## Wallsend-Buttai Pipe-line Construction.

## Act No. 52, 1906.

PIPE-LINE CONSTRUCTION,

Wallsend-Buttai An Act to sanction the construction of a 20-inch diameter pipe-line from Wallsend to Buttai in connection with the Newcastle and District Water Supply; and for purposes consequent thereon or incidental thereto. [28th December, 1906.

Preamble.

THEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1900, the Legislative Assembly did, by resolution, declare that it was expedient to carry out a certain work, namely, the construction of a twenty-inch diameter pipe-line from Wallsend to Buttai in connection with the Newcastle and District Water Supply: And whereas, on the passing of the said resolution, a statutory duty was by the said Act imposed upon the Secretary for Public Works to introduce a Bill into the said Assembly to sanction the carrying out of the said work: Be it therefore enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Wallsend-Buttai Pipe-line Construction Act, 1906."

Work sanctioned.

2. The carrying out of the said work, more particularly described in the Schedule to this Act, is hereby sanctioned; and the Secretary for Public Works, or the Member of the Executive Council for the time being performing the duties of the said Secretary, is hereby authorised to undertake and carry out the said work, subject to the provisions of this Act, and for that purpose shall be and have the powers and duty of a "Constructing Authority" within the meaning of the Public Works Act, 1900.

Plan of work.

3. The plan of the said work is the plan marked "Hunter River District Water Supply Plan," showing proposed pipe line from Buttai reservoir to Sandgate-road, Brookstown, signed by the Secretary for Public Works, and countersigned by the Chief Engineer for Rivers, Water Supply, and Drainage, and deposited in the public office of the said secretary.

Cost, and how to be defrayed.

**4.** The cost of carrying out the said work, estimated at fiftyeight thousand pounds, may be defrayed from the Public Works Fund,

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Fund, or from such loan votes as are now or may hereafter be applicable to the purpose aforesaid, but shall not under any circumstances exceed the estimated cost by more than ten per centum.

## SCHEDULE.

The construction of a twenty-inch cast-iron main between Buttai Hill and Sandgate-road, Brookstown, about fifty-five thousand seven hundred and fifteen feet in length, with all valves, sluices, and appliances necessary for the conveyance of water between these points, subject to such alterations and modifications as the Constructing Authority may deem desirable.