

SESSION II.
1906.
NEW ZEALAND.

APPLICATIONS MADE BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES FOR LOANS

UNDER "THE LOCAL BODIES' LOANS ACT, 1901," "THE LOCAL BODIES' LOANS AMENDMENT ACT, 1902," AND
"THE LOCAL BODIES' LOANS AMENDMENT ACT, 1903," FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH
1906 (ANNUAL RETURN OF).

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly in pursuance of Section 99 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

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 THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1906.

Local Authority.	Amount applied for.	Provisionally granted or refused.	Result of Poll or Petition.	Advances.		Purpose of Loan.	Remarks.
				New Loans.	Loans of Previous Years.		
COUNTY COUNCILS.							
Akitio ..	£ 500	P.G.	No poll required	£ ..	£ ..	Metalling the Waihi-Akitio Road..	Under section 14 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901." Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,800	Metalling portion of the Huia Road.	
Bruce ..	300	G.	No poll required	300	..	Constructing drainage-works in the Inch-Clutha Subdivision	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	400	G.	Ditto	400	..	Erecting protective works on the south side of the Waipori River	Ditto.
" ..	..	..	..	..	350	Repairing flood damages in the Kaitangata Riding.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	100	Metalling roads in Tokomairiro Riding.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	250	Extending the Lakes Drainage District.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	350	Metalling Main Centre Road, Inch-Clutha Subdivision.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	400	Extending and improving Matau drainage-works.	
Buller ..	3,000	R.	..	..	..	Paying off existing loans ..	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
Clifton ..	500	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Forming the Mataro Road ..	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	2,001	P.G.	..	..	..	Continuing metalling on the Junction Road, from Purangi to Matau	Uncompleted.
" ..	150	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Metalling the Mimi-Mokau Road..	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	900	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Metalling portion of the Wiri-Otaraoa Road	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	150	Constructing Okeke Road.	
Clutha ..	3,500	G.	Carried	1,500	..	Metalling roads within Richardson Riding.	
Cook ..	250	G.	No poll required	250	..	Erecting the Tolago Bay cart-bridge ..	Under section 68 of the Act.
" ..	100	G.	Ditto	100	..	Completing bridge across Uawa River at Tolago Bay	Ditto.
" ..	100	P.G.	Completing the construction of Wharekopa Road	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Carried forward	11,701	2,550	3,400		

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COUNTY COUNCILS—<i>continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 11,701	£ 2,550	£ 3,400		
Cook ..	1,500	G.	Carried	Reconstructing a bridge across Waipaoa River	Under sections 77 and 78 of the Act.
" ..	3,000	G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing a dray-road from the Mangamaia Road to Section 16, Mangatu No. 1	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	..	..	..	..	250	Metalling part of Mangatu Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	700	Erecting a cart-bridge across the Wharekopae River.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	600	Purchasing land and constructing a road through Puhatikotiko Block.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	800	Metalling part of Mangatu Main Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Erecting a cart-bridge across Mangatu River.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,500	Reconstructing a bridge across Waipaoa River.	
Eketahuna ..	100	G.	No poll required	100	..	Constructing the Hamua-Rongomai-Makakahi Road	Under section 68 of the Act.
" ..	..	..	..	..	110	Erecting a traffic-bridge over the Mangahao River at Marima.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	250	Constructing the Hamua-Rongomai-Makakahi Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	350	Improving roads in Parkville Township.	
Featherston ..	1,000	G.	No poll required	1,000	..	Metalling Pahaoa Hill	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	2,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Constructing roads and footpaths in the Martinborough Town District	Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Providing a water-supply for the Town of Featherston.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	800	Metalling the Ponatahi and Riverside Roads, and erecting a bridge over the Huangarua River.	
Grey ..	2,000	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Providing the Council's proportion of the cost of reconstructing the Teremakau bridge	Under section 113 of "The Public Works Act, 1894." Uncompleted.
Hawera ..	1,000	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Forming the legalised deviation of the Mataimaroke Road	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	650	G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing portion of Hunter Road ..	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	850	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Defraying Mangatoki Riding's share of cost of rebuilding several bridges	Uncompleted.
" ..	1,050	P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing Kapuni and Waingongoro Bridges, and metalling portion of Ahai-paipa Road	"
" ..	125	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing McAlpine's Road ..	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	150	Constructing Rainie Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	850	Defraying Mangatoki Riding's share of cost of rebuilding several bridges.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	500	Metalling portion of Duthie Road.	
Hobson ..	..	..	..	..	150	Constructing portion of Ringrose Road.	
Horowhenua ..	1,500	G.	No poll required	750	..	Constructing water-races in the Hautere Water-race District	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	750	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing Nikau, Pukatea, Toitoti, Matipo, and Manuka Streets	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	2,500	P.G.	..	..	..	Widening the Tokomaru Valley Road ..	Ditto.
" ..	..	..	..	..	500	Constructing Kara Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	50	Acquiring land and constructing Shannon-Buckley Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	800	Acquiring land and constructing Shannon-Buckley Road.	
Kairanga ..	150	G.	No poll required	..	..	Protecting the bank of the Manawatu River in Sections 226 and 227, Block XI, Kairanga Survey District	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	250	G.	Ditto	100	..	Protecting the bank of the Manawatu River in Section 233, Block XII, Kairanga Survey District	Ditto.
" ..	1,200	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Erecting two bridges on the Mangaone Stream	Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	150	Cleaning and clearing out Stoney Creek Stream.	
Kiwitea ..	55	G.	No poll required	55	..	Regrading Waituna Hill Road	Under section 68 of the Act.
Carried forward	31,381	4,555	13,910		

