No. 160.]

BILL.

[1865-2nd Session.,

An Act to legalize certain By-laws and Debentures of the County of Victoria.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the legality of certain By-laws of the Corporation of the County of Victoria authorizing the raising of certain sums of money for purposes therein mentioned, by the issue of Debentures, and as to the validity of the Debentures issued un-5 der and by virtue of such By-laws, and it is necessary and expedient in the interests of the public and the holders of such Debentures, that all such doubts should be removed, and that all the said By-laws and the Debentures issued under them should be legalized and made valid: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the 10 Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, declares and enacts as follows :--

1. For and notwithstanding all such doubts as aforesaid, and any Certain byirregularities in the passing thereof, or in matters preliminary to such laws of the passing, or any inefficiency at law either in form or substance, the fol-County of lowing By-laws of the Corneration of the County of Vietoria

- 15 lowing By-laws of the Corporation of the County of Victoria, namely : declared By-law number two, intituled, "A By-law to raise, by way of loan, valid and the sum of twenty thousand dollars," for purposes therein mentioned; binding, By-law number five, intituled, "A By-law to raise, by way of loan, twenty thousand dollars," for purposes therein mentioned; By-law
- twenty thousand dollars," for purposes therein mentioned; By-law 20 number twelve, intituled, "A By-law to raise, by way of loan, twenty thousand dollars," for purposes therein mentioned; and By-law number twenty-eight, intituled, "A By-law to raise, by way of loan, the sum of sixteen thousand dollars, for certain purposes therein mentioned," are hereby legalized and made valid and binding upon the said Corpora-
- 25 tion and all parties concerned therein; and the same and each of them And also all shall be held to have been good and valid from the time of the passing Debentares thereof, respectively; and all assessments, and levying collecting of issued and rates, and payments made, and all Debentures issued, and proceedings had in virtue and dealings heretofore made and had or hereafter to be made, had or thereof.
- 30 taken under all or any or either of the said By-laws are also hereby legalized and made valid.

2. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.

Public Act.