.	
"	1,000	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Construction of roads in Hunterville Township, extension	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	300	Construction of West Road.	
Stratford	1,270	G.	Carried ..	1,270	..	Construction of Finerty Road.	
"	2,000	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Construction of Beaconsfield, Ahuroa, Manawawiri Roads	Uncompleted.
"	1,250	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Construction of Douglas Road	"
"	200	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Construction of Standish Road	"
"	330	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of part of Opunake Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	220	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Construction of part of Mountain Road	Ditto.
"	300	P.G.	..	..	..	Public work on Poto Road	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	1,200	Construction of Cheal Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	1,530	Construction of Waiwiri and Makuri Roads.	
"	..	..	..	..	2,000	Construction of Toko Road.	
Tauranga	1,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Widening Thompson's Track	Uncompleted.
Waipapu	1,600	R.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of dray-road from Whareohine, and two bridle-tracks	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
"	1,100	G.	" ..	100	..	Construction of dray-road from Tokomaru to Whareohine.	
Waimate	..	..	..	..	450	Construction of Lower Waihao irrigation works.	
Waimea	400	G.	Carried ..	400	..	Construction of horse-bridge over Motueka River.	
"	140	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of road "round the rocks"	Under section 22 of the Act.
Waipawa	600	G.	Ditto	600	..	Construction of Danevirke - Weber Road	Ditto.
"	..	..	..	..	1,000	Ditto	
Wairarapa North	500	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling Te Ore Ore - Bideford Road	Uncompleted.
"	400	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Metalling Castle Hill Road	"
"	1,300	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Construction of Pori and Saunders's Road deviations	"
"	150	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Forming Ihuraua Rd.	"
"	3,222	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Forming and bridging Saunders's Rd.	"
"	..	..	..	..	300	Construction of Eketahuna-Tinui Rd.	
"	..	..	..	..	250	Ditto .. ..	Under section 22 of the Act.
Wairua	4,000	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of bridge over Mohaka River on Napier-Wairoa Road	
Waitotara	2,000	P.G.	Rejected ..	..	..	For road-formation.	
Carried forward	58,311	..	..	21,854	17,340		

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<i>COUNTY COUNCILS—continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 58,811	..	..	£ 21,854	£ 17,340		
Wanganui ..	50	G.	No poll required	50	..	Construction of works in Long-acre Valley Sub-division	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	..	..	..	..	500	Construction of various roads.	
Westland ..	6,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of roads and bridges	Uncompleted.
	64,361	..	..	21,904	17,840		
<i>ROAD BOARDS.</i>							
Alfredton ..	2,500	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of Saunders's Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	850	Construction of Pah Valley and Mangaone Valley Roads.	
"	..	..	..	..	500	Construction of Mount Baker Rd.	
Carrington ..	725	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling portion of Carrington Road	Uncompleted.
Eketahuna ..	120	G.	No poll required	120	..	Roads in Parkville Special Settlement Block	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	2,500	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Roads in Wellington Special Settlement Block No. 1	Uncompleted.
"	1,000	G.	" ..	1,000	..	Roads in Wellington Special Settlement Block No. 2	
"	120	G.	No poll required	120	..	Construction of Mangaoranga Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	60	G.	Ditto ..	60	..	Construction of bridge over Makakahi River	Ditto.
"	100	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of roads in Parkville Special Settlement	Uncompleted.
"	800	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of portion of Mangatainoko Valley Road	"
"	500	P.G.	..	..	..	Formation of 2 miles of Norling's Road	"
"	..	..	..	..	40	Construction of Makakahi Road north.	
"	..	..	..	..	600	Construction of bridge over Makakahi River.	
"	..	..	..	..	700	Construction of 3½ miles Mangaoranga Road.	
Featherston ..	300	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of Pukeo Road (continuation)	Uncompleted.
"	300	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Construction of Tullock's Road	"
Fitzherbert ..	900	G.	" ..	900	..	Construction of portion of Kahuterawa Road.	
"	450	G.	" ..	450	..	Construction of bridges over Turitea Stream.	
"	..	..	..	..	400	Construction of portion of Scott's Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	900	Construction of Turitea Road.	
Heretaunga ..	..	..	..	..	2,250	Construction of bridge over Ngaururo River.	
Kiwitea ..	..	..	..	..	1,500	Construction of roads in Onga Ward.	
"	..	..	..	..	1,500	Construction of Sandon Small-farm Block.	
Carried forward	10,375	..	..	2,650	9,240		