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<i>COUNTY COUNCILS—continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 31,381	£ 4,555	£ 13,910		
Kiwitea ..	457	G.	No poll required	457	..	Completing the trimming and metalling of northern line and one mile of Mangapipi Road	Under section 14 of the Act.
..	1,148	G.	Ditto	1,148	..	Trimming and metalling portion of Kiwitea-Tapuae Road	Ditto.
..	600	G.	..	600	..	Constructing and bridging McBeth's Road..	..
..	650	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Constructing the unmetalled roads in Kimbolton Township	Uncompleted.
..	900	P.G.	..	..	..	Providing three-quarters of the cost of constructing Coulter's Line	..
..	..	..	..	..	82	Constructing Lagoon and Kelpie Roads.	..
..	..	..	..	..	600	Completing the formation of Mangarere Road.	..
..	..	..	..	..	172	Constructing Peka Road.	..
..	..	..	..	..	100	Constructing Mangarere Bridge.	..
..	..	..	..	..	187	Erecting traffic-bridge over Rangitikei River on Mangare Road.	..
..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Providing half-cost of trimming and metalling Mangamako Road.	..
Mackenzie ..	2,500	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Erecting bridges over the Opihi and Tenga-wai Rivers, and rebuilding a portion of the Tekapo River Bridge	Uncompleted.
Manawatu ..	400	G.	No poll required	400	..	Providing half-cost of constructing Milner's Line, and cost of constructing Taikorea, Kellow's, and Pyke's Roads	Under section 68 of the Act.
..	250	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Purchasing land and constructing a road thereon leading to the Shannon Ferry	Under section 14 of the Act. Un-completed.
..	..	..	..	..	500	Providing half-cost of constructing Milner's Line, and cost of constructing Taikorea, Kellow's, and Pyke's Roads.	..
..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Providing half-cost of constructing Milner's Line, and cost of constructing Jones', Tompkins' and other roads.	..
Masterton ..	2,750	G.	No poll required	1,000	..	Constructing a bridge and about three miles and a half of formation on the Masterton-East Coast Road	Under section 14 of the Act.
..	250	P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing a bridge over Taueru River on the Alfredton-Tinui Road	Uncompleted.
..	2,500	P.G.	Rejected	..	..	Constructing head works and distributing races for supplying the Opaki Plain with water from the Ruamahanga River.	..
..	3,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Constructing a high-pressure water-supply for the suburb of Lansdowne.	Uncompleted.
..	450	G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing a bridge over Taueru River on Wilton's Road	Under section 14 of the Act.
..	300	G.	Ditto	..	..	Metalling on the Wangaehu Road	Ditto.
..	300	G.	..	..	..	Metalling roads in the Oaks Estate	..
..	1,000	G.	..	..	..	Metalling on the Wangaehu Road	..
..	450	G.	..	..	..	Metalling on the Mount Baker Road	..
..	..	..	..	..	800	Forming the Mangarai Road.	..
..	..	..	..	..	100	Forming and gravelling a footpath on the eastern side of the Masterton-Waimata Road.	..
..	..	..	..	..	100	Metalling the Te Ore Ore Estate Road.	..
..	..	..	..	..	300	Constructing a public road running parallel with the Ruamahanga River.	..
Mauriceville ..	..	..	..	..	150	Metalling Mount Bruce Road.	..
Ohinemuri ..	1,700	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing a bridge over Waihou River at Mangaiti, including the approaches thereto; and also a road through Nguntumanga Block to Waitoa Stream	Under section 14 of the Act. Un-completed.
Opotiki ..	2,000	G.	Carried	1,000	..	Extending the existing bridge across the Waioeka River.	..
..	4,000	R.	..	..	..	Forming roads in the county	Declined.
Oroua ..	5,450	£2,000 P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing roads in the Hiwinui and Otangaki Ridings	Only portion of loan approved. Un-completed.
Otamatea ..	4,620	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Constructing roads in the Wairau, Whakapirau, and Paparua Ridings, and the Road District of Matakoho	Uncompleted.
Pahiatua ..	250	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Erecting a traffic-bridge over the Mangatainoka River on Pukewhai Road	Under section 14 of the Act. Un-completed.
..	50	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Metalling portion of Ballance-Gorge Road..	Ditto.
..	..	..	..	..	810	Erecting a traffic-bridge over the Mangahao River at Marima	..
..	110	Forming and metalling Bourke's Road.	..
Carried forward	67,356	9,160	19,921		

