

[AS REPORTED FROM THE LOCAL BILLS COMMITTEE.]

House of Representatives, 28th October, 1909.

Mr. Luke.

WELLINGTON (CITY) WATER-SUPPLY LOAN-MONEYS DIVERSION.

[LOCAL BILL.]

ANALYSIS.

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2. £17,000, part of moneys borrowed for water-works and of loan of £235,000, to be applicable to purposes not specified in the loan proposals.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to authorise the Wellington City Council to apply certain Title.  
Loan-moneys borrowed for Specific Water-supply Purposes to certain other Water-supply Purposes.

5 WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Preamble.  
Act, 1901, and its amendments, and of all other powers and authorities enabling it in that behalf, the Wellington City Council, being thereto authorised by a poll of the ratepayers of the city taken on the twelfth day of April, nineteen hundred and five, the result  
10 whereof was advertised in the *Gazette* of the first day of June, nineteen hundred and five, at ~~page one thousand three hundred and forty one~~, did borrow the sum of two hundred and thirty-five thousand pounds, one hundred and ninety thousand pounds of which sum was allocated to the following purposes:—Water-supply: Con-  
15 struction of a new storage reservoir at Wainuiomata, with concrete dam and all necessary contingent works; the extension of the existing thirty-inch main from existing dam to the proposed new reservoir; additional reservoir at Karori, and all works necessarily contingent thereupon; the supply of a "Venturi" meter on Karori  
20 main; the construction of filters for both Wainui and Karori; new mains in the Wellington Ward; purchase of Karori catchment-area, and the essential planting thereof. Extension to Brooklyn: Providing the necessary pumping plant, reservoir, rising and delivery mains, and reticulation. Extension to Island Bay: Necessary mains,  
25 reticulation, and services. Extension to Kilbirnie: Necessary mains, reticulation, and services. Extension to Roseneath: Necessary mains, reticulation, and services. Extension to Kelburne: Providing hydraulic rams and building, reservoir, mains, reticulation, and services.—One hundred and ninety thousand pounds: And  
30 whereas, of the *said* sum of one hundred and ninety thousand pounds,

the sum of seventy thousand pounds or thereabouts is unexpended :  
 And whereas the whole of the said works, except the construction of  
 a new dam at Wainuiomata, now in course of construction, and the  
 construction of a filter at Wainuiomata, and of a filter and meter at  
 Karori, are now completed : And whereas it is unnecessary at the  
 present time to construct a filter at Wainuiomata, and the construc- 5  
 tion of the same may be safely postponed for a considerable period :  
 And whereas the cost of completing the construction of the new dam  
 at Wainuiomata and of installing at Karori a new filter and meter  
 will not exceed fifty-three thousand pounds, so that a sum of seven- 10  
 teen thousand pounds of the said loan-money will be available for  
 other works : And whereas it is urgently necessary that the following  
 works *hereinafter mentioned* should be immediately executed in con-  
 nection with the city water-supply, ~~namely~~,—

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| (a.) The extension of the city water-supply to Roseneath heights,<br>at an estimated cost of six thousand five hundred pounds ;   | 15 |
| (b.) The extension of the city water-supply to the heights east<br>and south of Newtown Park, at an estimated cost of five<br>thousand pounds ;   | 20 |
| (c.) The construction of combined pipe and traffic bridges, and<br>approaches thereto, over the Hutt and Waiwetū Rivers,<br>the cost of which to the Corporation will be at least seven<br>thousand five hundred pounds : | 25 |

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

## Short Title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Wellington (City) Water-supply Loan-moneys Diversion Act, 1909.

£17,000, part of moneys borrowed for waterworks and of loan of £235,000, to be applicable to purposes not specified in the loan proposals.

2. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, or any other statute, the Wellington City Council may dispense with the construction of a filter at Wainuiomata, and may apply the loan-moneys, amounting to seventeen thousand pounds, being the portion of the said sum of one hundred and ninety thousand pounds that will not be required for the completion of the works authorised by the poll taken in respect to the said loan, ~~to all or any of~~ *in or towards* the following purposes or any of them :—

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| (a.) The extension of the city water-supply to Roseneath heights, and the construction there of a storage reservoir :                                 | 30 |
| (b.) The extension of the city water-supply to the heights to the east and south of Newtown Park, and the construction there of a storage reservoir : | 40 |
| (c.) The construction of combined pipe and traffic bridges over the Hutt and Waiwetū Rivers, and the necessary approaches thereto.                    | 50 |