determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council : And whereas the Piako County Council has been authorized

to borrow the sum of three thousand pounds for the purpose of metalling Valley and Mount Roads for a term of thirtysix and a half years

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money

eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be amended to twenty years : Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the of three thousand pounds shall be twenty years, and the said Piako Councy Council may borrow the sum of three thousand pounds shall be twenty years, and the said Piako County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand pounds accordingly.

## F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Term for which the Piako County Council may borrow the Sum of £13,159, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of forming and metalling Roads.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 20th day of July, 1925.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments it is activity of the section of the sec A list and its amendments, it is provided that, notwith-standing anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been autho-rized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter autho-rized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of rate-payers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or be or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council : And whereas the Piako County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of thirteen thousand one hundred and fifty

pounds for the purpose of forming and metalling roads for a term of thirty-six and a half years: And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his pre-cedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money

eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be amended to twenty years: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Piako County Council may borrow the said sum of thirteen thousand one hundred and fifty pounds shall be twenty years, and the said Piako County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of thirteen thousand one hundred and fifty pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Auckland Electric-power Board in respect of a Loan of £60,000, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of completing Electric Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this 20th day of July, 1925.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921,

and its amendments, it is provided that, notwith-

standing anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Auckland Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of six hundred thousand pounds for electric works, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of sixty thousand pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of completing the undertaking: And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent

consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding five and three-quarters

nay be borrowed by hot exceeding investigations per centum per annum : Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Auckland Electric-power Board in respect of the said loan of sixty thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Auckland Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of sixty thousand pounds accordingly.

> F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Taumarunui Borough Council in respect of a Loan of \$\$\xi\_23,000\$, being the Balance of a Loan of \$\$\$6,000 authorized to be raised for River-bank Protection-works.

## CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 20th day of July, 1925.

## Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments it is a section to be a section of the s and its amendments, it is provided that, notwithof law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Taumarunui Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand pounds for river-bank protection-works, and is now desirous of raising the sum of three thousand pounds, being the balance of the loan of six thousand pounds : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent

consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate if interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per anum : Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise

the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Taumarunui Borough Council in respect of the said loan of three thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Taumarunui Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Present: