

1896-97.

NEW ZEALAND.

APPROPRIATIONS

CHARGEABLE ON

THE PUBLIC WORKS FUND,

AND

OTHER ACCOUNTS,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MARCH, 1897.

Appropriations for Public Works Services.

1896-97.

SUMMARY OF SERVICES

CHARGEABLE ON

THE PUBLIC WORKS FUND

AND

OTHER ACCOUNTS.

Page.	PUBLIC WORKS FUND.	1896-97.	
		£	£
	Chargeable to Part I.		
4	Class I.—Immigration	350	
5	Class II.—Public Works, Departmental	14,275	
6	Class III.—Railways	250,500	
8	Class IV.—Roads	168,291	
18	Class V.—Development of Goldfields	98,950	
18	Class VI.—Purchase of Native Lands	500	
19	Class VII.—Telegraph Extension	36,500	
20	Class VIII.—Public Buildings	90,855	
22	Class IX.—Lighthouses, Harbour Works, and Harbour Defences	13,780	
23	Class X.—Rates on Native Lands	600	
23	Class XI.—Contingent Defence	23,000	
	TOTAL PART I.		697,601
	Chargeable to Part II.		
24	Class I.—Railways	13,923	
	TOTAL PART II.		13,923
	TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS FUND		£711,524
25	THE LANDS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT		220,216
35	THE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT		50,000
88	THE NATIVE LANDS PURCHASE ACCOUNT		163,976

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PUBLIC WORKS FUND.

PART I.

CLASS I.—IMMIGRATION.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 76.—Immigration		350	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION.			
	VOTE No. 76.		
	IMMIGRATION—		
1	Passages for separated families, &c., and contingencies	350	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 76		350
TOTAL CLASS I.			£350

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CLASS II.—PUBLIC WORKS, DEPARTMENTAL.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 77.—Public Works, Departmental		14,275	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.			
VOTE No. 77.			
PUBLIC WORKS, DEPARTMENTAL—			
1	<i>Salaries—</i>		
	Under-Secretary (also Under-Secretary Railways, £100)	500	
	Engineer-in-Chief	750	
	Superintending Engineer	500	
	Chief Clerk	325	
	Accountant	300	
	Land Purchase Officer	300	
	Chief Draughtsman	250	
	1 District Engineer	500	
	7 Resident Engineers: 1 at £400, 1 at £375, 4 at £350, 1 at £300	2,475	
	2 Assistant Engineers: 1 at £250, 1 at £225	475	
	3 Clerks: 1 at £250, 1 at £225, 1 at £185	660	
	2 Draughtsmen: 1 (also Clerk) at £250, 1 at £225	475	
2	Midland Railway Arbitration	5,890	
3	Inspector J. G. Richards, for special services rendered, Lyell Bridge	25	
4	Preparing Parliamentary Returns, Travelling-expenses, Purchase of Instruments, and Contingencies	1,200	
		14,625	
Less estimated amount to be recovered from other departments		350	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 77			14,275
TOTAL CLASS II.			£14,275

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CLASS III.—RAILWAYS.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Votes Nos. 78 to 93.—New Works: Construction and Land		150,500	
Vote No. 94.—Permanent-way, Sleepers, and Rolling-stock		40,000	
„ 95.—Additions to Open Lines	...	60,000	
			250,500
		£	£
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.			
NEW WORKS: CONSTRUCTION AND LAND.			
VOTE No. 78.—Whangarei-Kamo Extension	..	7,000	
„ 79.—Kaihu Valley Railway Extension	...	3,000	
„ 80.—Helensville Northwards	... ..	8,000	
„ 81.—Grahamstown-Te Aroha	... ..	10,000	
„ 82.—Marton-Te Awamutu, North end	...	7,000	
„ 83.—Marton-Te Awamutu, South end	...	11,000	
„ 84.—Eketahuna-Woodville	... ..	32,000	
„ 85.—Blenheim-Awatere	... ..	2,500	
„ 86.—Midland Railway	... £25,000		
Less estimated receipts	... 15,000		
		10,000	
„ 87.—Heriot-Roxburgh Survey	... ..	1,000	
„ 88.—Otago Central	... ..	30,000	
„ 89.—Catlin's River	... ..	7,000	
„ 90.—Seaward Bush	... ..	12,000	
„ 91.—Forest Hill Tramway	... ..	3,000	
„ 92.—Land-claims and other old liabilities on Construction Account: Sundry lines	...	4,500	
„ 93.—Surveys, New Lines of Railway	...	2,500	
			150,500

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CLASS III.—RAILWAYS—*continued.*

Item.	1896-97.		
	£	£	
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS—<i>continued.</i>			
PERMANENT-WAY, SLEEPERS, ROLLING-STOCK.			
VOTE No. 94.			
1	PERMANENT-WAY, SLEEPERS, AND ROLLING-STOCK— Permanent-way, Sleepers, and Rolling-stock ...	40,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 94 ...		40,000
ADDITIONS TO OPEN LINES.			
VOTE No. 95.			
ADDITIONS TO OPEN LINES—			
1	Kawakawa ...	35	
2	Whangarei ...	100	
3	Kaihu Valley ...	435	
4	{ Kaipara-Waikato ...	2,033	
	{ Hamilton-Te Aroha ...		
	{ Morrinsville-Lichfield ...		
	{ Hamilton-Cambridge ...	2,899	
5	{ Napier-Palmerston ...		
	{ Marton-Te Awamutu, south end ...	905	
6	{ Foxton-Wairara ...		
7	Wellington-Woodville ...	120	
8	Nelson-Belgrove ...	55	
9	Picton-Blenheim ...	983	
	{ Hurunui-Waitaki and Branches ...	8,154	
10	{ Waitaki-Bluff and Branches ...		
	{ Invercargill-Kingston with Branches, including Western Railways ...		
11	Port Chalmers Wharf improvements ...	3,538	
12	Rolling-stock ...	35,500	
13	Gas-lighting plant ...	3,045	
14	Machinery ...	2,198	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 95 ...		60,000
TOTAL CLASS III. ...			£250,500

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CLASS IV.—ROADS.

		1896-97.
		£
Vote No. 96.—Main Roads, &c.	...	12,700
„ 97.—Miscellaneous Roads, Bridges, &c.	...	23,004
„ 98.—Local Bodies	...	465
„ 99.—Development of Thermal Springs and Natural Scenery	...	42,765
„ 100.—Roads on Goldfields	...	89,357
		168,291

Item.		£	£
MINISTER OF LANDS.			
VOTE No. 96.			
MAIN ROADS, ETC.—			
1	North Shore—Awanui	Mongonui	600
2	„ „	Whangaroa	300
3	„ „	Bay of Islands	700
4	„ „	Whangarei	500
5	„ „	Otamatea	300
6	„ „	Rodney	800
7	„ „	Waitemata	300
8	Mangare Bridge	Eden and Manukau	500
9	Tamaki Bridge	Manukau	500
10	Hamilton Bridge	Waipa and Waikato	200
11	Whatawhata Bridge	Raglan and Waipa	250
12	Oxford—Rotorua	Piako and Rotorua	300
13	Tokaanu—Taupo	East Taupo	300
14	Wairoa—Gisborne	Wairoa and Cook	700
15	Bridges over Tokomaru, Ohau, Wai- kawa, and Otaki Rivers (contribu- tion)	... Horowhenua	800
16	Eketahuna—Alfredton	Wairarapa N.	100
17	Paekakariki—Waikanae—Hadfield	Hutt	1,000
18	Belgrove—Tophouse—Tarndale	Waimea and Amuri	150
19	Brown River Bridge	Marlborough	200
20	Spring Creek Bridge	„	200
21	Clarence Bridge (repairs)	Marlborough and Kaikoura	200
22	Waiau Bridge, repairs (to account)	... Cheviot	300
23	Orari Bridge (to account)	... Geraldine	300
24	Opihi Bridge (to account)	Geraldine & Levels	300
25	Dunback—Swinburn	Waihemo and Maniototo	700
26	Taieri River Bridge, Kokonga (to ac- count)	... Maniototo	500
27	Normanby—Mount Cargill	Waikouaiti	150
28	Waikouaiti Bridge (repairs)	„	400
29	Waipahi Bridge (subsidy)	... Clutha	150
30	Bluff Road	Southland	500
31	Gore Bridge	„	500
TOTAL—VOTE No. 96 ...			12,700

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CLASS IV.—ROADS—*continued.*

Item.			1896-97.
	MINISTER OF LANDS— <i>continued.</i>		£
	VOTE No. 97.		
	MISCELLANEOUS ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.—		
	<i>Auckland—</i>		
1	Mongonui County roads	Mongonui	600
2	Oruru-Hikurangi	"	100
3	Waitangi-Kaikohe	Bay of Islands	200
4	Opuā-Waimate	"	400
5	Hokianga Bridge	Hokianga	40
6	Hokianga Heads-Ohaeawai-Rawene	"	350
7	Okaihau-Victoria Valley	"	200
8	Whangaroa County roads	Whangaroa	500
9	Kaeo-Waimate	"	200
10	Waipu North	Whangarei	100
11	Grahamstown	"	100
12	Whangarei Foot-bridge	"	100
13	Parua Bay	"	150
14	Marsden Point Wharf	"	100
15	Parua-Taheke	"	260
16	Maungakaramea	"	175
17	Whangarei Bridge, £1 for £1	"	350
18	Waipu-Cove	"	100
19	Kaitara	"	100
20	Te Kopuru-Tikinui	Hobson	250
21	Arapohue	"	250
22	Dargaville-Aratapu	"	50
23	Mititai-Tokatoka	"	50
24	Tokatoka Post-office	"	100
25	Matakohe-Tokatoka	Otamatea	125
26	Valley Road-Paparoa	"	200
27	Kaukapakapa-Port Albert	Rodney	200
28	Awhitu Road Wharf	Manukau	455
29	Hunua-Railway-station	"	200
30	Aotea-Raglan	Raglan	175
31	Raglan-Waipā	"	100
32	Whatawhata Swamp	Waipā	100
33	Wairangi-Railway-station	Waikato	100
34	Rangiriri-Railway-station	"	100
35	Paraiti Bridge	Tauranga	100
36	Tauranga County flood-damages	"	200
37	Pukaingaturu	"	50
38	Tauranga-Cambridge	Tauranga, Piako, and Waipā	100
39	Sundry Roads, Bay of Plenty Whakatane, Tauranga, and Waipū		150
			7,180
	<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>		
40	Pakarae Road and Punt	Cook	40
41	Muriwai-Mahia	"	350
			390
	<i>Wellington—</i>		
42	Mangaonoho	Rangitikei	120
43	Upper Manawatu roads	"	30
44	Lower Gorge Bridge (to account of contribution, £2,000)	Oroua	500
45	Pahiatua-Palmerston	"	200
46	Akatarawa-Waikanae	Horowhenua	150
47	Tiraumea Bridge (subsidy, Hull's Crossing)	Pahiatua	262
48	Mangatainoko Bridge (subsidy)	"	100
49	Eketahuna-Parkville	Wairarapa N.	500