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COUNTY COUNCILS—<i>continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 67,356	£ 9,160	£ 19,921		
Pohangina ..	1,400	G.	No poll required	1,400	..	Defraying Council's share of constructing a bridge over the Pohangina River at a point known as the Ferry Ford	Under section 113 of "The Public Works Act, 1894."
" ..	250	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing a bridge over the Opawe Creek	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	650	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Constructing river-protection works at a point known as Ferry Road	Uncompleted.
" ..	200	P.G.	"	..	..	Constructing river-protection works at a point known as Holly's Hill	"
" ..	200	P.G.	"	..	..	Extending the river-protection works at a point known as Ferry Road	"
Raglan ..	400	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing portions of Tuakau-Raglan Road	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	8,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Forming and completing the metalling on the Ngaruawahia-Waimai Road, and the Waingaro Beach Road	For two successive years' expenditure. Uncompleted.
" ..	900	P.G.	..	..	..	Forming and metalling roads in the Harapepe district	Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,200	Erecting Oporoto Bridge, and forming portion of Ruapuke-Mountain Road.	
" ..	..	..	..	..	1,000	Forming and metalling roads at Te Mata.	
Rangitikei ..	1,200	G.	No poll required	1,200	..	Gravelling portions of the Wairano and Puhirua Roads	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	1,500	G.	Ditto	830	..	Forming and culverting portions of the Moawhanga Valley Road, and metalling portion of Hiwera Road	Ditto.
" ..	1,200	G.	"	1,200	..	Culverting and gravelling portion of the Papakai Road	"
" ..	500	G.	"	500	..	Trimming and gravelling portion of the Makohine Village-settlement Road	"
" ..	120	G.	"	120	..	Constructing roads in the Otaihape Improved-farm Settlement	Under section 68 of the Act.
" ..	300	G.	"	300	..	Providing balance of Council's share of cost of constructing a cart-bridge over the Rangitikei River at Mangarere	Under section 113 of "The Public Works Act, 1894."
" ..	850	G.	"	850	..	Metalling Heaton Park and Turakina Native Reserve roads, and erecting a bridge over the Makirikiri Stream	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	1,500	P.G.	"	..	..	Forming and culverting portion of the Tutupapa Road	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	500	G.	"	500	..	Metalling portion of the Moawhanga Valley Road	Under section 14 of the Act.
" ..	100	P.G.	"	..	..	Acquiring, fencing, and forming a road from Scott's Ferry to the sea-beach, near the mouth of the Rangitikei River	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	300	R.	..	..	..	Metalling the Wangaehu Native Reserve Road	Declined.
" ..	50	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Metalling road giving access to Prime and Mist's sections	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	500	P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing footpaths and drainage-works in the Town of Mangaweka	Uncompleted.
" ..	..	..	..	..	500	Providing a portion of Council's share of cost of constructing a cart-bridge over the Rangitikei River at Mangarere.	
Selwyn ..	..	..	..	..	1,750	Dredging the River Halswell.	
Stratford ..	50	G.	No poll required	50	..	Constructing a portion of the Mangaehu Road	Under section 68 of the Act.
" ..	2,000	G.	Carried	2,000	..	Reforming and metalling the Bird Road from the Mountain Road to the Skinner Road.	
" ..	240	G.	No poll required	228	..	Metalling portions of Bird, Robson, and Waihapu Roads	Under section 68 of the Act.
" ..	1,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Renewing a bridge over the Waingongoro River, on the Stratford-Opunake Road	Under sections 77 and 78 of the Act. Uncompleted.
" ..	1,200	R.	..	..	..	Reforming and metalling Gordon Road ..	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
" ..	350	P.G.	Carried	Replacing a bridge over the Mangatoki River, on the Stratford-Opunake Road	Under sections 77 and 78 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Carried forward	92,816	18,338	24,371		

