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AN ACT to authorise the Loan of Two thou- 1927. sand three hundred Pounds to the Warden. Councillors, and Electors of the Municipality of Kentish in accordance with the provisions of the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, for the purpose of providing for Lighting portion of the said Municipality by Electricity, and for other purposes.

[22 December, 1927.]

W HEREAS the Warden, councillors, and electors of the Munici- Preamble. pality of Kentish are desirous of providing for the extension of electricity within the Municipality and to carry out the necessary works required in connection therewith, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Amendment Act, 1924:

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West Kentish Lighting.

A.D. 1927.

Be it therefore 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:—

Division of Act.

1 This Act is divided into four Parts, as follows:—

PART I.—Preliminary.
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PART I. PRELIMINARY.

Short title and incorporation with 6 Ed. VII. No. 31.

2 This Act may be cited as "The West Kentish Lighting Act, 1927," and shall be read as part of, and deemed to be incorporated with, the Local Government Act, 1906.

PART II. POWER TO BORROW.

Power of Council to borrow.

3 It shall be lawful for the Council, on behalf of the Corporation of the Warden, councillors, and electors of the Municipality of Kentish, to raise by way of loan, under the provisions of the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole the sum of Two thousand three hundred Pounds for the purpose of defraying cost of the works necessary for the distribution of electrical energy in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1924.

Sinking fund.

4 The amount payable by the Council as an annual contribution towards a sinking fund in respect of any money borrowed under this Act shall be an amount equal to Two Pounds Five Shillings per centum of the money so borrowed.

Power of Treasurer to borrow £2300.

5 It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to borrow, raise, and receive a total sum of Two thousand three hundred Pounds for the purpose of this Act.

PART III. POLL.

Poll to be taken borrowing.

6 Before any money is borrowed under this Act, the Council shall by Council before take a poll of electors in the West Kentish Power Area in accordance with the provisions of the State Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1921, and a majority of the valid votes polled being in the affirmative shall be deemed to be sufficient for the purpose of this Act. Provided that the poll referred to herein may be taken before or after the passing of this Act.

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PART IV.

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POWER AREA.

7 The West Kentish Power Area as defined in the Tasmanian Power Area. Government Gazette of the eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, shall be the Power Area within the meaning of this Act. The Power Area may, by notice in the Gazette, from time to time be altered or increased.

8 Where portion only of any farm property is included in the Power Separate assess-Area, it shall be lawful for the Council to make a separate assessment ment of properties of such portion of property for rating purposes in respect of this loan.

in Power Area.