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VOTE No. 97—<i>continued.</i>		
MISCELLANEOUS ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.—<i>continued.</i>		
<i>Wellington—continued.</i>		
50	Bowen's—Hastwell Wairarapa N.	100
51	North Wairarapa flood-damages, £1 for £1 ..	200
52	Mauriceville roads storm-damages ..	200
53	Eketahuna flood-damages	200
54	Wingate Road	180
55	Alfredton—Tenui (contribution)	180
56	Tenui Bridge (contribution)	300
57	Kaiwhata—Rewa	200
58	Waiohine Bridge (Matarawa) ... Wairarapa S.	1,000
59	Turner's Road—Wainuioru	200
60	Gladstone—East Coast (restoring)... ..	200
61	Rocky Hill—Wainuioru	200
62	Waikanata—Hutt Hutt	180
63	Whiteman's Valley	400
64	Chatham Islands roads	100
65	Waitangi Bridge (Chatham Islands) ...	25
		5,727
<i>Nelson—</i>		
66	Lloyd's Valley Waimea	100
67	Brooklyn Valley	50
68	Waimea West	100
69	Waimea County roads	200
70	Maitai Road	200
71	Wakefield—Stanley Brook	200
72	Wangamoā	100
73	Dove River Bridge	200
74	Quail Valley	100
75	Nendorf—Dovedale	50
76	Pigeon Valley—Dovedale	100
77	Takaka roads and bridges ... Collingwood	100
78	Ferntown—Pakawau	250
79	Seddonville Cemetery... .. Buller	60
		1,810
<i>Marlborough—</i>		
80	Tracks, Queen Charlotte Sound ... Sounds	200
81	Whatamonga—Port Underwood Track ..	150
82	Double Bay	100
83	Tory Heads—Whatamonga—Picton ..	200
84	Picton—Waikawa ... Sounds and Marlborough	150
85	Tophouse—Wairau Gorge ... Marlborough	150
86	Blenheim—Havelock, Ferry-house... ..	200
87	Omaka Bridge (contribution)	300
88	Footbridge, Taylor River	50
89	Taylor Creek Footbridge	50
		1,550
<i>Westland—</i>		
90	Grey County (flood-damages) Inangahua and Grey	35
91	Stafford—Waimea Westland	300
92	Lower Arahura Bridge (repairs)	300
93	Mount Howe Track	100
94	Westland Ferry Service	150
		885

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	MINISTER OF LANDS—<i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 97— <i>continued.</i>		
	MISCELLANEOUS ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Canterbury—</i>		
95	Roads to Co-operative Dairy Factories, Akaroa ... Akaroa	300	
96	Cliff Road ... Mackenzie	200	
97	Tengawai, £1 for £1 ... "	100	
		600	
	<i>Otago—</i>		
98	Connecting road, Block IX., Moeraki ... Waitaki	400	
99	Port Road—Beach, Moeraki ... "	100	
100	Kartigi Road ... "	300	
101	Ravensbourne ... Waikouaiti	250	
102	Waitati ... "	220	
103	Water of Leith protective-works ... "	100	
104	Gladstone—Upper Junction ... "	250	
105	Peninsula Beach Road (prison labour) ... Peninsula	250	
106	Taieri Mouth Punt ... Taieri & Bruce	300	
107	Tuapeka Mouth Punt ... Tuapeka	100	
108	Blackhill—Main Dunedin Road ... "	100	
109	Matau Bridge (contribution) ... Bruce	300	
110	Cargill Street, Caversham ... "	100	
111	Leith Protective Works ... "	150	
		2,920	
	<i>Southland—</i>		
112	Fairfax Bridge (to account) ... Wallace	250	
113	Owari Bridge—Mokoreta Valley, £1 for £1 ... Southland	22	
114	Makarewa Bridge ... "	270	
115	Lynd's Bridge ... "	100	
116	Campbelltown Point Road ... "	300	
		942	
	<i>General—</i>		
117	Works unprovided for	1,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 97		23,004
	VOTE No. 98.		
	LOCAL BODIES.		
1	Payment of "thirds" and "fourths" to Local Bodies under "The Land Act, 1892," to be recouped out of North Island Main Trunk Rail- way Loan Application Deposit Account ...	465	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 98		465
	VOTE No. 99.		
	DEVELOPMENT OF THERMAL SPRINGS AND NATURAL SCENERY.		
	<i>Auckland—</i>		
1	Track to Kauri Forest, Waitakerei ... Waitemata	400	
2	Waiwera Springs ... "	500	
3	Huia—West Coast ... "	250	
4	Works at Te Aroha Springs ... Piako	500	
5	Te Aroha Domain ... "	1,500	
6	Taupo Domain ... East Taupo	400	
7	Baths and Water-supply, Tokaanu ... "	500	
8	Wharf, Tokaanu ... "	200	
9	Track to Orakei—Korako ... "	500	
10	Waio tapu—Springs, &c. ... "	500	
11	Tauranga—Napier <i>via</i> Taupo ... Tauranga & Rotorua	2,100	

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VOTE No. 99— <i>continued.</i>				
DEVELOPMENT OF THERMAL SPRINGS AND NATURAL SCENERY— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>Auckland—continued.</i>				
12	Maketu-Rotorua	Tauranga & Rotorua	500	
13	Rotorua-Ngongotaha Mount	... Rotorua	250	
14	Morea Bridge	... "	500	
15	Rotoiti-Tarawera <i>via</i> Okataina	... "	800	
16	Rotorua-Wairoa	... "	150	
17	Rotorua Wharf	... "	400	
18	Rotorua Water-supply	... "	200	
19	Works at Rotorua	... "	2,800	
20	Te Whaiti Gorge	... Whakatane	150	
21	Waitomo Caves	... Kawhia	50	
			13,150	
<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>				
22	Nuhaka Springs	... Wairoa	250	
23	Moawhanga-Te Horo	Hawke's Bay	550	
			800	
<i>Taranaki—</i>				
24	Tracks and Huts, Mount Egmont...	Taranaki	700	
<i>Wellington—</i>				
25	Tongariro National Park	Wanganui and E. Taupo	500	
26	Wanganui River Steamer Subsidy...	Waitotara and Wanganui	350	
27	Mount Holdsworth Tracks	Horowhenua and Wairarapa South	500	
			1,350	
<i>Nelson—</i>				
28	Belgrove - Westport - Reefton			
29	Tracks, Mount Arthur	Waimea & Inangahua	1,000	
30	Works at Hanmer	... Waimea	500	
31	Hanmer Road	... Amuri	1,000	
			1,000	
			3,500	
<i>Marlborough—</i>				
32	Picton-Queen Charlotte Sound	... Sounds	500	
33	Blenheim-Kaikoura-Waiiau			
34	Nelson-Havelock, and Bridges	Marlborough, Kaikoura, & Amuri	500	
			500	
			1,500	
<i>Westland—</i>				
35	Whitcombe Valley Track (Kokatahi)	Westland	1,500	
36	Lake Mapourika	... "	110	
37	Haast Pass Track	... "	500	
38	Hokitika Valley	... "	500	
39	Great South Road	... "	1,000	
40	Franz Josef Glacier	... "	500	
41	Tracks to Fox Glacier	... "	500	
42	Hokitika-Christchurch	Westland & Selwyn	3,625	
			8,235	

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VOTE No. 99— <i>continued.</i>					
DEVELOPMENT OF THERMAL SPRINGS AND NATURAL SCENERY— <i>continued.</i>					
<i>Canterbury—</i>					
43	Fairlie-Pukaki	... Mackenzie	100		
44	Pukaki-Mount Cook	... "	2,000		
45	Tracks, Mount Cook and Glaciers...	... "	1,000		
46	Mount Cook Hermitage (Works at)	... "	500		
47	Hooker Bridge	... "	100		
48	Pukaki-Omarama	... Waitaki	150		
			3,850		
<i>Otago—</i>					
49	Lindis Pass	Waitaki and Vincent	200		
50	Lake Wanaka Wharves	... Lake	30		
51	Martin's Bay-Lake Wakatipu	... "	150		
52	Glendhu-Roy's Peninsula	... "	100		
53	Tracks to Western Sounds	... "	3,000		
54	Lake Te Anau-Sutherland Falls	... "	500		
55	Hollyford Valley	... "	200		
56	Pembroke-Matukituki	... "	400		
57	Tracks, Head of Lake Wakatipu	... Vincent & Lake	1,000		
58	Lake Te Anau-Wakatipu	... Lake & Wallace	500		
59	Tracks, &c., Hawea Lake	... Vincent	300		
60	Tourists' Accommodation - house, Morven Hills	... "	200		
61	Albert Burn Track	... "	50		
62	Makarora-Haast Valley	Vincent & Westland	300		
			6,930		
<i>Southland—</i>					
63	Mossburn-Te Anau	... Wallace	500		
64	Manapouri-Te Anau	... "	250		
65	Te Anau-George Sound	... "	500		
66	Manapouri-Dusky Sound	Wallace & Fiord	1,000		
			2,250		
<i>General—</i>					
67	Miscellaneous	... ..	500	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 99			42,765		
MINISTER OF MINES.					
VOTE No. 100.					
ROADS AND OTHER WORKS ON GOLDFIELDS AND MINERAL LANDS—					
1	Assistance towards the Construction of Roads and Tracks in Mining and Mineral Districts, Prospecting and Minor Works for the Development of the Mineral Resources, and for the Extraction of Metals from the Ores			15,000	
2	Roads to open up Mineral Lands			250	
			15,250		