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<i>ROAD BOARDS—continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 10,375			£ 2,650	£ 9,240		
Kumeroa	..	..	..	..	550	Construction of portion of Totara Road.	
"	50	G.	No poll required	50	..	Ditto (further loan)	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	25	..	Ditto	..	..	Otopo Road (further loan)	Ditto.
"	120	G.	Carried	50	..	Construction of portion of Upper Otawhao Road.	
"	200	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling portion of the Bridle-track Road	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	909	Mangatoro Valley Road construction.	
"	..	..	..	..	274	Otopo Road construction.	
Maharahara	500	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of roads and two bridges	Under section 21 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886."
Makara	1,500	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Construction of road to connect Makara Road with Ohariau Road.	
Manawatu	600	G.	"	600	..	Construction of Bunythorpe - Kairangi and Karere Roads.	
"	495	G.	"	495	..	Construction of Milson's Line Road.	
"	848	G.	No poll required	848	..	Construction of two bridges over Oroua River	Under section 15 of "The Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1889."
"	210	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Construction of No. 1 Line, Kairanga	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	370	Construction of Clevely's Line and Roberts's Line.	
"	..	..	..	..	100	Construction of College Street (within district).	
Manchester	600	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Metalling Stanway and McDonald Roads	Uncompleted.
"	600	P.G.	..	..	..	For works in No. 2 Ward	"
"	..	..	..	..	1,042	For erection of bridge at Aorangi.	
Manganui	65	G.	Carried	65	..	Construction of bridge over Mako Stream (Batapiko Road).	
"	790	G.	"	790	..	Construction of Beaconsfield Road	
"	200	P.G.	"	..	..	Construction of Beaconsfield Road to Salisbury Road	Uncompleted.
"	600	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of Denbeigh Road	"
"	550	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of Monmouth Road	"
"	600	P.G.	Rejected	..	..	Construction of Radnor Road	"
"	46	G.	No poll required	46	..	Construction of Makara Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	250	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Construction of Flint Road	Uncompleted.
"	180	P.G.	"	..	..	Construction of Beaconsfield Road	"
"	150	P.G.	"	..	..	Rebuilding bridge over Rum-keg Stream, Denbeigh Road	"
"	35	G.	No poll required	35	..	Metalling Pembroke Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
Carried forward	19,589	..	..	5,629	12,485		