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COUNTY COUNCILS—<i>continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 92,816	£ 18,338	£ 24,371		
Stratford	2,100	P.G.	No poll required	Metalling portions of the Makahu, Mangaehu, Kirai, and other roads	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	1,500	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Forming portions of the Mangaehu and Mangarewa Roads	Ditto.
"	900	R.	..	..	..	Metalling portions of the Kohuratahi Road..	Declined.
"	..	..	..	..	2,050	Metalling portions of Bird, Robson, and Waihapa Roads.	
"	..	..	..	..	1,072	Constructing Mangaotuku and other roads.	
"	..	..	..	..	600	Metalling portion of the Marco Road.	
Taieri	50	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Metalling roads leading to main road in Maungatua Survey District	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	500	Ditto.	
"	..	..	..	..	577	Constructing various roads.	
Taranaki	2,000	G.	Carried	2,000	..	Rebuilding Tapuae and Oakura Bridges ..	Under sections 77 and 78 of the Act.
"	1,000	G.	..	..	..	Rebuilding Manganui Bridge, on the Tariki Road	Ditto.
"	..	..	..	..	2,000	Rebuilding bridges over the Waiongona, Werekino, and Waipuka Rivers.	
Tauranga	3,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Rebuilding various bridges and wharves in the county	Uncompleted.
Waikato	1,500	G.	..	..	..	Erecting suspension footbridge across the Waikato River.	
Waimarino	195	G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing a road from end of present metal to the junction of the Koporutuku, Rangataua, and Rata Maire Roads	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	..	..	..	..	175	Completing the Mill Road.	
Waimea	600	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Erecting a suspension-bridge over the Motueka River	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Waipa	1,200	R.	..	..	..	Providing Council's contribution towards the erection of Cambridge High-level Bridge	Declined.
"	..	..	..	..	1,000	Metalling portions of Kihikihi-Te Awamutu Road.	
Waipawa	100	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing water-races in the Forest Gate Estate Water-race District	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	1,400	G.	Ditto	1,400	..	Constructing portion of Te Uri Road ..	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	1,000	G.	..	..	..	Constructing water-races in the Argyll Water-race District	Ditto.
"	..	..	..	..	2,100	Forming, bridging, and metalling the Manga-puaka and Cross Roads.	
"	..	..	..	..	150	Constructing Mangahe-Pukokomuka Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	215	Constructing Pukokomuka Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	1,300	Constructing Waikopiro Main Road.	
Wairarapa South	700	G.	No poll required	100	..	Reforming and metalling Norfolk Road in the Belvedere Riding	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	600	P.G.	Rejected	..	..	Widening the formation of and metalling Dalefield Road.	
"	594	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Erecting a suspension-bridge over the Ruamahanga River at Waihakeke	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Wairoa	..	..	..	..	650	Forming a road from Napier-Wairoa Road to Kakariki Mohaka Survey District.	
"	..	..	..	..	2,250	Constructing various roads in the county.	
Waitaki	..	..	..	..	129	Constructing Papakaio water-supply works.	
Waitemata	6,000	R.	..	..	..	Constructing Northcote water-supply works	Declined.
Waitotara	250	G.	No poll required	250	..	Erecting two bridges on the Pukerimu Road, at Okehu, across the Okehu Stream	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	200	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Forming, grading, and metalling 128 chains of Kaikokopu Road	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	1,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing and metalling 88 chains of road at Gonville	Ditto.
Wanganui	98	P.G.	No poll required	Completing the road to connect Okoia with Mataraua	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Carried forward	118,803	22,088	39,139		