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MINISTER OF MINES—<i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 100— <i>continued.</i>			
ROADS ON GOLDFIELDS, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>			
<i>Auckland—</i>			
3	Helena Bay—Whakapara Railway-station ...	100	
4	Whakapara to Puhipuhi ...	250	
5	Cabbage Bay to Port Charles and Cape Colville ...	500	
6	Tairua—Whenuakite ...	300	
7	Cabbage Bay to Mines ...	400	
8	Coromandel to Cabbage Bay ...	250	
9	Tokatea to Kennedy Bay ...	200	
10	Coromandel to Kuaotunu ...	500	
11	Tiki to Kaimarama and Gumtown ...	300	
12	Tiki to Manaia ...	300	
13	Manaia to Waikawau ...	500	
14	Mercury Bay to Whenuakite and Boat Harbour... ..	200	
15	Manaia to Mines ...	100	
16	Kuaotunu to Mercury Bay ...	300	
17	Whitianga to Mahikarau ...	300	
18	Thames to Waikawau ...	400	
19	Thames to Hikutaia ...	400	
20	Upper Tararu Road ...	300	
21	Puriri to east side of Range and Tairua ...	400	
22	Tapu Creek Extension ...	220	
23	Road, Upper Waiotahi ...	200	
24	Road, Turua ...	350	
25	Hikutaia—Wangamata, "Wires Track" ...	400	
26	Puru Creek Road ...	300	
27	Inland from Omahu ...	200	
28	Matatoki Road ...	200	
29	Junction Waihi Road to Waitekauri ...	250	
30	Hikutaia to Waihi ...	1,500	
31	Upper Waitekauri Bridge ...	250	
32	Road-formation, Waitekauri to Cross Road ...	300	
33	Waihi to Whangamata ...	300	
34	Paeroa to Te Aroha ...	300	
35	Paeroa to Waitoa ...	400	
36	Thompson's Track ...	1,500	
37	Waiorongomai Road ...	300	
38	Gordon Settlement to Waharoa ...	400	
39	Approach to Railway Bridge, Te Aroha ...	150	
40	Roads, Katikati and Tauranga ...	500	
41	Roads, Great Barrier ...	200	
42	Wairakei Bridge to Waimaru ...	150	
43	Kikiwhakariki to Koputanaki ...	200	
44	Whangapoua Mill Road ...	100	
45	Bridge, Kuaotunu ...	200	
		14,870	
<i>Nelson—</i>			
46	Collingwood to Parapara ...	250	
47	Bonny Doon Road ...	500	
48	Ferntown—Pakawau Road ...	150	
49	Anatoki Track ...	100	
50	Takaka River Foot-bridge ...	150	
51	Doctor's and Stanton's Creek Bridges ...	100	
52	Wangapeka Track, from Rolling River to Kiwi Creek ...	150	
53	Richmond—Collingwood ...	250	
54	Takaka—Collingwood Inland Road ...	250	
55	Bridge, Landing Creek ...	200	
56	Bridge, Walker's Creek ...	150	
57	Bridge, Granity Creek ...	300	
58	Bridge, Dee Creek ...	300	

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Item.	MINISTER OF MINES— <i>continued.</i> VOTE No. 100— <i>continued.</i> ROADS ON GOLDFIELDS, ETC.— <i>continued.</i> <i>Nelson</i> — <i>continued.</i>	1896-97.	
		£	£
59	Snowy Creek Bridge	300	
60	Tableland Horse-track	200	
61	Canaan Road	300	
62	Hampden to Horse Terrace	100	
63	Big River Road	1,200	
64	Approaches, Matakītaki Bridge	61	
65	Mangles Bridge	1,000	
66	Gannon's to Painkiller	53	
67	Soldiers' Creek Road	2	
68	Painkiller, to connect with Murray Creek Road	300	
69	Track to Adamstown, and Bridge	450	
70	Belgrove—Westport—Reefton	3,750	
71	Reefton—Maruia	500	
72	Mangles	40	
73	Road Diggings, Cape Foulwind	100	
74	Millerton Road	200	
75	Bridge, Karamea River, and Approaches	2,000	
76	Road from Lyell Bridge to Ryan's	175	
77	Crow's Diggings	300	
78	Track up Four-mile River and track up Nile River	400	
79	Track to Piper's Flat, Addison's	150	
80	Charleston—Nine-mile Beach	200	
81	Four-mile Bridge	100	
82	Foxe's Bridge	100	
83	Promised Land—Karamea	300	
84	Granity Creek—Ngakawau	100	
85	Mud Flat—Karamea—Oparara	100	
86	Fairdown—Waimangaroa	200	
87	Seddonville—Mokihinui	300	
88	Whangapeka—Wanganui	1,750	
89	Road to Barrytown	100	
90	Ahaura Bridge	800	
91	Brown's Terrace Road	100	
92	Prospecting-track, Brunnerton—Paparaoa	200	
93	Ngahere to Blackball	600	
94	Blackball Track to Paparaoa Ranges	200	
95	Moonlight to Paparaoa	100	
96	Footbridges, Blackwater, Greenstone	300	
97	Footbridges, Cobden, Seven-mile	325	
98	Waipuna Road	200	
99	Granville Road	100	
100	Track from Fagan's Creek, near Barrytown, to top of Paparaoa Range	300	
101	Track from Lancashire Flat Horse-track to head of Clear Water Creek	50	
102	Track to Healey's Gully	150	
103	Foot-bridge across bywash of Grey River at Ngahere—Blackball Ferry	150	
104	Grey River to Moonlight	400	
105	Fencing Land taken for Blackball Road	110	
106	Ahaura—Haupiri	200	
107	Maruia Road and Horse-track, <i>via</i> Castlemaine	500	
108	Road, Seddonville to Mokihinui	300	
109	Track, Seddonville to Mokihinui Mine	100	
110	Inland Road, Takaka—Collingwood Road	250	
111	Granity Creek southwards	200	
112	Fairdown—Waimangaroa	250	
113	Scott's Creek Bridge	100	
114	Main Road, Collingwood to Bainham (£1 for £1 subsidy)	500	
115	Main Road, Bainham to Bonny Doon (£1 for £1 subsidy)	100	
116	Lower Kaituna Road (£1 for £1 subsidy)	100	
117	Aorere Bridge (£1 for £1 subsidy)	100	
118	Pakawau Road (£1 for £1 subsidy)	100	
119	Wilson's Lead Road	150	
		24,716	

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CLASS IV.—ROADS—*continued.*

Item.	MINISTER OF MINES— <i>continued.</i>	1896-97.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 100— <i>continued.</i>		
	ROADS ON GOLDFIELDS, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Marlborough—</i>		
120	Improving Roads and Tracks, Mahakipawa, Wakamarina, and Wairau Valleys	400	
121	Onamalutu to Wakamarina Forks	400	
122	Bartlett's Creek Road	150	
123	Re-metalling Wakamarina Road	500	
124	To complete gravelling Onamalutu Track	100	
125	Bridge between Tuamarina and Kaituna	100	
126	Havelock-Tuamarina Road	300	
		1,950	
	<i>Westland—</i>		
127	Reefton-Hokitika-Ross	2,500	
128	Great South Road	2,500	
129	Deviation, Larrikins' Flat Road	120	
130	Track, Totara River to Constitution Hill	60	
131	Wire Bridge, Waiho River	150	
132	Track, Waikupakupa Ocean Beach to Main Road	100	
133	Repairing storm-channels, Jones's and Donohue's Creeks	100	
134	Reconstruction Wire Bridge over Kapitea Creek, Lamplough Track	100	
135	Drainage of Stafford Township	200	
136	Construction Bridge, Butcher's Creek, Kanieri Lake Road	120	
137	Construction Wire Bridge, German Gully Track, Arahura Riding	120	
138	Pine Tree Road, Kanieri Riding	75	
139	Kokotahi Road	600	
140	Widening Milltown Track towards Humphrey's Gully	300	
141	Renewal, Fisherman's Creek Bridge	100	
142	Doughboy Road	300	
143	Karangarua Bridge	450	
144	Pack-track end of Seddon's Terrace, towards Eel Creek	200	
145	Widening Track, Kanieri Lake to Milltown, into a Dray Road	300	
146	Prospecting-track, Greek's Gully to Kanieri Forks	150	
147	Prospecting-track, Totara River to Farmer's Creek	200	
148	Widening and repairing Lamplough Track	100	
149	New Road, Stafford to Awatuna	400	
150	New Bridge, Kapitea Creek, Loop-line Road	200	
151	Widening Seddon's Terrace Road Extension	200	
152	Widening Road, Lake Mapourika to Waiho	400	
153	Continuation Wataroa Bluff Track	200	
154	Widening Cook's River Flat Road	400	
155	New Bridge, Karangarua Lagoon	150	
156	Construction Okuru River Ford Track	200	
157	Stribbing's Creek Bridge, Kanieri Lake Road	100	
158	Reconstruction small bridges, Main South Road	300	
159	Extension Gillam's Gully Track	150	
160	Extension Tucker's Flat Road	150	
161	Deep Creek	300	
162	Okarito River Bridge	300	
163	Kumara-Greymouth	250	
164	Awatuna-Stafford	250	
165	Hokitika-Jackson's	875	
166	Road, Larrikins', or compensation	200	
		13,870	

