[As reported from the Local Bills Committee, 2nd October, 1900.]

Mr. Buddo.

BOROUGH OF RANGIORA WATER-SUPPLY.

[Local Bill.]

ANALYSIS.

Title. $\mathbf{Preamble}.$ 1. Short Title. 2. Corporation may obtain supply of water from River Ashley or Ngapari Creek without consent of Water supply Board.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to empower the Borough of Rangiora to obtain a Water- Title. supply.

WHEREAS the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough Preumble. 5 of Rangiora are desirous of obtaining a supply of water for the use of the inhabitants of the borough from the River Ashley or from Nga-

Be it therefore enacted by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same,

10 as follows:—

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Borough of Rangiora Short Title.

Water-supply Act, 1900."

2. For the purpose of obtaining a supply of water for the use of Corporation may the inhabitants of the Borough of Rangiora from the River Ashley or 15 from the Ngapari Creek (otherwise known as Wilder's Creek), in the Mandeville and Rangiora Road District, the Corporation of the said borough, or the Council thereof, may, notwithstanding anything to supply Board. the contrary contained in "The Water-supply Act, 1891," or any Acts amending the same, or otherwise, exercise the powers with 20 regard to waterworks and water-supply conferred upon them by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," and any Acts amending the same, without first obtaining the consent of the Waimakariri-Ashley Water-supply Board, or any other Water-supply Board for the time being exercising jurisdiction in the Waimakariri-Ashley 25 Water-supply District:

water from River

New proviso.

Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to Proviso. affect the right of the Waimakariri-Ashley Water-supply Board to obtain its supply of water from the Ashley River at a point higher than the Gorge Bridge.