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COUNTY COUNCILS—<i>continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 118,803	£ 22,088	£ 39,139		
Weber	5,530	Making roads in the county.	
Whakatane	230	G.	No poll required	230	..	Constructing various roads in the county ..	Under section 68 of the Act.
Whangarei	4,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling main county roads	Uncompleted.
Woodville	60	G.	No poll required	60	..	Constructing England's Hill deviation, and erecting a bridge over the Kiritaki Stream	Under section 68 of the Act.
ROAD BOARDS.							
Akaroa and Wainui	£ ..	..	..	£ ..	£ 2,500	Metalling various roads.	
Arai ..	..	..	..	..	690	Metalling cuttings on the Arai Road, from Reay Bridge upwards to Tokonui.	
Barrett	..	..	..	..	1,000	Forming Devon Road extension.	
Eden Terrace	400	G.	No poll required	400	..	Constructing Greenwood Street	Under section 14 of the Act.
Egmont	500	G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing portions of Smart and Dorset Roads	Ditto.
"	500	G.	"	..	..	Constructing portions of Queen and Albert Roads	"
Frankley	50	G.	No poll required	50	..	Regrading and metalling a road leading to Frankleigh Park	Under section 68 of the Act.
"	..	..	..	..	500	Ditto.	
Hangaroa	600	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Forming the Gisborne-Hangaroa Road ..	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	600	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing two bridges on the Gisborne-Hangaroa Road	Ditto.
Heathcote	..	..	..	..	900	Constructing works in Bromley Ward.	
Manganui	1,000	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Metalling Pembroke Road	"
"	400	P.G.	..	..	..	Forming, grading, and metalling Salisbury Road	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	200	Metalling Stanley Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	60	Grading and metalling Croydon Road East.	
"	..	..	..	..	1,500	Constructing and grading portion of Croydon Road.	
Mangawhero	200	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Providing Board's share of cost of making Shakespeare Cliff Road	Under section 113 of "The Public Works Act, 1894." Uncompleted.
Mangorei	500	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing road through part of Section 775, Mangorei Road District, and part of Section 791, Carrington Road District	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Mataongaonga	..	..	..	..	800	Acquiring land for a road to connect Morgan Street with No. 3 line of road, and for various other works.	
Moa ..	300	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing and deviating the Lepper Road through Section 100, Block IV, Egmont Survey District	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	600	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Constructing portion of Egmont Road North	Ditto.
"	250	P.G.	"	..	..	Constructing portion of Bedford Road North	"
"	1,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Constructing Surrey Road from the Mountain Road westwards	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	800	Constructing portion of the Mangaone Road.	
Okato	700	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Rebuilding a bridge on Oxford Road, and continuing the metalling on Oxford and Saunders' Roads	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Pakuranga	1,000	R.	..	..	..	Metalling the main road from Panmure to Howick	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
Papakura	..	..	..	..	363	Metalling Brookby end of the district.	
Parihaka	..	..	..	..	724	Draining, culverting, and forming Ngariki Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	700	Constructing Opua Road No. 3.	
"	..	..	..	..	300	Constructing Opourapa Road.	
Porangahau	227	G.	No poll required	227	..	Constructing Porangahau River Bridge ..	Under section 68 of the Act.
"	..	..	..	..	500	Constructing Porangahau River Bridge.	
Pukekura	3,000	R.	..	..	..	Providing Board's share of cost of erecting Cambridge High-level Bridge	Declined.
Riccarton	980	G.	No poll required	200	..	Constructing concrete channels on roads on and bounding Rural Section No. 10	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	960	G.	Ditto	200	..	Constructing concrete channels on roads on and bounding Rural Section No. 163	Ditto.
Carried forward	136,860	23,455	56,206		