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CLASS IV.—ROADS—*continued.*

Item.		1896-97.	
		£	£
	MINISTER OF MINES— <i>continued.</i>		
	VOTE No. 100— <i>continued.</i>		
	ROADS ON GOLDFIELDS, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>		
	<i>Otago—</i>		
167	Bridge over Clutha at Miller's Flat (estimated cost, £11,242), subsidy	6,621	
168	Waipori—Berwick Gorge Road	1,000	
169	Renewal Bridge to Bannockburn (estimated cost, £1,487), subsidy	750	
170	Arrowtown to Macetown	500	
171	Bridge and Approaches, Skipper's (estimated cost, £2,850), subsidy	2,000	
172	Deviation, Pleasant Creek Track	130	
173	Road, Garston to Nevis	400	
174	Lawrence—Clyde	1,000	
175	Clyde—Queenstown	500	
176	Roads, Stewart Island	500	
177	Waiiau to Preservation Inlet	1,000	
178	Tracks, Cromarty	200	
179	Track up Shotover River	200	
180	Nevis Valley Road	400	
181	Punt, Hawea and Wanaka Districts	300	
182	Lawrence—Clyde Road	1,000	
183	Lawrence—Waipori Road	500	
		17,001	
	<i>Southland—</i>		
184	Riversdale—Waikaia	200	
185	Orepuki Block I., Longwood	500	
		700	
186	Resumption of land for mining purposes	1,000	
	TOTAL VOTE No. 100		89,357
	TOTAL CLASS IV.		£168,291

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CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 101.—Development of Goldfields		98,950	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER OF MINES.			
VOTE No. 101.			
DEVELOPMENT OF GOLDFIELDS—			
1	Water-races, reservoirs, and other works for the development of Goldfields.. ..	50,000	
2	Assistance towards Prospecting	5,000	
3	Prospecting Deep Levels	35,000	
4	Compensation arising out of Proclamation of Rivers and Resumption of Land held as Occupation Licenses and Residence Sites	8,000	
5	Improving Water-supply, Oamaru, owing to Maerewhenua River being declared a Watercourse for Tailings	100	
6	Rimu Drainage Tunnel	250	
7	Kelly's Terrace Tunnel	600	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 101			98,950
TOTAL CLASS V.		£98,950	

CLASS VI.—PURCHASE OF NATIVE LANDS.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 102.—Purchase of Native Lands		500	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER OF LANDS.			
VOTE No. 102.			
1	Purchase of Native Lands	500	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 102... ..			500
TOTAL CLASS VI.		£500	

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CLASS VII.—TELEGRAPH EXTENSION.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 103.—Telegraph Extension		36,500	
Item.		£	£
POSTMASTER-GENERAL AND COMMISSIONER OF TELEGRAPHS.			
VOTE No. 103.			
TELEGRAPH EXTENSION—			
1	Instruments and Material	10,600	
2	Poles and Arms	6,500	
3	Telegraph Extension	14,000	
4	New Cable	5,400	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 103			36,500
TOTAL CLASS VII.... ..			£36,500

CLASS VIII.—PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Vote No. 104.—General		£	
" 105.—Judicial		10,300	
" 106.—Postal and Telegraph		23,935	
" 107.—Customs		9,950	
" 108.—Lunatic Asylums		400	
" 109.—School Buildings		21,100	
" 110.—Agricultural		22,780	
" 111.—Hospitals and Charitable Institutions		1,550	
		840	
		90,855	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.			
VOTE No. 104.			
GENERAL—			
<i>Parliamentary Buildings—</i>			
1	Sanitary improvements, &c.	400	
<i>Departmental Buildings—</i>			
Wellington—			
2	Government Printing Office completion	8,000	
	Offices for Census Clerks	100	
4	Painting outside	350	
5	Departmental Buildings	400	
Auckland—			
6	Additions to Caretaker's quarters	100	
Gisborne—			
7	New strong-room	350	
Napier—			
8	Additions and repairs	500	
Hokitika—			
9	Survey Office (repairs)	100	
TOTAL—VOTE No. 104			10,300

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CLASS VIII.—PUBLIC BUILDINGS—*continued.*

Item.	MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS— <i>continued.</i>	1896-97.	
		£	£
	VOTE No. 105.		
	JUDICIAL—		
	<i>Courthouses—</i>		
1	Paeroa	300	
2	Napier (renovations)	300	
3	Hawera (new Courthouse)	1,600	
4	Stratford	120	
5	Marton	650	
6	Huntermville	150	
7	Feilding (additions)	200	
8	Reefton (additions)	400	
9	Ahaura (repairs)	100	
10	Hokitika (renovations)	300	
11	Darfield	60	
12	Leeston	250	
13	Mosgiel	350	
14	St. Bathans	230	
15	Tapanui (repairs)	80	
16	Stewart Island	200	
17	Maintenance and repairs generally	200	
	<i>Gaols—</i>		
18	Auckland	300	
19	Gisborne (alterations and repairs)	300	
20	Wanganui (gaoler's house)	150	
21	Wellington	2,000	
22	Addington (alterations)	250	
23	Dunedin	6,500	
24	Buildings not specified, and Contingencies	200	
	<i>Police-stations—</i>		
25	Mongonui	180	
26	Hikurangi	420	
27	Auckland (new building)	500	
28	Coromandel	200	
29	Thames (alterations)	60	
30	Paeroa	150	
31	Waihi	250	
32	Otorohanga	100	
33	Moawhango	400	
34	Kihikihi (lock-up)	80	
35	Napier	250	
36	New Plymouth (repairs)	100	
37	Eltham	500	
38	Stratford (additions)	150	
39	Hawera (additions)	150	
40	Wanganui	300	
41	Raetihi	200	
42	Palmerston North	120	
43	Eketahuna (additions)	130	
44	Masterton (additions)	100	
45	Wellington, Thorndon (new station)	300	
46	Wellington, Manners Street (new station)	500	
47	Nelson (alterations)	220	
48	Ahaura (repairs)	100	
49	Kumara (repairs)	80	
50	Hokitika (repairs)	150	
51	Amberley (repairs)	65	
52	Oxford (additions)	170	
53	Christchurch (Bingsland)	400	
54	Coalgate	200	
55	Addington (renovations)	100	
56	Rangiora (purchase of house and land)	520	
57	Pleasant Point	150	
58	South Dunedin	400	
59	St. Clair (purchase of property)	350	
60	Clyde (new station)	400	
61	Invercargill (renovations)	100	
62	Buildings not specified, and Contingencies	200	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 105		23,935

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CLASS VIII.—PUBLIC BUILDINGS—*continued.*

Item.		1896-97.	
		£	£
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS— <i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 106.			
POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH.			
1	Waitekauri	400	
2	Paeroa (additions)	300	
3	Waihi	750	
4	Ohaeawai	150	
5	Kuaotunu (additions)	450	
6	Napier (additions and alterations)	300	
7	Hastings	200	
8	Woodville (repairs)	80	
9	Stratford	120	
10	Hawera (to replace building destroyed by fire)	2,000	
11	Marton	500	
12	Ashurst	350	
13	Wellington (fire-prevention)	170	
14	Wellington Telephone Exchange (additions)	500	
15	Greytown	160	
16	Martinborough	600	
17	Whakapuaka (additions)	450	
18	Greymouth	220	
19	Hokitika (repairs)	100	
20	Amberley (repairs)	120	
21	Christchurch (additions)	75	
22	Akaroa (additional land)	80	
23	Waimate (repairs, old post-office)	150	
24	Bealey (alterations)	300	
25	Geraldine (additions)	150	
26	Dunedin (repairs)	100	
27	Dunedin (fire-prevention)	170	
28	Milton (alterations)	100	
29	Invercargill (fire-prevention)	80	
30	Riverton (additions)	125	
31	Telephone-offices and sound-proof boxes	300	
32	Buildings not specified	200	
33	Maintenance and repairs generally	200	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 106		9,950
VOTE No. 107.			
CUSTOMS—			
1	Customhouse, Hokitika	400	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 107		400
VOTE No. 108.			
LUNATIC ASYLUMS—			
1	Auckland	11,000	
2	Wellington	500	
3	Wellington, converting Terrace Gaol into Auxiliary Asylum	750	
4	Porirua	4,000	
5	Nelson	1,350	
6	Nelson (Simpson's annuity)	200	
7	Hokitika	300	
8	Sunnyside	2,000	
9	Seacliff	1,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 108		21,100

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CLASS VIII.—PUBLIC BUILDINGS—*continued.*

Item		1896-97.	
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS— <i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 109.			
SCHOOL-BUILDINGS—			
1	School-buildings generally	£ 20,000	£
2	School-buildings in newly-settled districts	2,000	
3	Caversham Industrial School (alterations and renovations)	500	
4	Burnham Industrial School, reading-room	280	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 109		22,780
VOTE No. 110.			
AGRICULTURAL—			
1	Wairangi (bark shed)	150	
2	Masterton, office	150	
3	Fairlie, house and office	450	
4	Palmerston South, house and office	500	
5	Naseby, purchase of house and repairs	300	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 110		1,550
VOTE No. 111.			
HOSPITALS AND OTHER CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS—			
1	Christchurch Hospital	840	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 111		840
TOTAL CLASS VIII.		...	£90,855

CLASS IX.—LIGHTHOUSES, HARBOUR WORKS, AND HARBOUR DEFENCES.

