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AN ACT to authorise the Loan of Eight hundred Pounds to the Warden, Councillors, and Electors of the Municipality of Kentish in accordance with the provisions of the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, for the purpose of providing for Lighting Portion of the said Municipality by Electricity, and for other purposes.

[18 October, 1926.]

HEREAS the Warden, councillors, and electors of the Muni- Preamble. cipality of Kentish are desirous of providing for the extension of electricity within the Municipality and to carry out the necessary works required in connection therewith, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1924:

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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:—

Division of Act.

1 This Act is divided into four Parts, as follows: -

I.—Preliminary.

II.—Power to Borrow.

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PART I. PRELIMINARY.

Short title and incorporation.

2 This Act may be cited as "The Railton Lighting Act, 1926," and shall be read as part of, and deemed to be incorporated with, the Local Government Act, 1906.

PART II.

POWER TO BORROW.

Power to borrow

3 It shall be lawful for the Council on behalf of the Corporation to raise by way of loan, under the provisions of the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of Eight hundred Pounds, for the purpose of defraying the cost of the works necessary for the distribution of electrical energy in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Amendment Act, 1924.

Sinking fund

4 The amount payable by the Council as an annual contribution towards a sinking fund in respect of any money borrowed under this Act shall be an amount equal to Two Pounds Five Shillings per centum of the moneys so borrowed.

Treasurer authorised to borrow £800.

5 It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to borrow, raise, and receive a total sum of Eight hundred Pounds for the purpose of this Act.

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POLL.

6 Before any money is borrowed under this Act, the Council shall Poll of electors to take a poll of electors in the Railton power area in accordance with the provisions of the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, and a majority of the valid votes polled being in the affirmative shall be deemed to be sufficient for the purpose of this Act. Provided that the poll referred to herein may be taken before or after the passing of this Act.

PART IV. GENERAL.

7 In the event of any portion of money raised under the Sheffield Unexpended Lighting Act, 1926 (16 Geo. V. No. 61), or this Act being unexpended portion of money in the power area for which it was raised, then such amount may be Geo. V. No. 61 expended in any other separate power area defined or to be defined. may be expended Provided that, before any such money is expended as aforesaid in the in any other case of a new power area, a poll shall be taken in such power area, and a majority of the valid votes polled being in the affirmative shall be deemed to be sufficient for the purpose of the said expenditure.