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## The Auditor-General's Report.

40. The several amounts authorized by and the expenditure to date under this Loan Act are as follows, viz:

School Buildings	\$100,000.00				\$100,000.00
New Poor Asylum	150,000.00	697.30	5,633.75	1,231.05	148,768.95
Lighthouses and Marconi	100,000.00	35,955.52	5,167.47	91,123.01	8,876.99
Dredge	50,000.00	50,000.00			50,000.00
Municipal Council	32,000.00	32,000.00			32,000.00
H. r. Grace public Building	15,000.00	5,888.00	7,775.17	13,663.17	1,336.83
Improvements General Hospital	73,000.00	63,374.38	3,623.43	72,997.81	2.19
	\$520,000.00	\$243,815.20	\$17,199.84	\$261,015.04	\$258,984.96

41. With regard to the foregoing some further explanation is desirable, viz:

**School Buildings.**  
This \$100,000.00 has been raised by Temporary Loan (q.v.) from Bank of Montreal at four per cent. interest, the same as is provided by the Loan Act.

**Lighthouse and Marconi.**  
The balance shown is on account of Marconi installation.

**New Poor Asylum.**  
This expenditure is really on account of new Lunatic Asylum. I have requested the Government to amend this Act so as to make the Loan applicable to the latter institution.

42. The following is a statement of the Conversion Loan, 5th Edward VII.

44. The following is a statement of the Temporary Loan Account:

Loan Act 1911, School Buildings	\$100,000.00				
Loan Act 1912, Lighthouse Construction		\$100,000.00			
			48,480.39		\$51,519.61

45. The explanation relative to the Loan for School Buildings has been already given. The Act of 1912 authorizes the raising of the sum of \$250,000. Of this \$150,000 is for the extension of the telephone system of the Colony. Nothing has been expended on this service. \$100,000 is for the erection of Lighthouses and Fog Alarms. In order to meet immediate requirements for Lighthouse Construction, the amount authorized for this service has been raised by Temporary Loan from the Bank of Montreal at the legal rate of four per cent. None of this Loan has been subscribed.

46. The funded public debt of the Colony was increased by the sum of \$2,093,199.26 during the year 1912-1913, viz:

Under Act 2, Geo. V. Cap. 18, Railway Construction	\$1,946,666.66
Under Act 59 Vic. Cap. V, Carboniferous Street Act	1,782.60
Under Act 1 Geo. V. Cap. 32, Public Service	75,000.00
Under Act 5 Ed. VII. Cap. 1, Conversion of Debentures	69,250.00
	\$2,093,199.26
And reduced under—	
5th Ed. VII. Cap. 1, Conversion of Debentures	63,905.64
9th Ed. VII. Cap. 3, Cancellation of Debentures surrendered by the Savings Bank as payment to the Colony of portion of the Profit and Loss Account of the Bank	50,000.00
	\$113,905.64

Net increase for the year being \$1,980,103.62. Add the balance on 1st July, 1912, \$27,489,956.92. Giving a total of \$29,470,060.54. To this should be added the Temporary Loan from the Bank of Montreal referred to elsewhere in this Report, 200,000.00.

Total, \$29,670,060.54.

47. To arrive at the net Public Debt of the Colony it will be necessary to make certain deductions from this, viz:

Gross Debt—Less—	
Owed the Colony by the St. John's Municipal Council	\$1,425,341.22
Share of the Hr. Grace Water Company by the Government	13,700.00
Paid off by the operation of the sinking fund established under 56th Vic. Cap. 13, as on June 30th, 1913	645,742.61
	\$2,084,783.83
Net Public Debt	\$27,585,276.71

48. The balances to the credit of the Colony at the close of the fiscal year 1912-13, were as follows:

In the Bank of Montreal—	
Surplus Trust Fund	\$9,355.23
Agricultural Bonus	939.69
5th Ed. VII. Cap. 1 (Conversion of Debentures)	349.15
61st Vic. Cap. 10 (Market House)	10,000.00
1st Geo. V. Cap. 32 (Loan Deposit Receipt)	123,484.96
Reserve Fund	500,000.00

Department—  
Marine Works to cover allocations issued the work on which was not completed at the close of the year 616.80

Musgrave Hr. Breakwaters, balance on July 1st, 1912, was \$21,066.29 \$2,000.00 of which was spent in 1912-13 for public wharves District Fog, leaving balance of 66.29

Treasury Department—  
Treasury Cash Notes, viz: Balance July 1st, 1913, \$97,476.80  
Cash received from Departments for purchase of notes 335,110.00  
Notes redeemed and cancelled 306,205.50  
Balance to 1913-1914 126,381.30  
Outstanding Letter of Credit cheques of the several Departments for 1910-11, 1911-12 being provision for payment of same 3,445.14

Public Works Department—  
Departmental Trust for unallocated road grants 978.87  
Cash Notes, for redemption of balance of old issues of cash notes from the Public Works Department still in circulation 4,476.61  
Savings Bank—  
Cash to credit Teachers' Pension Fund 6,616.15

51. The Teachers' Pension Fund established under the Education Act of 1912 at present stands as follows:

Bonds of the Colony in the custody of the Savings Bank	\$60,000.00
Cash to credit of current account in Savings Bank	6,616.15
	\$66,616.15

52. The Old Age Pension Fund amounts to \$200,000.00 in Bonds of the Colony in custody of the Treasury.

53. Copper Coin to the value of \$3,440.00 was, on the 30th of June last held by the Treasury for issue.

54. The Treasury Cash Notes Stock account stood on the 30th June last as follows, viz:

Balance from 1911-12	\$53,750.00
Received from Manufacturers in 1912-13	390,512.50
	\$444,262.50
Issued in 1912-13	387,000.00
Balance to 1913-14	57,262.50

I have checked the stock in hand and found it correct.

55. The Registrar of Life Insurance Companies' securities has been examined by me and compared with the receipt list given by the Bank of Montreal in which Bank these securities are deposited, and I have found the entries correct.

56. In July last I audited the accounts of the Hr. Grace, Carboniferous and Placentia Water Companies. Their accounts were found to be correct. The Hr. Grace Water Company still experiences difficulty in keeping its expenditure within its revenue.

57. I have verified the following stocks as on the 30th June last, viz:

Postal Stamps	\$284,443.54
Inland Revenue Stamps	126,055.20

58. Under the provisions of Section 3 of the Registrar of the Supreme Court (Fund) Act 1913, I have examined the accounts of the Registrar of the Supreme Court and found the same correct. The debentures and other securities to the amount of \$223,459.00 I have checked and found correct. The amount of cash held by the Registrar was \$31,872.71. This also I found to be correct. This cash is deposited in the Newfoundland Savings Bank.

59. I have examined the accounts of the Commissioners of Pilots to date of present Report and have these correct.

60. Under the provisions of Section 3 of the Act respecting Companies operating Marine docks in the Colony, application was made to the Government to pay to the Hr. Grace Marine Dock Company the sum by which the profits of the Company for the year ending June 30th, 1913, proved to be less than five per cent, upon the actual capital of the Company paid up in cash. Acting under the instructions to me set forth in Section 3 of the said Act I examined the accounts, etc., of the Company and found that the sum required to give a dividend of five per cent, amounted to \$213.63. I gave my certificate for this sum and it was paid to the Company from the vote for General Contingencies.

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