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<i>ROAD BOARDS—continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 19,589	..	..	£ 5,629	£ 12,485		
Manganui ..	100	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of Stanley Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	79	P.G.	Ditto ..	..	..	Construction of portion of Beaconsfield Road	Ditto.
" ..	..	..	..	..	35	Construction of Ratapiko Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	460	Construction of Makara Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Construction of Stanley Road.	
Masterton ..	700	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of Dorset's and Kakaamu Extension Roads	Uncompleted.
" ..	110	G.	No poll required	110	..	Construction of Te Mara-Kiriwhakapapa Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	..	..	..	..	300	Ditto.	
Mauriceville ..	250	G.	Carried ..	250	..	Construction of Mount Bruce Rd.	
" ..	12	G.	No poll required	12	..	Construction of bridge at Dorset's Crossing	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	..	..	..	..	120	Ditto.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Construction of Mount Bruce Rd.	
Moa ..	80	G.	No poll required	80	..	Construction of Tariki Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	30	G.	Ditto ..	30	..	Construction of Mana Road	Ditto.
" ..	80	G.	" ..	80	..	Construction of Kaimata Road North and other roads	"
" ..	30	G.	" ..	30	..	Construction of Lincoln Road	"
" ..	100	G.	Carried ..	100	..	Construction of Up-land Road.	
" ..	15	G.	No poll required	15	..	Construction of Wortley Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
" ..	25	G.	Ditto ..	25	..	Construction of Mangaone Road	Ditto.
" ..	500	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Metalling Kaimata Road	Uncompleted.
" ..	700	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling portion of Dudley Road	"
" ..	150	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Forming portion of Tariki Road East	"
" ..	..	..	..	..	160	Construction of Mangaotea Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	250	Construction of Windsor Road.	
Ngatapa ..	2,000	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of road to connect with road from Ngatapa Station	Uncompleted.
Patea West ..	81	G.	No poll required	81	..	Construction of Ball Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
Pelorus ..	600	G.	Carried ..	600	..	Ditto.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	500	Formation of Havelock-Mahakipawa Road.	
Pohangina ..	..	..	..	..	3,000	Construction of roads in No. 2 Ward.	
Porangahau ..	3,000	G.	Carried ..	1,000	..	Bridging Porangahau River and construction of Waiapu-Porangahau Road.	
" ..	300	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Ditto ..	Under section 22 of the Act.
Pouawa ..	195	R.	..	..	..	10 per cent. on loans obtained by Waimata Road Board	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
Taratahi - Carterton	300	G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of dray-road from Wainui-ora to East Coast	Under section 22 of the Act.
Ditto ..	..	..	..	..	2,500	Ditto.	
Carried forward	29,026	..	..	8,042	21,810		

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<b>ROAD BOARDS—<i>continued.</i></b>							
Brought forward	£ 29,026	..	..	£ 8,042	£ 21,810		
Upper Wangaehu	1,000	G.	..	..	..	Construction of dray-road from Mangamahu to Ngamatea	Uncompleted.
"	1,342	G.	..	..	..	Construction of Upper Wangaehu Valley dray-road	"
Waimata	.. 200	R.	..	..	3,000	Ditto.	Not in compliance with terms of Act.
"	.. 400	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of dray-road to Mangataikehu Stream	Uncompleted.
"	.. ..	..	..	..	800	Construction of Matokitoki Road	
Waimate	.. 530	G.	Carried ..	530	..	Construction of road from Pouawa Valley to Waimata South.	
"	.. 65	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of Finnerty Road.	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	.. 2,200	G.	Carried ..	1,200	..	Construction of Skeet Road	
"	.. 300	G.	Carried ..	300	..	Construction of Hastings and Skeet Rds.	
"	.. ..	..	..	..	650	Construction of Mangawhero Road.	
"	.. ..	..	..	..	..	Construction of Skeet Road	
Waipipi	.. 80	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Extension of Waipipi Wharf	Uncompleted.
Wairau	.. 933	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of the Waihopai Bridge	"
Weber	.. 600	G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of main road	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	.. ..	..	..	..	3,000	Construction of main Weber Road through district.	
Whataupoko	.. 100	G.	Carried ..	100	..	Construction of Matokitoki Road.	
Wirokino	.. 500	G.	" ..	500	..	Construction of Shannon Ferry Road.	
"	.. 1,000	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Bridge over Ohau River and construction of Muhunoa East Road	Uncompleted.
"	.. 500	G.	" ..	150	..	Completion of construction of Muhunoa West Road.	
"	.. 250	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Metalling Albert Rd.	Uncompleted.
"	.. 550	P.G.	" ..	..	..	Metalling Kingston Road	"
"	.. 120	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Construction of Buckley Road	Under section 22 of the Act.
"	.. 250	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of a road substituted for Tavistock Road	Uncompleted.
"	.. ..	..	..	..	800	Construction of Kahuterawa Valley Road.	
"	.. ..	..	..	..	1,200	Construction of Buckley Road.	
"	.. ..	..	..	..	500	Construction of Shannon Road East.	
"	.. ..	..	..	..	850	Construction of Scott's Road.	
Woodville	.. 450	P.G.	Carried ..	..	..	Construction of Whariti and Victoria Roads.	
	40,896	..	..	10,822	31,610		
<b>BOROUGHES.</b>							
Feilding	.. ..	..	..	..	800	Construction of bridge over Oroua, at Aorangi.	
Pahiatua	.. 1,600	G.	Carried ..	800	..	Construction of Mangatinoka River Bridge	For two successive years' expenditure.
Carried forward	1,600	..	..	800	800		

