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 Taranaki Electric-power Board had been authorized to borrow the sum of seventy-five thousand pounds

for electric works: 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

it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six 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 Taranaki Electric-power Board in respect of the said loan of seventy-five pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Taranaki Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seventy-five thousand pounds accordingly. accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waipukurau Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £500 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of providing Relief-works for Unemployed.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 30th day of August, 1926.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

THEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided that, notwithstanding 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 Waipukurau Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of five hundred pounds for the purpose of providing relief-works for unemployed

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 rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum:

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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 Waipukurau Borough Council in respect of the said loan of five hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waipukurau Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waitara Borough Council in respect of a Loan of 16,000 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of Tar-grouting the Main Highway through the Borough.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 30th day of August, 1926.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, **VV** and its amendments, it is provided that, notwithstanding 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 Waitara Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand pounds for the purpose of tar-grouting the main highway through the

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 rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six 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 Waitara Borough Council in respect of the said loan of six thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waitara Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of six thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waipa County Council in respect of a Loan of £600 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of completing the Metalling of Roads in the Mangapiko Riding.

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

At the Government House at Wellington, this 30th day of August, 1926.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, MERCHAS 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 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 Waipa County Council has been authorized

to borrow the sum of six thousand pounds for the purpose of metalling roads in the Mangapiko Riding, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of six hundred 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

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 six 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 acting Tomping deth barshy rescribe that they have of of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Waipa County Council in respect of the said loan of six hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waipa County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of six hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Authorizing the Exchange of Settlement Land in the Wellington Land District for other Land.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section seventy-four of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, it is enacted that the Governor-General may from time to time exchange any settlement land for any other land, and may on such exchange pay or receive any sum by way of equality of exchange: