And whereas the Waiapu County Council has been autho-rized to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for constructing a road between Te Araroa and Whangaparoa via Hicks

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent and fourteen, 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 Waiapu County Council in respect of the said sum of five thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waiapu County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five thousand pounds accordingly.

C. A. JEFFERY, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waipara County Council in respect of a Loan of £2,000 authorized to be raised for erecting a Public Hall and Library at Waikari.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of November, 1926. Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, 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 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 or public body 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 Waipara County Council has been autho-rized to borrow the sum of two thousand pounds for erecting a public hall and library at Waikari.

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And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, 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 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 Waipara County Council in respect of the said sum of two thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waipara County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of two thousand pounds accordingly.

C. A. JEFFERY. Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waipawa County Council in respect of a Loan of £15,000, being a Further Portion of a Loan of £15,000 authorized to be raised for the Construction of Main Highways.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of November, 1926.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, it is provided that, 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 or public body 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 Waipawa County Council has been autho-rized to borrow the sum of forty five thousand pounds for the construction of main highways, and is now desirous of raising the sum of fifteen thousand pounds, being a further portion of the loan of forty-five thousand pounds : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent

consent as required by the above-recited section one hundred and fourteen, 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 Waipawa County Council in respect of the said sum of fifteen thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waipawa County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of fifteen thousand pounds accordingly.

C. A. JEFFERY, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Wood-ville County Council in respect of a Loan of £1,700, being a Portion of a Loan of £6,000 authorized to be raised for the Purchase, Construction, and Erection of Plant, Machinery, Appliances, and any Buildings necessary in connection there-with with.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 8th day of November, 1926.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926 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 verses 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 or public body 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 Woodville County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand pounds for the purchase, construction, and erection of plant, machinery, appliances, and any buildings necessary in connection therewith, and is now desirous of raising the sum of one thousand seven hundred pounds, being a portion of the loan of six thousand pounds :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent and fourteen, 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 power and authority vested in him as atoresaid, 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 Woodville County Council in respect of the said sum of one thousand seven hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Woodville County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of one thousand seven hundred pounds accordingly. accordingly.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.