# THE DEBENTURES, INSCRIBED STOCK, AND TREASURY BILLS ACT (No. 2), 1917-18.

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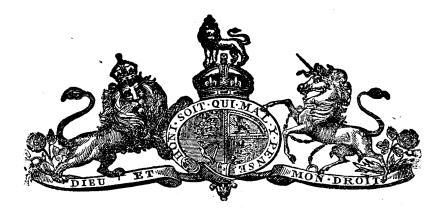
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No. 48.

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AN ACT to authorise the Inscription of Stock 1917 and Issue of Debentures or Treasury Bills for the purpose of borrowing a Sum not exceeding One hundred and five thousand two hundred and forty-seven Pounds Ten Shillings and Eleven Pence.

[21 December, 1917.]

W HEREAS it is desirable that the Treasurer of the State should PREAMBLE be authorised to borrow money not exceeding the sum of One hundred and five thousand two hundred and forty-seven Pounds Ten Shillings and Eleven Pence, at any one time, in the manner hereinafter mentioned:

Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:--

1 This Act may be cited as "The Debentures, Inscribed Stock, and Short title Treasury Bills Act (No. 2), 1917-18."

#### A.D. 1917.

#### Interpretation.

#### 2 In this Act—

- "Commissioners" means the Commissioners of the Public Debts Sinking Fund constituted under "The Public Debts Sinking Fund Act, 1881":
- "Treasurer" means the Treasurer for the time being of this State.

## Treasurer authorised to borrow £105,247 10s. 11d.

Power to reborrow.

- 3—(1) It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to raise, borrow, and receive under the authority of this Act, by the issue and sale of local inscribed stock, inscribed stock, 'debentures or Treasury bills, or all or any of the said means, a total sum not exceeding One hundred and five thousand two hundred and forty-seven Pounds Ten Shillings and Eleven Pence for the purposes mentioned in the schedule hereto.
- (2) Whenever any moneys so borrowed are borrowed for a shorter period than the time limited by Section Seven of this Act, it shall be lawful for the Treasurer, so often as any moneys so borrowed for any such shorter period become repayable, and for the purpose of repaying the same, to again borrow and receive, under the authority of this Act, any sum or sums of money sufficient for that purpose.

#### Money chargeable on revenue.

- Money may be borrowed in accordance with 59 Vict. No. 6, 52 Vict. No. 55, or 55 Vict. No. 2.
- 4 Any sum of money borrowed under the authority of this Act, and all interest at any time due thereon, shall be charged and secured on the Consolidated Revenue.
- 5 Any money authorised by this Act to be borrowed or raised may be borrowed or raised—
  - In the case of local inscribed stock, in the manner provided by "The Local Inscribed Stock Act, 1895": or
  - 11. In the case of inscribed stock in the manner provided by "The Inscribed Stock Act, 1889": or
  - III. In the case of debentures as provided by this Act: or
  - iv. In the case of Treasury bills, by the issue and sale of Treasury bills in accordance with the provisions of "The Treasury Bills Act, 1891"—

or partly in all or any of the said ways, as the Treasurer may determine, as fully in all respects as if the provisions of the said Acts, save so far as is herein provided to the contrary, had been re-enacted in this Act.

#### Rate of interest, and when payable.

6 Every sum borrowed under the authority of this Act shall bear interest at a rate per centum per annum, to be fixed and determined by the Governor, and if borrowed in the manner provided by "The Local Inscribed Stock Act, 1895," such interest shall be payable quarterly on the First day of January, the First day of April, the First day of July, and the First day of October in every year; or if borrowed in the manner provided by "The Inscribed Stock Act, 1889," such interest shall be payable half-yearly on the First day of January and the First day of July in every year; or if borrowed by debentures or Treasury bills, such interest shall be paid half-yearly from the dates upon which such debentures or Treasury bills, as the case may be, are issued.

7 Any money borrowed under the authority of this Act—

I. In accordance with the provisions of "The Local Inscribed Stock Act, 1895," shall be repayable not later than the year One thousand nine hundred and forty-one:

11. In accordance with the provisions of "The Inscribed Stock 52 Vict. No. 55. Act, 1889," shall be repayable not later than the year One

thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine:

III. By debentures, shall be repayable at date to be fixed by the Governor, at the Treasury, Hobart, or at such other place as the Governor may appoint:

IV. By Treasury bills, shall be repayable at the Treasury, Hobart, or at such other places as the Governor may appoint, not

later than Five years from the date of issue.

8 The Treasurer may, by writing under his hand, from time to time Treasurer may dispense with the name of any person from whom any money is dispense with borrowed under this Act being signed in "The Local Inscribed Stock signature of Book," and thereupon the certificate authorised to be issued under "The Local Inscribed Stock Act, 1895," shall be issued to such person.

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money repayable.