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<b>BOROUGHES—<i>continued.</i></b>							
Brought forward	£ 1,600	..	..	£ 800	£ 800		
Patea ..	400	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of Patea River Bridge	Under section 15 "Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1889."
Westport ..	..	..	..	..	775 2,000	Ditto. For drainage and sanitary purposes.	
	2,000	..	..	800	3,575		
<b>TOWN BOARDS.</b>							
Clyde..	600	P.G.	..	..	..	Construction of roads and bridges	Under Section 13. For two years' expenditure.
Havelock ..	300	G.	Carried ..	300	..	Construction of Havelock - Mahakipawa Road.	
Stratford ..	300	G.	" ..	300	..	Forming and metal-ling Juliet Street.	
	1,200			600	..		
<b>UNDER SECTION 2 OF "THE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1891."</b>							
Minister of Lands	38,363	..	..	2,691	27,309	Opening up for settlement various blocks of land.	
	146,320*			36,817	80,334		

\* £1,995 has to be deducted from this amount for loans refused.

NOTE.—P.G., provisionally granted; G., granted; R., refused.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash balance, 1st April, 1893 ..	..	..	..	429	6	0
Money borrowed to make advances to Local Bodies ..	..	..	..	116,500	0	0
						116,929 6 0
Money advanced to Local Bodies ..	..	..	..	87,151	0	0
Money advanced under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891" ..	..	..	..	30,000	0	0
				117,151	0	0
Less refund by Masterton Road Board ..	..	..	..	440	14	2
						116,710 5 10
Cash balance, 31st March, 1894 ..	..	..	..	..	..	219 0 2
Outstanding liabilities,—						
Debentures issued under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886" ..	..	..	..	702,800	0	0
Under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886"—	£	s.	d.			
Money promised to Local Authorities which have complied with the provisions of the Act† ..	..	..	..	49,049	0	0
Money liable to be advanced as required when provisions of the Act are complied with ..	..	..	..	44,349	0	0
				93,398	0	0
Under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891"—						
Balance of loans ..	..	..	..	27,378	0	0
Applications for loans for which the necessary steps are not completed ..	..	..	..	56,075	0	0
				83,453	0	0
						879,651 0 0
Assets,—						
Inscribed debt of local authorities‡ ..	..	..	..	635,563	6	11
Less amount paid in respect of the annual repayments ..	..	..	..	114,249	17	3
				521,313	9	8
Inscribed debt under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891" ..	..	..	..	67,833	0	0
Less amount refunded on disposal of lands ..	..	..	..	3,220	8	4
				64,612	11	8
Sinking Fund created under section 5 of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1892" ..	..	..	..	47,097	8	9
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NOTE.—The total amount borrowed up to the 31st March, 1894, was £702,800.

The total amount repaid to Public Works Fund up to the 31st March, 1894, was £89,800.

The total amount advanced to Local Bodies up to the 31st March, 1894, was £544,947 19s. 10d.

The total amount advanced under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891," up to the 31st March 1894, was £97,833.

\* £449,000 of this amount has been converted into Consolidated Stock Debentures under "The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884."

† Including second years' grants, for which all formalities have been completed.

‡ This amount represents the debt as inscribed on the 1st February, 1894. It includes the inscribed stock exchanged for debentures under "The Roads and Bridges Construction Act, 1882," amounting to £89,878 8s. 9d., separately described. (See B.—13, 1891.)

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