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ROAD BOARDS—<i>continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 136,860			£ 23,455	£ 56,206		
Te Horo	348	P.G.	Carried	Constructing Waihoanga Bridge	Uncompleted.
Turanga	1,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling main road between Paparoa and Maraetai boundaries	"
Upper Wangaehu	4,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Forming dray-roads and erecting bridges in the Rangiwaea Block	"
Waikohu	5,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Erecting a bridge across the Waipaoa River at the Kanaekanae Crossing	For two successive years' expenditure. Uncompleted.
Waimate	170	G.	No poll required	170	..	Metalling portion of Mangawhero Road ..	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	350	P.G.	..	..	..	Providing portion of cost of erecting a bridge over Kapuni Stream, on Skeet Road	Uncompleted.
"	600	P.G.	..	..	..	Metalling the Taikatu Road within the Southern Subdivision	Uncompleted.
"	15	R.	..	..	..	Metalling Kuri Street, Kaponga Village-settlement	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
"	..	..	..	..	350	Constructing the Lower Manaia Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	150	Metalling Kuri Street, Kaponga Village-settlement.	
Waipipi	700	P.G.	Carried	..	..	119 Constructing Upper Glenn Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	..	Metalling portions of Waiuku-Karioitahi and Lamb Hill Roads, and portions of Kent and Kirk Streets	Uncompleted.
Waitara West	100	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	300 Metalling portions of the Main Waipipi Road and Lamb Hill Road.	
"	700	P.G.	Ditto	..	..	Rebuilding a bridge over the Kurapiti Stream, on the Everett Road	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Waitotara-Momohaki	500	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	400 Constructing the Waitara Road.	Ditto.
Waiuku	..	..	..	..	..	Constructing Wortley Road.	
Waiwakaiho	450	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	600 Metalling the Valley Road	"
"	..	..	..	..	..	Metalling portion of the main Waiuku-Drury Road	"
Whangamarino	..	..	..	..	..	400 Metalling the Lepper-Carrington Road ..	"
"	..	..	..	..	..	Constructing a road from Egmont Road to Alfred Road.	
"	..	..	..	..	1,200	Metalling portion of a road from Waerenga Settlement to Wairangi Station.	
BOROUGH COUNCILS.							
Akaroa	..	..	..	..	..	1,200 Constructing drainage-works.	
Carterton	..	..	..	..	..	3,500 Constructing drainage-works.	
"	..	..	..	..	..	1,000 Constructing high - pressure water - supply works	
"	..	..	..	..	..	750 Constructing open water-races.	
Feilding	1,323	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	2,000 Constructing drainage-works.	
"	2,000	R.	..	..	..	Completing the sewerage-works	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	1,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Completing the sewerage-works	Declined.
Foxton	..	..	..	..	..	6,736 Constructing sewerage-works for the Borough.	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	..	300 Completing the construction of roads and streets.	
Gisborne	400	G.	No poll required	400	..	Completing abattoirs	Under section 68 of the Act.
"	..	..	..	..	..	1,500 Establishing abattoirs.	
Greymouth	5,000	G.	No poll required	500	..	Establishing abattoirs	Under "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900."
Hamilton	..	..	..	..	..	1,000 Constructing drainage-works.	
Hokitika	10,000	R.	..	..	..	Constructing drainage and water-supply works	Declined.
"	5,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing drainage and water-supply works	Uncompleted.
Kaitangata	..	..	..	..	..	500 Forming streets in the Borough.	
Lower Hutt	..	..	..	..	..	1,500 Constructing drainage-works.	
Marion	6,000	R.	..	..	..	Constructing drainage-works	Declined.
New Plymouth	..	..	..	..	..	600 Completing the abattoirs.	
Oamaru	4,000	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Erecting a town hall	Under "The Oamaru Borough Council Loan Act, 1905."
Carride forward	185,516	..	..	24,525	80,311		Uncompleted.

LIST OF APPLICATIONS AND ADVANCES—*continued.*

Local Authority.	Amount applied for.	Provisionally granted or refused.	Result of Poll or Petition.	Advances.		Purpose of Loan.	Remarks.
				New Loans.	Loans of Previous Years.		
BOROUGH COUNCILS—<i>continued.</i>							
Brought forward	£ 185,516	..	..	£ 24,525	£ 80,311		
Pahiatua ..	1,200	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing drainage and water-supply works	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	3,600	Constructing drainage-works.	Declined.
Palmerston North ..	10,000	R.	..	..	..	Constructing drainage-works	Under section 68 of the Act. Uncompleted.
Petone ..	2,350	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing high - pressure water - supply works	Completed.
"	2,500	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Completing a sanitary depot	Uncompleted.
"	..	..	..	..	500	Constructing high - pressure water - supply works.	
"	..	..	..	..	100	Extending the drainage system.	
Ross ..	200	G.	No poll required	200	..	Completing the waterworks	Under section 68 of the Act.
Stratford	180	G.	Ditto	180	..	Constructing drainage-works	Ditto.
Sumner ..	8,000	R.	..	..	..	Forming and channelling streets, and extending waterworks	Declined.
"	2,000	R.	..	..	..	Forming and channelling streets	"
Waihi ..	6,000	R.	..	..	..	Completing and extending the waterworks ..	"
"	2,000	R.	..	..	..	Erecting abattoirs	"
"	4,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Completing and extending the waterworks ..	For two successive years' expenditure. Uncompleted.
West Harbour ..	2,000	P.G.	..	..	..	Constructing kerbed channels	Uncompleted.
Westport ..	500	G.	No poll required	500	..	Completing the abattoir	Under section 68 of the Act.
Woodville ..	1,400	P.G.	Rejected	..	..	Extending the water-supply to the western portion of the Borough.	
TOWN BOARDS.							
Bulls ..	£ ..	..	..	£ ..	£ 300	Completing construction of a bridge over the Rangitikei River at Bulls.	
Otautau ..	600	G.	Carried	200	..	Carrying out street improvements ..	For three years' expenditure.
RIVER BOARD.							
Hutt ..	£ ..	..	..	£ ..	£ 5,000	Constructing river protective works.	
LAND DRAINAGE BOARDS.							
Berwick	£ ..	..	..	£ ..	£ 200	Constructing river protective works.	
Eltham ..	600	G.	No poll required	300	..	Constructing drains and watercourses, &c. (No. 3)	Under section 14 of the Act.
"	500	G.	Ditto	200	..	Constructing drains and watercourses, &c. (No. 4)	Ditto.
"	700	G.	"	200	..	Constructing drains and watercourses, &c. (No. 5)	"
Fencourt ..	900	P.G.	..	..	..	Completing the drainage of the Fencourt Estate	Uncompleted.
Maungatua ..	400	R.	..	..	..	Paying off an existing overdraft, and completing the new drainage-works and repairing damage done by floods	Not in compliance with terms of the Act.
"	100	G.	No poll required	100	..	Completing the new drainage-works and repairing damage done by flood	Under section 41 of "The Land Drainage Act, 1904."
"	..	..	..	..	500	Constructing drainage-works.	
Te Rapa ..	657	P.G.	Carried	..	..	Cutting drains in the district	Uncompleted.
Wainono ..	400	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Repairing damage done by floods	Under section 41 of "The Land Drainage Act, 1904." Uncompleted.
West Taieri ..	150	G.	Carried	150	..	Widening, deepening, and fencing portions of the Duck Creek Canal.	
"	300	P.G.	No poll required	..	..	Constructing drainage-works	Under section 14 of the Act. Uncompleted.
UNDER SECTION 73 OF "THE LOCAL BODIES' LOANS ACT, 1901."							
Hon. Minister of Lands	£ 48,013	..	..	£ 2,150	£ 36,651		
* Totals..	281,166	..	..	28,705	127,162		