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9 Any power of attorney made solely for the purposes of this Act Power of shall not be subject to any stamp duty now or hereafter imposed by attorney made any Act, and it shall not be necessary to register such power of solely for dealing attorney in the office of the Registrar of Deeds, notwithstanding not be stamped or anything to the contrary contained in the Act 24 Victoriæ No. 3.

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10 The provisions of Sections Five to Nine inclusive of the Act Provisions of 41 Victoriæ No. 3 shall be applicable to all debentures under this Act, Sections 5 to 9 of and such sections shall, with any necessary alterations, be deemed to 41 Vict. No. 3 be incorporated with this Act. be incorporated with this Act.

- 11—(1) Out of the Consolidated Revenue there shall and may be paid and payable to the Commissioners the several yearly sums hereinafter mentioned, namely :
  - r. The yearly sum of Two hundred and eighty-seven Pounds Appropriation of for a period of Twenty years from the First day of July, One thousand nine hundred and eighteen, for the purpose of redeeming the sum of Nine thousand Pounds authorised for the renewals of bridges generally, and mentioned in the schedule to this Act:

redeem £9000.

II. The yearly sum of Fifteen Pounds for a period of Twenty Appropriation of years from the First day of July, One thousand nine £15 yearly to hundred and eighteen for the purpose of redeeming the sum of Four hundred and fifty Pounds authorised for Storm Water Channel, West Strahan, and mentioned in the schedule to this Act:

redeem £450.

III. The yearly sum of Ten Pounds for a period of Twenty Appropriation of years from the First day of July, One thousand nine hun- £10 yearly to dred and eighteen, for the purpose of redeeming the redeem £300.

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sum of Three hundred Pounds authorised for the construction of road to Salmon Ponds, and mentioned in the schedule to this Act:

- IV. The yearly sum of Twenty-four Pounds for a period of Ten years from the First day of July. One thousand nine hundred and eighteen, for the purpose of redeeming the sum of Three hundred Pounds authorised for repairs and improvements Wallsend Colliery, and mentioned in the Schedule to this Act:
- v. The yearly sum of Three hundred and forty-eight Pounds, from the First day of July, One thousand nine hundred and eighteen, for the purpose of redeeming the sum of Sixty-nine thousand six hundred and ninety-seven Pounds Ten Shillings and Eleven Pence, authorised for public works mentioned in the schedule to this Act.
- (2) All such yearly sums shall be paid as the Governor by any warrants under his hand orders and directs, and when received by the Commissioners, shall be paid by them into and form part of the Public Debts Sinking Fund, and shall be moneys at the disposal of the Commissioners for the purposes of "The Public Debts Sinking Fund Act, 1881."
- (3) The said Commissioners may invest all or any of the moneys received by them out of the Consolidated Revenue under the provisions of this Act, and the interest or other profit on any such moneys, in such securities as the Governor shall from time to time prescribe as securities in which investments may be made by the Commissioners.

12 The Treasurer of the State, in any case where he borrows from a friendly society or branch thereof, may issue the stock, debentures, or Treasury bills, as the case may be, in the names of the trustees for the time being of the society or branch without actually naming them; and upon the repayment by the Treasurer of any moneys borrowed, the receipt of any Two or more persons purporting to sign as trustees for the time being of the society or branch shall be a full discharge to the Treasurer for all moneys in and by such receipt acknowledged to be repaid, and the Treasurer shall not be bound to enquire whether the persons so signing are actually trustees, or to see to the application, or be answerable for the loss or misapplication of any moneys so repaid.

13 The sum of Four thousand Pounds authorised by law to be set apart out of the Consolidated Revenue for the year ending the Thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and eighteen, for payment into the Sinking Fund formed under "The Marine Board of Strahan Loan Act, 1898," shall be applied by the Treasurer in paying off local inscribed stock falling due in the year One thousand nine hundred and eighteen, as follows:—

Under Act 5 Edw. VII. No. 43...... 4000

#### SCHEDULE. A.D. 1917. s. d. £ £ s. d, For Public Works authorised by "The Public Works Execution Act, 1917" (8 Geo. V. No. For renewal of bridges generally ...... 9000 **4**5() 0 Storm Water Channel—West Strahan ..... 300 O Construction of Road to Salmon Ponds ... For other Public Works ..... 111,229 0 41,531 9 1 Less re-appropriation ... ...... 69,697 10 11 For the purposes of "The State Hydro-Electric Works Execution Act, 1917 (8 Geo. V. No. 38) **23**,500 0 For the purposes of "The Pittwater Estate Road Act, 1917 (8 Geo. V. No. 53) For the purposes of "The Wallsend Colliery 2000 0 0 Tramway Purchase Act, 1916" (7 Geo. V. No. 27)—Repairs and Improvements ........ 300 0 0

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