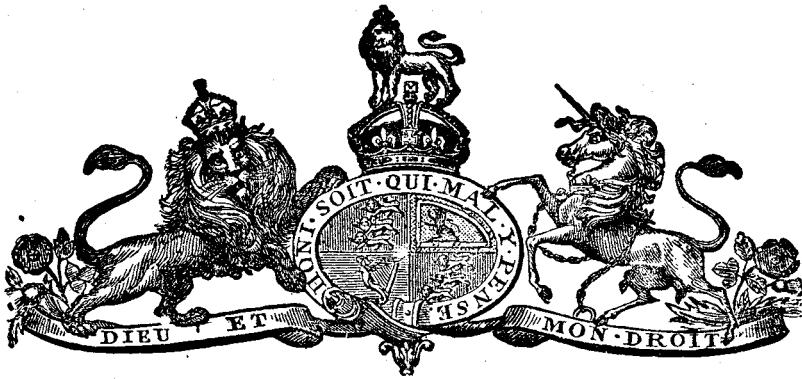


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AN ACT to make further Provision for ^{A.D.} 1908.
 Lighting the *Deloraine* Light District with
 Electricity. [3 December, 1908.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of *Tasmania*, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1 In this Act “the Council” means the Warden and Councillors The Council. and electors of the Municipality of *Deloraine*.

2 This Act may be cited for all purposes as “The *Deloraine* Lighting Short title. Act, 1908.”

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Acts to be read together.

3 This Act and "The *Deloraine* Lighting Act, 1904," save as amended by this Act, shall be read and construed together as one and the same Act.

Power to borrow.

4 It shall be lawful for the Council to borrow as herein provided—

- i. Such sum or sums of money, not exceeding the sum of One thousand Pounds, to complete the present electric lighting scheme and plant constructed and established under the authority and by virtue of the Act of the Parliament of *Tasmania*, 4 *Ed.* VII. No. 35, "The *Deloraine* Lighting Act, 1904:"
- ii. Such sum or sums of money, not exceeding the sum of Five hundred Pounds, to complete the present storage battery :
- iii. Such sum or sums of money, not exceeding the sum of One thousand Pounds, to duplicate the engine and dynamo plant.

Council may borrow not exceeding £2500.

54 Vict. No. 30.

5 It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to grant to the Council, as a loan or loans for carrying out the object and purposes aforesaid, any sum or sums of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Two thousand five hundred Pounds, under and subject to the provisions of "The Local Public Works Loans Act, 1890;" and such sum or sums of money shall be defrayed out of the money to be provided by Parliament for that purpose: Provided that it shall not be necessary to lay before either House of Parliament plans and specifications of any such proposed works, nor the report of the Engineer-in-Chief thereon as provided in Section Two of the last-mentioned Act; but before any part of the said sum of Two thousand five hundred Pounds shall be advanced to the Council, plans and specifications of the proposed works, together with a report by the Engineer-in-Chief upon the necessity of such works, and probable cost thereof, the sufficiency of the plans and specifications, and upon such matters connected with the works as the Engineer-in-Chief may deem it advisable to refer to in the said report, and that the works can be completed for the amount proposed to be borrowed, shall be submitted to and approved by the Governor in Council.

Poll to be taken.

6 The Council shall not proceed in the matter of borrowing any sum of money under the authority of this Act until and after a poll has been taken of the owners and occupiers of property within the light district of *Deloraine* for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Council shall be permitted to proceed in the matter of borrowing such moneys. If at the taking of such poll a less number than Two-thirds of the votes polled shall be in favour of the Council proceeding to borrow any sum of money under this Act, the Council shall not borrow any such money: Provided that in the event of there not being the necessary number of votes recorded at such poll in favour of the Council borrowing such money, the Council may at

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any time after the expiration of Three months cause another poll of such owners and occupiers to be taken, and so from time to time until the necessary number of votes shall be recorded in favour of the Council borrowing the said sum of Two thousand five hundred Pounds ; and if at any such subsequent poll the necessary number of votes is obtained, the Council may proceed to borrow. Provided that an interval of at least Three months shall elapse between each poll taken under the provisions of this Act.

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Subsequent poll
can be taken after
Three months.

7 Subject to the foregoing provisions, upon the taking of any poll as aforesaid all proceedings shall be had and taken as nearly as may be in the same manner as a poll taken upon an election of councillors of a municipality, as the case may require ; and every person who desires to vote shall be entitled to as many votes as the number of votes to which such person appears by the assessment roll to be entitled on the same scale of voting as applies to municipalities ; and the ballot-papers to be used in the taking of every such poll shall be in the form set forth in the schedule to this Act.

Procedure in
case of poll.

8 When the Council shall decide to take a poll of the owners and occupiers as aforesaid, they shall cause an advertisement of such poll to be inserted not less than Three times in a daily newspaper circulating in the district, and in Two consecutive numbers of the *Gazette* ; and such advertisement shall contain the following particulars :—

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published in
newspapers and
Gazette.

- I. The time and place of such poll :
- II. The works proposed to be constructed or performed by the trustees :
- III. The estimated cost of such works.

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SCHEDULE.**BALLOT-PAPER.**

If you are in favour of the proposed loan of One thousand Pounds to complete the present electric lighting scheme and plant, you will strike out the word "No;" and if you are opposed to the proposed loan of One thousand Pounds, you will strike out the word "Yes."

YES.

No.

If you are in favour of the proposed loan of Five hundred Pounds to duplicate the present storage battery, you will strike out the word "No;" and if you are opposed to the proposed loan of Five hundred Pounds, you will strike out the word "Yes."

YES.

No.

If you are in favour of the proposed loan of One thousand Pounds to duplicate the engine and dynamo plant, you will strike out the word "No;" and if you are opposed to the proposed loan of One thousand Pounds, you will strike out the word "Yes."

YES.

No.