Vote No. 112.—Lighthouses	...	£ 7,550
„ 113.—Harbour Works	...	1,230
„ 114.—Harbour Defences	...	5,000
		13,780

Item.		£	£
MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.			
VOTE No. 112.			
LIGHTHOUSES—			
1	Cape Kidnappers, lantern	2,500	
2	Cape Palliser, building and lantern	5,000	
3	Stephens Island, land-compensation	50	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 112		7,550
VOTE No. 113.			
HARBOUR WORKS—			
1	Wharf at Howick	250	
2	Lyttelton (reclamation works, Sticking Point)	750	
3	Stewart Island Wharf, Horseshoe Bay	230	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 113		1,230
VOTE No. 114.			
1	Harbour Defences	5,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 114		5,000
TOTAL CLASS IX.		£13,780

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CLASS X.—RATES ON NATIVE LANDS.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 115.—Rates on Native Lands		600	
Item.		£	£
COLONIAL TREASURER.			
VOTE No. 115.			
RATES ON NATIVE LANDS—			
1	Recoverable from Owners	600	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 115		600
TOTAL CLASS X.		£600	

CLASS XI.—CONTINGENT DEFENCE.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 116.—Contingent Defence		23,000	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER OF DEFENCE.			
VOTE No. 116.			
CONTINGENT DEFENCE—			
1	Purchase of Martini-Henry Rifles	23,000	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 116		23,000
TOTAL CLASS XI.		£23,000	

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SERVICES CHARGEABLE TO THE MONEYS RAISED UNDER "THE NORTH ISLAND MAIN TRUNK RAILWAY LOAN ACT, 1882."

CLASS I.—RAILWAYS.

		1896-97.	
Vote No. 117.—Marton—Te Awamutu Railway Construction Works		£ 13,923	
Item.	MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.	£	£
	VOTE No. 117.		
	MARTON—TE AWAMUTU RAILWAY—		
1	North End—Construction Works	5,000	
2	South End—Construction Works	8,923	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 117		13,923
TOTAL CLASS I.		£13,923	

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THE LANDS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

		1896-97.	
Vote No. 118—Roads and Bridges, &c.		£ 220,216	
Item.	MINISTER OF LANDS.	£	£
VOTE No. 118.			
ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.			
<i>Auckland—</i>			
1	Victoria Valley—Main Road Mongonui	800	
2	Ahipara—Herekino "	150	
3	Takahue—Herekino "	100	
4	Larmer's—Takahue "	100	
5	Houhoura—Awanui "	150	
6	Maungataniwha "	350	
7	Hukerenui South—Waiotu Valley Bay of Islands	200	
8	Main Road, Lot 2, Block XIV, Hukerenui S.D.... Bay of Islands	120	
9	Hukerenui, Blocks I, XI. "	200	
10	Ngapipito "	180	
11	Tirohanga—Pakaru "	100	
12	Towai—Ruapekapeka "	150	
13	Main North Road—Waiotu Block "	300	
14	Kaikohē—Taheke Hokinaga and Bay of Islands	500	
15	Waimamaku—Punakitere Hokianga	500	
16	Auckland Special Settlement—Mangakahia "	200	
17	Marlborough Association "	1,000	
18	Road to Native land near Waihou "	40	
19	Manganuiowae "	150	
20	Waimamaku—Pakanāe "	400	
21	Kohukohu—Motukaraki "	400	
22	Kohukohu—Rakautapu "	100	
23	Herd's Point—Takahue "	1,000	
24	Manganuiowae—Whangape "	200	
25	Mangapai—Waikiekie Whangarei	200	
26	Hikurangi "	500	
27	Whananaki—Ngunguru "	200	
28	Bridge over Wairua River "	500	
29	Opuawhanga—Whananaki "	150	
30	Opuawhanga "	100	
31	Waipu—Māreretu "	200	
32	Kauri Mountain Road "	100	
33	Purua—Ruatangata—Mangakahia "	300	
34	Purua Bridge "	200	
35	Waipu Wharf "	50	
36	Otuhe Forest "	200	
37	Hikurangi—Jordan Flat "	100	
38	Maungatapere "	200	
39	Maunu—Otuhe "	300	
40	Marsden Point, Kaimanuka, and Finlayson's Road "	300	
41	Whareora—Taheke—Pataua "	150	
42	Ngunguru Ferry "	100	
43	Tokatoka—Mangapai "	105	
44	Drever's—Otonga East "	150	
45	Otonga East—Whananaki "	150	
46	Dargaville—Tangiteroria Hobson	500	
47	Opanaki—Hokianga "	2,500	
48	Opanaki—Mongonui Bluff "	50	
49	Tangihua "	200	
50	Tangihua No. 2 "	50	

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THE LANDS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT—*continued.*

Item.	1896-97.		
	£	£	
MINISTER OF LANDS— <i>continued.</i>			
VOTE No. 118— <i>continued.</i>			
ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>			
<i>Auckland—continued.</i>			
51	Pahi-Waikiekie	Otamatea	400
52	Pahi-Maungaturoto	"	300
53	Braigh, Jordan's, and Matakoho Roads	"	300
54	Tokatoka Swamp	"	1,890
55	Hukatere	"	150
56	Mareretu	"	250
57	Matakoho-Mongonui	"	200
58	Paparoa	"	150
59	Pahi Wharf and Road (to account)	"	90
60	Block XII., Paparoa	"	125
61	Warkworth-Main Road (Block VII., Pakiri)	Rodney	150
62	Kaipara Flat-Tauhoa	"	250
63	Warkworth-Tauhoa	"	250
64	Matakana Bridge	"	100
65	Tauhoa	"	100
66	Pakiri	"	200
67	Hoteo-Waiwhiu	"	100
68	Waikomiti-Huia	Waitemata	400
69	Waikomiti-Swanson	"	200
70	Matakana Ranges	"	250
71	Swanson-West Coast	"	200
72	Mangapai-Waikiekie	"	250
73	Henderson	"	300
74	Waikomiti West	"	350
75	Maioro Swamp	Manukau	160
76	Wairoa River-Otau	"	250
77	Waiuku-Pukekohe	"	150
78	Awaroa Swamp, £1 for £1	"	50
79	Ramarama Valley	"	800
80	Abraham's Gully	"	50
81	Pukekohe	"	250
82	Otau	"	500
83	Akaaka Swamp	"	250
84	Kauaeranga Valley	Thames	230
85	Waingaro-Ngaruawahia	Raglan	500
86	Onewhero (Sections 128, 129)	"	100
87	Brigmen's Landing and Mercer Road	"	300
88	Te Rore Bridge	"	160
89	Tuakau Punt	"	300
90	Waitetuna-Waingaro	"	100
91	Huntly-Kahuruhuru	"	150
92	Lawson's Hill	"	100
93	Mangapiko-Maire	"	100
94	Awaroa (XI.)	"	400
95	Road to Auckland University Reserve	"	25
96	Waipa Bridge, Ngaruawahia (subsidy, £1 for £1)	Raglan and Waipa	500
97	Waitetuna-Aotea	Raglan and Kawhia	200
98	Matahuru	Waikato	200
99	Wairangi-Matahuru	"	200
100	Whangamarino Parish	"	50
101	Waikare Lake-Onewhero	"	200
102	Ohinewai-Matahuru	"	250
103	Blocks X. and XI., Rangiriri Survey District	"	200
104	Wairangi (Sections 482 and 486)	"	100
105	Hunua-Ararimu	Waipa	200
106	Pye's Pa	Tauranga	100
107	Paengaroa	"	25

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VOTE No 118— <i>continued.</i>				
ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>Auckland—continued.</i>				
108	Te Aroha and Waitoa drains	Piako	400	
109	Waimana	Whakatane	700	
110	Waiotahi	"	250	
111	Waioka (Blocks II., III., IV.)	"	200	
112	Papamoa S.S., Te Puki Mining District	"	200	
113	Matata-Te Teko	"	150	
114	Arabiwi and Mamaku Railway-station	Rotorua	100	
115	Mamaku-Rotorua-Oxford	"	300	
116	Alexandra-Kawhia	Kawhia	100	
117	Wharauoa	"	200	
118	Purchase of roads	"	200	
119	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	900	
			32,750	
<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>				
120	Mata Valley	Waipapu	200	
121	Tokomaru-Huiarua	"	200	
122	Tauwhareparae-Crown lands	"	200	
123	Tauwhareparae-Arakihi	Cook	500	
124	Gisborne-Waimata (metalling)	"	500	
125	Gisborne-Opotiki	"	500	
126	Waikohu Bridge (£1 for £2)	"	1,000	
127	Tauwhareparae-Tokamaru	"	150	
128	Tologa-Marunga-Tauwhareparae	"	410	
129	Waimata-Tauwhareparae	"	400	
130	Tologa-Arakihi	"	200	
131	Waikohu-Motu	"	1,000	
132	Nuhaka	Wairoa & Cook	300	
133	Nuhaka-Gisborne	Wairoa	1,000	
134	Opoiti Bridge (to account)	"	1,500	
135	Puketitiri	Hawke's Bay	250	
136	Ruabine Block approach	"	300	
137	Napier-Wairoa	Hawke's Bay and Wairoa	1,000	
138	Holder's Road	Waipawa	300	
139	Whakarara Road and Bridge	"	150	
140	Ormondville-Waikopiro	"	400	
141	Oporae	"	400	
142	Woodville (Block II.)	"	40	
143	Manawatu Bridge (Waikopiro)	"	500	
144	Dannevirke-Weber-Wimbledon	Waipawa and Patangata	400	
145	Norsewood-Apiti	Waipawa and Pohangina	300	
146	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	180	
			12,280	
<i>Taranaki—</i>				
147	Mohakatino Bridge	Clifton	130	
148	Junction Road-Purangi, £1 for £1	"	3,040	
149	Mimi-Mangaroa Road (metalling), £1 for £1	"	700	
150	Tikorangi Bridge	"	730	
151	Tikorangi-Te Tarata	"	30	
152	Bridge over Purangi (to account)	"	500	
153	Moanatairi Special Settlement	"	131	
154	Tongaporutu Ferry	"	100	
155	Moki Road	"	500	
156	Pukearuhe inland to Mohakatino	"	2,800	
157	Upper Waitara-Mangaere	"	650	

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ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>Taranaki—continued.</i>				
158	Carrington	...	Taranaki	100
159	Waiweranui	...	"	300
160	Motukawa	...	Hawera	150
161	Kohuratahi	...	Taranaki	500
162	Putiki	...	"	500
163	Huiroa Township (bushfelling)	...	Stratford	135
164	Autawa and Pita Roads	...	"	100
165	Denbigh Road (subsidy)	...	"	150
166	Anderson's Road and Bridges	...	"	1,500
167	Mangamingi	...	"	130
168	Huiroa Roads	...	"	116
169	Mangaotuku	...	"	500
170	Ohura (contribution)	...	Clifton	4,000
171	Ngaire	...	Hawera	2,000
172	Central Patea Valley	...	Patea	500
173	Kaimanuka and Rawhitiroa	...	"	1,000
174	Mangamingi Township	...	"	100
175	Patea River Bridge (to account)	...	"	500
176	Waitotara, widening (contribution)	...	"	500
177	Ball Road (Blocks IX., X., XIII., XIV., Carlyle and Opaku S.D.), contribution	...	"	1,000
178	Weraweraonga	...	"	600
179	Wingrove Road	Stratford and Patea	"	50
180	Miscellaneous and Engineering	...	"	300
				24,042
<i>Wellington—</i>				
181	Lands and Survey Office, Wanganui	...	"	300
182	Okahutiria	...	Waitotara	300
183	Pipiriki-Waiouru	...	Wanganui	3,500
184	Raetihi-Ohura	...	"	500
185	Waimarino	...	"	1,000
186	Hunterville 1, 2, 3	Wanganui & Rangitikei	"	700
187	Turakina Valley	"	"	1,300
188	Taihape-Paengaroa	"	"	500
189	Ohingaiti-Tokaanu	Wanganui, Rangitikei, and East Taupo	"	2,200
190	Taihape Township	"	Rangitikei	200
191	Rangitikei Bridge (Mangaweka)	...	"	3,000
192	Mangapapa	...	"	500
193	Awarua	...	Oroua	4,000
194	Pahiatua-Palmerston (Bridge)	...	"	150
195	Rangitikei Bridge, Vinegar Hill, £1 for £1	...	Rangitikei and Oroua	1,076
196	Rangitikei Bridge (Otara), £1 for £1	...	"	1,245
197	Mangawharariki	...	Oroua	3,000
198	Salisbury and Delaware	...	"	1,000
199	Hautapu-Ruahine	...	"	1,000
200	Hautapu	...	"	450
201	Pemberton-Wairaki (Pukerimu)	...	"	300
202	Pohangina Valley Forest Reserve	...	"	200
203	Oroua-Coal Creek	...	Pohangina	121
204	Mangoira-Coal Creek	...	"	235
205	Upper Pohangina Valley	...	"	600
206	Norsewood-Apiti	Pohangina and Waipawa	"	300
207	Ngaio	...	Kiwitea	200
208	Conspicuous Road	...	"	560
209	Kimbolton-Wairaki	...	"	500

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ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>Wellington</i> — <i>continued.</i>				
210	Tunipo Road, Apiti, Norsewood	Kiwitea	200	
211	Oroua Bridge (Apiti) £1 for £1	"	1,300	
212	Pakihikura	"	165	
213	Kelpie	"	300	
214	Otawhao	Waipawa	200	
215	Horowhenua 11B	Horowhenua	20	
216	Makairo-Ku nerua	Pahiatua and Waipawa	300	
217	Ballance-Manawatu Gorge	Pahiatua	850	
218	Tiraumea North	"	70	
219	Tiraumea Valley	"	500	
220	Mangatoro Valley	"	650	
221	Makairo	"	450	
222	Mount Marchant (£1 for £1)	"	200	
223	Bridge Road to Makakahi	"	200	
224	Makuri Township (unsold)	"	25	
225	Upper Makuri Valley	"	1,500	
226	Waewaepa, £1 for £1	"	100	
227	Makuri-Pongaroa	"	4,750	
228	Mangaramarama	"	200	
229	Mangaoronga	"	100	
230	Hukanui-Hawera (£1 for 10s.)	"	250	
231	Aohanga Gorge	Wairarapa North	500	
232	Pahiatua No. 1	"	500	
233	Pahiatua No. 2	"	800	
234	Pahiatua No. 3	"	500	
235	Pahiatua No. 4	"	250	
236	Smith's Footbridge, Totara Reserve	Wairarapa N.	100	
237	Parkville-Mangatainoko	"	250	
238	Mangaone (Norling's)	"	200	
239	Towai	Pahiatua & Wairarapa N.	700	
240	Mangaone Valley	"	50	
241	Makuri-Aohanga	"	700	
242	Tiraumea River Road-Pa Valley	"	450	
243	Woodville-Aohanga	"	300	
244	Alfredton-Weber	Wairarapa N. and Patangata	6,000	
245	Rising Sun Association	Wairarapa N.	500	
246	Huia	"	1,000	
247	Burling's-Mecalickstone	"	250	
248	Ruamahanga Bridge (Upper Opaki) £1 for £1	"	750	
249	Pori	"	150	
250	Barton's Road-Wairere	"	250	
251	Barton's Road	"	400	
252	Christchurch Association	"	500	
253	Masterton Reform Association	"	500	
254	Uruti-Castlepoint	"	100	
255	Waihi	"	400	
256	Kaiwhata Valley	Wairarapa N. & S.	300	
257	Ruamahanga Bridge	Wairarapa S.	50	
258	Kaiwhata Run (near Brancepeth)	"	100	
259	Ruamahanga Bridge (£1 for £1), Masterton-Gladstone Road	"	500	
260	Ruamahanga Bridge (Taratahi- Carterton) flood-damages	"	200	
261	Kaitangata	"	150	
262	Miscellaneous and Engineering	...	900	
			59,567	

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ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>Nelson—</i>				
263	Wairoa Gorge	Waimea	300	
264	Rawson's Creek (Riwaka)	"	50	
265	Maruhau Valley	"	100	
266	Tadmor-Motupiko	"	300	
267	Riwaka Valley	"	300	
268	Little Sydney and branch track	"	100	
269	Motueka River protection	"	100	
270	Motueka-Waiwera Valley	"	100	
271	Takaka-Riwaka	Collingwood & Waimea	300	
272	Purchase of Roads	"	100	
273	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	100	
			1,850	
<i>Marlborough—</i>				
274	Arapawa-Tawhiti	Sounds	250	
275	Manaroa-Hopai	"	200	
276	White's Bay-Port Underwood	"	250	
277	Manaroa-Okoha	"	350	
278	Crail Bay Track	"	350	
279	Kenepuru-Anakoa	"	400	
280	Kenepuru-Manaroa	"	200	
281	Anakoa-Manaroa	"	300	
282	Torea Neck	"	50	
283	Torea Southwards	"	200	
284	Crail Bay-Homewood	"	100	
285	Robin Hood Bay-Ocean Bay	Sounds	150	
286	Beatrice Bay-Kenny's Isle	"	100	
287	Kenepuru Sound	"	250	
288	Te Mehia Bay-Portage Bay	"	250	
289	Ohinetaha-Te Mehia	"	250	
290	Grove Wharf and Shed	Marlborough	100	
291	Tawhiunui-Rai	"	500	
292	Jordan Bridge, Awatere	"	600	
293	Nydia Bay-Havelock	Sounds and Marlborough	100	
294	Blenheim-Kaikoura-Waiiau (additional)	Marlborough, Kaikoura, and Amuri	500	
295	Awatere Bridge, Limestone Gorge (to account)	Marlborough	200	
296	Awatere Railway and Traffic Bridge (Lands Contribution)	"	2,500	
297	Okiwi-Ronga	"	150	
298	Ronga Valley	"	250	
299	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	200	
			8,750	
<i>Westland—</i>				
300	Greenstone-Teremakau	Grey	500	
301	Kanieri Forks-Kanieri Lake	Westland	400	
302	Woodstock-Mahinapua	"	400	
303	Dawson's Road	"	126	
304	Turnbull River Road	"	200	
305	Block 112, Kokatahi (Cropp's Road)	"	450	
306	Greenstone Bridge	"	500	
307	Waimea-Stafford	"	250	
308	Cook's River (Upper)	"	250	
309	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	40	
			3,116	

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	ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>			
	<i>Canterbury—</i>			
310	Ashley Irrigation	Ashley	1,200	
311	Ashley Bridge (to account)	"	1,000	
312	Oxford Bush Road Extension	"	300	
313	Reserve 1496, Ashburton	Ashburton	55	
314	Te Moana Gorge	Geraldine	120	
315	Arowhenua Native Road	"	50	
316	Clements' Road	Waimate	150	
317	Pareora Bridge (to account)	Levels and Waimate	300	
318	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	150	
			3,325	
	<i>Otago—</i>			
319	Livingstone-Kyeburn	Waitaki and Maniototo	800	
320	Puketiraki Station-Beach	Waikouaiti	250	
321	Lower Hawea and Lower Wanaka	Lake & Vincent	300	
322	Roughridge-Poolburn-Tuapeka	Vincent	200	
323	Chatto Creek, Tinker's	"	300	
324	Galloway Station, Ida Valley	"	500	
325	Bendigo-Matakanui	"	300	
326	Ophir District Water-supply	"	300	
327	Kyeburn District	Maniototo	500	
328	Run 206A, Naseby	"	500	
329	Run 206F, Maniototo	"	380	
330	Hamilton Bridge	"	350	
331	Lauder-Blackstone	"	300	
332	Capburn Bridge	"	300	
332	Runs 219c, 306, 306A	"	400	
334	Block XI., Maniototo	"	100	
335	Block XVI., Maniototo	"	50	
336	Upper Taieri and Rock and Pillar	"	700	
337	Dart River Road	Lake	100	
338	Maungatua and Waipori	Taieri	200	
339	Blair Taieri	"	100	
340	Beaumont and Rankleburn	Tuapeka	500	
341	Leithen Bush Track	Tuapeka & Clutha	200	
342	Otago Peninsula (B. II., from Section 60, through 71, &c.)	Peninsula	450	
343	Glenomaru	Clutha	180	
344	Woodlands	"	1,500	
345	Long Point Road	"	400	
346	Hunt's Road	"	500	
347	Barr's Road	"	300	
348	Cannibal Bay	"	500	
349	Catlin's Roads	"	180	
350	Catlin's and Tautuku	"	300	
351	Tahaukupu	"	500	
352	Glenomaru (B. IV.)	"	300	
353	Glenomaru (B. V.)	"	150	
354	McCabe's Coalpit, Gibbston	"	150	
355	Purakauiti Stream	"	200	
356	Kaler's Road (felling)	"	215	
357	Owaea (Campbell's)	"	100	
358	Tautuku River Landing-sheds, &c	"	300	
359	Rimu, Block XIV.	"	300	
360	Owaka Railway-station, £1 for £1	"	100	
361	Block VIII., Catlin's	"	300	
362	Wingfield Road, Ratanui	"	50	
363	Block I., Catlin's	"	200	
364	Ratanui-Whitehead	"	200	
365	Katia-Dairy Factory, Owaka	"	100	
366	Warnock's Road	"	100	
367	Rimu	"	500	

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VOTE No. 118—<i>continued.</i>		
ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.—<i>continued.</i>		
<i>Otago—continued.</i>		
368	Tautuku ... Clutha	500
369	Pomahaka-Clutha	400
370	Pomahaka Bridge (Clydevale) Clutha & Tuapeka	500
371	Pomahaka Bridge, Kelso (to account) ...	500
372	Waikawa-Catlin's Clutha and Southland	3,000
373	Purchase of Roads ...	150
374	Miscellaneous and Engineering ...	600
		21,355
<i>Southland—</i>		
375	Reaby Retreat ... Southland	200
376	Makarewa-Grove Bush ... "	100
377	Centre Bush-Otapiri ... "	100
378	Otapiri ... "	200
379	Wallacetown—Spar Bush and Waima- tuku Flat ... "	300
380	Campbelltown Hundred and Campbelltown ... "	600
381	Campbelltown ... "	300
382	Girdler's Road ... "	50
383	Hillend Bush (Dipton Flat) ... "	320
384	Black Creek Bridge and Road ... "	200
385	Waikawa District ... "	1,000
386	Waimea Valley ... "	200
387	Orion and Minerva Roads, Maka- rewa, £1 for £1 ... "	25
388	Bluff Road ... "	400
389	Waikawa-Wyudham Valley ... "	210
390	Oteramika ... "	200
391	Kingswell Creek—Seaward Bush, £1 for £1 ... "	100
392	Timpany's Hill to Gorge Railway- station, Oteramika ... "	200
393	Millwood Special Settlement ... "	75
394	Invercargill Hundred ... "	400
395	Hedgehope-Mataura ... "	300
396	Mabel District ... "	500
397	Dunsdale ... "	100
398	Eyre Creek Bridge ... "	300
399	Otamita Retreat ... "	150
400	Mokoreta, Blocks VII. and IX., £1 for £1 ... "	100
401	Invercargill Hundred, Block XVII.—XX. ... "	200
402	Invercargill Hundred, Block XV. ... "	100
403	Invercargill Hundred, Block X. ... "	200
404	Invercargill Hundred, Block XXII. ... "	200
405	Tanner's Road, Winton ... "	50
406	Dipton-Balfour ... "	100
407	Waimumu Bridge ... "	100
408	S. G. Run 23 ... "	50
409	Southland Bridges and Fortrose Jetty (Flood-damages) ... "	800
410	Tisbury ... "	200
411	Invercargill-Tisbury ... "	400
412	Tisbury-Waimatua ... "	300
413	Mataura Island Dairy Factory—Pine Bush Railway-Station ... "	250
414	Mill Road—Makarewa (Block X., Sections 32, 33) ... "	200
415	Haberfield's to Beach ... "	80
416	Waikawa-Otara ... "	500
417	Acker's Village ... "	120
418	Waikawa, Block VII. ... "	100

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	ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>			
	<i>Southland—continued.</i>			
419	Waikawa Bridge	Southland	250	
420	Forest Hill	"	300	
421	Forest Hill-McDonald Road	"	2,000	
422	Seaward Bush Roads	Southland	200	
423	Toetoes, Block X.	"	100	
424	Longwood (XVI. and I.)	Wallace	300	
425	Riverton and Colac Bay	"	200	
426	Track to McLaren's Run	"	40	
427	Lillburn Roads	"	300	
428	Avondale Saddle	"	100	
429	Waimatuku Bush	"	100	
430	Mararoa Bridge	"	250	
431	Orepuki-Wairaurahiri	"	800	
432	Waiau Bridge, Clifden (to account)	"	1,000	
433	Clifden Ferry - Eastern Bush (Limestone Gorge)	"	300	
434	Lonaker's Settlement	"	250	
435	Longwood (XV., XVI., XVII)	"	500	
436	Lower Waiau Ferry	"	100	
437	Half-Moon Bay Wharf	Stewart Island	250	
438	Half-Moon Bay Tramway	"	100	
439	Purchase of Roads	"	100	
440	Miscellaneous and Engineering	"	300	
			18,420	
	<i>Grants-in-Aid—</i>			
441	Co-operative work for unemployed	"	3,500	
442	Advances to co-operative workmen	"	3,000	
443	Schools on Improved-farm Settlements	"	2,000	
444	Miscellaneous	"	1,000	
			9,500	
	<i>Improved-farm Settlements—</i>			
	<i>Auckland—</i>			
445	Awatuna	Hokianga	300	
446	Rangatira	"	1,000	
447	Katui	"	140	
448	Mangatu	"	120	
449	Terauamoa	Kawhia	500	
			2,060	
	<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>			
450	Waikopiro	Waipawa	800	
	<i>Taranaki—</i>			
451	Tawai	Kawhia	400	
452	Tongaporutu	Clifton	300	
453	Greenlands	"	300	
454	Uruti	"	300	
455	Okau	"	300	
456	Derwent	"	300	
457	Burfoot	"	300	
458	Ratatomokia	"	1,284	
459	Mangaere	Stratford	100	
460	Whangamomona	"	1,500	
461	Huiroa	"	200	
462	Poti	Hawera	200	
463	Ngaire	"	150	
464	Maata	"	300	
465	Taumatatahi	Patea	300	
			6,234	

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ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>				
<i>Wellington—</i>				
466	Hautapu	...	Wanganui	900
467	Horopito	...	"	500
468	Rongoiti	...	"	500
469	Taihape	...	Rangitikei	300
470	Masterton-Tenui	...	"	500
471	Mangaweka	...	"	900
472	Ohutu	...	"	2,000
473	Otuarei	...	"	500
474	Pemberton	...	Kiwitea	50
475	Kawatau	...	"	600
476	Akitio	...	Wairarapa N.	500
477	Mangatiti	...	"	500
				7,750
<i>Otago—</i>				
478	Woodlands	...	Clutha	500
479	Rimu	...	"	500
480	Woodlands (B 2.)	...	"	500
481	Waipati	...	Clutha and Southland	500
				2,000
<i>Southland—</i>				
482	Heathfield	...	Clutha	250
483	Papatotara	...	Wallace	150
484	Haldane	...	Southland	500
485	Waikawa	...	"	500
486	Moturimu	...	"	400
				1,800
<i>General—</i>				
487	Farms unprovided for	...	...	1,000
<i>Village Settlements—</i>				
488	Auckland	...	...	1,070
489	Wellington	...	...	1,475
490	Nelson	...	...	200
491	Canterbury	...	...	80
492	Otago	...	...	250
493	Southland	...	...	380
494	General	...	...	162
				3,617
TOTAL—VOTE No. 118				220,216

TOTAL LANDS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT £220,216

Appropriations for the Government Loans to Local Bodies Account.

THE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT.

		1896-97.	
		£	
Vote No. 119.—Roads, &c., to open up Crown Lands ...		50,000	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER OF LANDS.			
VOTE No. 119.			
ROADS, ETC., TO OPEN UP CROWN LANDS—			
<i>Auckland—</i>			
1	Takahue Block ... Mongonui	200	
2	Maungataniwha Block ... "	214	
3	Maungataniwha (VI.) Block ... "	120	
4	Takahue-Whangape Block ... Mongonui and Hokianga	1,000	
5	Waipoua Block ... Hokianga	106	
6	Ruapekapeka Block ... Bay of Islands	119	
7	Motatau Block ... Whangarei	25	
8	Opuawhanga-Whangarei No. 1 Block ... "	24	
9	Ngunguru Block ... "	200	
10	Tokatoka Swamp Block ... Otamatea	2,459	
11	Pakiri Block ... Rodney	11	
12	Tauhoa Block ... "	69	
13	Ahuroa Block ... "	68	
14	Auckland Special Settlement Block ... Hobson	200	
15	Maropiu Block ... "	200	
16	Avoca Block ... "	458	
17	Akaaka Swamp Block ... Manukau	96	
18	Taupiri Block ... Waikato	400	
19	Karioi-Alexandra Block ... Raglan	300	
20	Kohuruhuru Block ... "	500	
21	Kaimarama Block ... Coromandel	54	
22	Waiotahi Block ... Whakatane	756	
23	Waimana Block ... "	63	
24	Waiawa Block ... "	200	
		7,842	
<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>			
25	Hikurangi Block ... Waiapu	520	
26	Waiau Block ... "	300	
27	Huirau Block ... Cook	500	
28	Ruakituri Block ... Wairoa	324	
29	Pohui Block ... Hawke's Bay	100	
30	Ruahine Block ... Waipawa	703	
31	Umutaoroa Block ... "	71	
		2,518	

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THE GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT—*continued.*

Item.	MINISTER OF LANDS— <i>continued.</i>		1896-97.	
			£	£
	VOTE No. 119— <i>continued.</i>			
	ROADS, ETC., TO OPEN UP CROWN LANDS— <i>continued.</i>			
	<i>Taranaki—</i>			
32	Okoke Block	... Clifton	1,300	
33	Oxford Association Block	... "	387	
34	Lepperton Block	... "	416	
35	Moanatairi Block	... "	500	
36	Milsom Block	... "	10	
37	Mangaere Block	... Stratford	1,394	
38	Ross Block	... "	421	
39	Eltham Block	... "	141	
40	Manganui Block	... "	485	
41	Autawa Block	... "	255	
42	Gatton Block	... "	889	
43	Llewellyn Block	... "	400	
44	Puniwhakau Block	... "	300	
45	Terrace End Block	... "	1,000	
46	Rangowhakaoma Block	... "	500	
47	Patua (Egmont V., VII., XI.) Block	... Taranaki	500	
48	Egmont (VI) Block	... "	221	
49	Kaupokonui Block	... Hawera	58	
50	Kaitangiwhenua No. 2 Block	... Patea	1,800	
51	Toro (Section 23, B. IV., Huiroa) Block	... "	115	
52	Opaku-Kapara Block	... "	2,042	
53	Rawhitiroa Block	... "	500	
54	Moeawatea Block	... "	500	
55	Whenuakura Block	... "	500	
			14,634	
	<i>Wellington—</i>			
56	Momahaki Village Settlement Block	... Patea	461	
57	Te Ngaue Block	... "	367	
58	Waimarino (No. 2) Block	... Wanganui	121	
59	Clifton Block	... "	500	
60	Kaitieke Block	... "	1,200	
61	Wanganui Block	... "	500	
62	Manganui and Ruapehu Block	... "	300	
63	Te Kapua Block (Sommerville, and Palmerston N. Knights of Labour)	... Rangitikei	1,443	
64	Kawatau Block	... Kiwitea	1,400	
65	Hautapu-Ruahine Block	... Oroua	1,000	
66	Hautapu No. 2 Block	... "	1,000	
67	Mangoira-Coal Creek Block	... "	24	
68	Malton Block	... "	302	
69	Salisbury and Delaware Block	... "	692	
70	Pohangina Block	... "	700	
71	Umutoi Block	... "	500	
72	Kaiparoro Block	... Wairarapa North	250	
73	Kakariki Block	... "	32	
74	Te Maru Block	... "	500	
75	Mecalickstone Block	... "	519	
76	Puketoi-Aohanga Block	... "	233	
77	Ohinewairua Block	... "	2,150	
78	Gladstone Block	... Wairarapa South	300	
79	Kaitangata Block	... "	600	
			15,094	
	<i>Nelson—</i>			
80	Tadmor Valley Block	... Waimea	500	
	<i>Marlborough—</i>			
81	Hundalee Block	... Kaikoura	3,000	

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Item.	MINISTER OF LANDS— <i>continued.</i>		1896-97.	
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	VOTE No. 119— <i>continued.</i>			
	ROADS, ETC., TO OPEN UP CROWN LANDS— <i>continued.</i>			
	<i>Canterbury—</i>			
82	Brookfield Block	... Ashley	300	
83	Ruapuna Block	... Ashburton	106	
			406	
	<i>Otago—</i>			
84	Domet and Maruwenua Block	... Waitaki	300	
85	Catlin's Block	... Clutha	50	
86	Waikoikoi Township Block	... "	29	
87	Glenomaru (III., IV., V., VII., X.) Block	... "	179	
88	Tiger Hill Block	... Vincent	65	
89	Lauder-Tiger Hill Block	... "	700	
90	Lower Wanaka Block	... Lake	101	
91	Teviot Block	... Tuapeka	166	
92	Beaumont Block	... "	300	
93	Swinburn Farm Homestead Block	Maniototo	88	
94	Maniototo Block	... "	104	
95	Maniototo No. 2 Block	... "	300	
96	Naseby No. 2 Block	... "	313	
97	Blackstone-Gimmerburn Block	... "	200	
98	Maniototo No. 3 Block	... "	200	
99	Lauder-Blackstone Block	... "	76	
100	Gimmerburn Block	... "	350	
			3,521	
	<i>Southland—</i>			
101	Mokoreta Block	... Southland	500	
102	Waikawa-Otara Blocks	... "	500	
103	Oteramika Block	... "	400	
104	Invercargill Hundred (XXIII.) Block	... "	400	
105	Ackers Village Block	... "	35	
106	Hokonui and Forest Hill Block	... "	500	
107	Waikawa (II.) Block	... "	150	
			2,485	
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 119	... ..		50,000

TOTAL GOVERNMENT LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT £50,000

Appropriations for the Native Lands Purchase Account.

THE NATIVE LANDS PURCHASE ACCOUNT.

		1896-97.	
Vote No. 120.—Native Land Purchases, Roads and Bridges, &c.		£	
		163,976	
Item.		£	£
MINISTER OF LANDS.			
VOTE No. 120.			
NATIVE LAND PURCHASES, ETC.—			
<i>Salaries—</i>			
1	Officer in Charge	450	
2	7 Officers—2 at £340, 1 at £300, 1 at £183, 2 at £175, 1 at £90	1,603	
3	Purchase of Native Lands	96,552	
4	Expenses of Horowhenua Commission	1,268	
5	Copying report, evidence, and exhibits of Horowhenua Commission for both Houses of Parliament	127	
6	Surveys	4,000	
		104,000	
ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.			
<i>Auckland—</i>			
7	Okaihau-Horeke Hokianga	250	
8	Utakura Road deviation "	250	
9	Kaueranga Whangarei	400	
10	Tuakau-Opuatia-Kahuruhuru Raglan	1,400	
11	Otawa Nos. 1A and 1B Tauranga	500	
12	Papamoa No. 1 "	500	
13	Rangitaiki-Ruatoki-Waiotahi Whakatane	1,300	
14	Te Teko-Opotiki "	1,000	
15	Te Kumi Whakatane and Waipapu	200	
16	Mangatangi Bridge Waikato	200	
17	Kihikihi-Waotu Waipua	50	
18	Rotorua-Te Teko Rotorua	3,500	
19	Whakarewarewa "	600	
20	Taumata Nos. 1A, 2A, 3B East; 3B West No. 1; 3C East A; 3C West No. 1 "	200	
21	Okoheriki 1D "	300	
22	Rotorua-Galatea-Waikaremoana Rotorua, Whakatane, and Wairoa	8,500	
23	Rotowhero, <i>via</i> Waiotapu-Wairakei Rotorua and East Taupo	3,400	
24	Pirongia West Kawhia	300	
25	Tokanui-Wharepapa "	300	
26	Karu-o-te-whenua, &c. "	1,000	
27	Te Kuiti-Awakino "	3,500	
28	Ouruwhero No. 2 and Puketarata "	300	
29	Mangauika A 1A "	200	
30	Hauturu East "	500	
31	Kihikihi-Otorohanga-Te Kuiti "	492	
32	Kinohaku East "	500	
33	Wharepunga No. 1 West Taupo	1,000	
		30,642	

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THE NATIVE LANDS PURCHASE ACCOUNT—*continued.*

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	£	£
MINISTER OF LANDS— <i>continued.</i>		
VOTE No. 120— <i>continued.</i>		
ROADS AND BRIDGES, ETC.— <i>continued.</i>		
<i>Hawke's Bay—</i>		
34	Pukeamaru	Waiapu 250
35	Whakaangi	" 250
36	Waihuka	" 250
37	Ahomatariki	" 250
38	Gisborne <i>via</i> Tologa Bay—Hicks Bay	Cook 1,084
39	Opotiki—East Cape	" 300
40	Tahora	Cook and Whakatane 1,000
41	Gisborne—Waikaremoana	Cook and Wairoa 2,000
42	Frasertown—Waikaremoana	Wairoa 550
43	Mohaka Southwards	" 1,000
44	Ngapaeruru	" 500
45	Motu Road (widening)	Hawke's Bay 1,000
46	Waikopiro	Waipawa 1,500
47	Takapau—Kopua, £1 for £1	" 500
		10,434
<i>Taranaki—</i>		
48	Tauranga No. 1, &c.	Clifton 1,000
49	Ohura South K No. 5, and L	Clifton and Stratford 500
50	Maraekowhai	Stratford 500
51	Stratford—Ongarue	" 9,000
52	Tangarakau River (clearing) to account	" 500
		11,500
<i>Wellington—</i>		
53	Taumarunui—Ohakune	West Taupo and Wanganui 1,000
54	Rotoaira—Waimarino	East Taupo, Wanganui 100
55	Taurewa—Okahukura	Wanganui 300
56	Okahukura 8m	" 200
57	Raetihi—Parapara	" 500
58	Wanganui River Trust	" 2,000
59	Mangawhero—Murimotu	" 200
60	Ruanui 2A and 3A	Wanganui, Rangitikei, Kiwitea 200
61	Rangiwaea	Rangitikei 500
		5,000
<i>General—</i>		
62	Miscellaneous roads and bridges in Native districts	1,400
63	To new purchases	1,000
		2,400
TOTAL—VOTE No. 120		163,976

TOTAL NATIVE LANDS PURCHASE ACCOUNT £163,976

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