New South Wales.



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No. XXXIII.

An Act to authorize the execution of certain Public Works, of a permanent character, by means of Loans secured on the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony. [Assented to, 18th March, 1857.]

HEREAS it is expedient to enable the Government to proceed Preamble. forthwith to the execution of certain Public Works: And whereas by reason of such Works being of a permanent character it is deemed expedient to provide the necessary funds for executing the same by means of Loans secured upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony: Be it therefore enacted, by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :-

1. It shall be lawful for the Governor, with the advice of the Governor and Executive Council, from time to time to raise, by the sale of Debentures, raise sums of money (or otherwise,) secured upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony, secured upon the and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five pounds per centum per enue, bearing interest annum, any sum or sums of money not exceeding in the whole the sum at a rate not exceeding of one hundred and seven thousand seven hundred and seventeen pounds annum, to the extent eighteen shillings and eleven pence sterling, as may be required for the of £107,717 18s. 11d. several purposes hereinafter more particularly expressed, that is to say:—

Towards meeting the expense of connecting the Cities of Sydney and Melbourne by Electric Telegraph... £38,000 0 0 For the Defences of Port Jackson, a further sum of

Towards the erection and maintenance of the Light Houses on the Australian Coast...

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Brought forward	£60,113	18	11
For the formation of a Dock Yard, and the erection of Buildings and Machinery at the Dry Dock,	ia a few San disk San and		
Cockatoo Island	6,000		0
further sum of	2,500		0
at the Sydney Infirmary	5,000	0	0
For the erection of a Court House at East Maitland	3,500		0
For the erection of an Asylum for Destitute Children	5,000	0	0
Moreton Bay District.			
For repairs and additions to the Immigration Depôt,			
Brisbane	2,590	0	0
For the erection of an Immigration Depôt at Mary-			
borough	250	0	0
For removing obstructions to the Navigation of the	1 000	0	0
Rivers Brisbane and Bremer, a further sum of For the construction of the Electric Telegraph,	1,000	0	0
Brisbane	500	0	0
For improving the Navigation of the Bar Entrance of	000		
the River Mary, from the mouth to the Township.	500	0	0
For the construction of a Public Wharf at Mary-			
borough	500	0	0
For the erection of a Custom House Station at the	1 500	0	0
mouth of Moreton Bay For the erection of a Court and Watch House at Mary-	1,500	0	0
borough	1,000	0	0
For the erection of a Court and Watch House at	2,000		
Nanango, Wide Bay	500	0	0
For the erection of a Court and Watch House at			
Tarrome, Wide Bay	500		0
For the erection of a Watch House at Gatton	450		
Towards the erection of an Hospital at Ipswich For the construction of a Bridge at Ipswich	$1,500 \\ 150$	0	0
For the construction of a Bridge at Ipswich For the construction of a Bridge, Western Suburbs,	100	U	U
North Brisbane	500	0	0
For the construction of a Bridge over Lockyer's Creek	1,000	0	0
For the construction of Bridges over other Crossings	. 1,000	0	0
For the construction of a Bridge over Laidley's Creek		0	0
For the repairs of the Roads, Little Liverpool Range	1,064	0	0
For the repair of the Streets at Brisbane	2,000	0	0
For the repair of the Streets at Ipswich For the formation of a Roadway, and the construction	2,000	0	0
of a Tank at Drayton	500	0	0
For the formation of the Road between Brisbane and			
Ipswich	3,000	0	0
For the formation of a Road between Maryborough	400	0	0
and Brisbane	400	0	0
For Road purposes between the Upper Dawson and the Fitz Roy Rivers, Leichhardt District	200	0	0
For the construction of a Bridge over Breakfast Creek	1,500	0	0
For the construction of a Bridge over Norman Creek	1,000	0	0
	£25,604	0	0
to the same			_
£	2107,717	18	11

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2. All sums borrowed under this Act shall be paid to the Treasurer Sums borrowed to be of the said Colony, to be applied to the several purposes for which the paid to the Treasurer same shall have been raised; and the accounts of the sums expended on several purposes for the said Improvements and Public Works, and of the sums borrowed for which the same have been raised. the purposes thereof, shall annually be laid before the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of the Colony, and shall be examinable in the same manner as if the sums so expended, and the sums so raised, had formed part of the current Annual Expenditure and Revenue of the Colony: Provided that in the event of the erection of Moreton Bay into a separate Colony the sums of money hereinbefore authorized to be raised for Public Works in that District shall be chargeable to such new Colony.

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