* £70,465 has to be deducted from this amount for loans refused.
 Note.—P.G. means provisionally granted; G., granted R., refused.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Cash balance, 1st April, 1905	5,520	15	2			
Money borrowed to make advances to local bodies	151,000	0	0			
				156,520	15	2
Money advanced to local bodies	117,066	7	5			
Money advanced under section 73 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901"	38,801	4	5			
				155,867	11	10
Less refunds by—						
Te Horo Road Board	6	19	4			
Temuka Borough Council	9	15	7			
Whangarei Borough Council	113	13	11			
				130	8	10
				155,737	3	0
Cash balance, 31st March, 1906				£788	12	2

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Outstanding liabilities,—									
Debentures issued under the Government Loans to Local Bodies Acts* ..				2,563,100	0	0			
Under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901"—									
Money promised to local authorities which have complied with the provisions of the Act†	64,264	0	0						
Money liable to be advanced as required when the provisions of the Act are complied with	115,199	0	0						
				179,463	0	0			
Under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891," and section 73 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901"—									
Unpaid balance of loans	93,539	9	7						
Applications for loans for which the necessary steps are not yet completed	43,685	0	0						
				137,224	9	7			
				£2,879,787	9	7			

STATEMENT OF ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Assets,—									
Payments for twenty-six years of 5 per cent. per annum on amount of inscribed debts of local bodies (£22,103†)	28,733	18	0						
Payments for twenty-six years of 4½ per cent. per annum on amount of inscribed debts of local bodies (£1,037,536†)	1,213,917	2	4						
Payments for thirty-two years of 4½ per cent. per annum on amount of inscribed debts of local bodies (£12,886)	18,555	16	9						
Payments for thirty-two years of 4 per cent. per annum on amount of inscribed debts of local bodies (£42,989†)	55,025	18	4						
Payments for forty-one years of 4 per cent. per annum on amount of inscribed debts of local bodies (£67,593)	110,852	10	4						
Payments for forty-one years of 3½ per cent. per annum on amount of inscribed debts of local bodies (£972,007†)	1,394,830	0	10						
	2,821,915	6	7						
Less amount paid in respect of the annual repayments	747,006	6	1						
				2,074,909	0	6			
Inscribed debt under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891"	426,361	17	0						
Less amount refunded on disposal of lands	217,900	1	6						
				208,461	15	6			
Sinking fund created under section 96 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901"				475,155	10	2			
Cash balance, 31st March, 1906				783	12	2			
				£2,759,309	18	4			

JAS. B. HEYWOOD,
Secretary to the Treasury.

The Treasury, 26th June, 1906.

NOTE.—The total amount borrowed up to the 31st March, 1906, was £2,563,100.

The total amount repaid to Public Works Fund up to the 31st March, 1906, was £89,800.

The total amount advanced to local bodies up to the 31st March, 1906, was £2,074,895 17s. 6d.; less refunds, £28,872 6s. 7d.=£2,046,023 10s. 10d.

The total amount advanced under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act Amendment Act, 1891," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," up to the 31st March, 1906, was £426,492 17s.

* £1,421,800 of this amount has been converted into consolidated-stock debentures under "The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884."

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

‡ These amounts represent the debt as inscribed on the 1st February, 1906. They include the inscribed stock exchanged for debentures under "The Roads and Bridges Construction Act, 1882," amounting to £89,878 8s. 9d. (See B.—13, 1891.)

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