

[AS REPORTED FROM THE LOCAL BILLS COMMITTEE.]

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Mr. Macpherson.

MANIOTOTO HOSPITAL AND CHARITABLE AID.

[LOCAL BILL.]

ANALYSIS.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend the Hospital and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885. Title.

Struck out.

5 WHEREAS by the Hospital and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), it is enacted that the Central Otago District and the Tuapeka District with the Otago District are together to form a united district for the purposes of the contribution and distribution of charitable aid under the principal Act: And whereas for the purposes of such contribution and distribution of charitable aid the Central Otago District comprises all that area in the colony being the Counties of Vincent and Maniototo, including all boroughs therein: And whereas by the Vincent and Maniototo Hospital Districts Act, 1906, the County of Maniototo, including all boroughs therein, was constituted a separate district for the purposes of the principal Act: And whereas the contributory local authorities of the separate district of Maniototo are desirous that a Charitable Aid Board for the District of Maniototo shall be constituted under the principal Act: Preamble.

20 BE IT ~~therefore~~ ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Maniototo Hospital and Charitable Aid Act, 1907, and shall form part of and be read together with *the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885* (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), and shall come into ~~force~~ operation on the first day of April, nineteen hundred and eight. Short Title.

2. The District of Maniototo as created by the Vincent and Maniototo Hospital Districts Act, 1906, is hereby constituted a hospital district under the principal Act as if it had never formed part of any united district. Creation of new hospital district.

New clause.

2. From and after the coming into operation of this Act the District of Maniototo shall not form part of the united district mentioned in paragraph (8) of section thirty-four of the principal Act.

Dissolution of united district as regards Maniototo.

3. (1.) The *member of the* Board of the *said* united district ~~of Central Otago and Tuapeka District with the Otago District, so far as regards the District of Maniototo, is hereby dissolved, and elected by the Councils of the Maniototo County and the Borough of Naseby shall on the coming into operation of this Act cease to hold office as such member, but otherwise the constitution of the said Board shall not be affected by this Act.~~ 5 10

(1a.) All the assets and liabilities of the Board of the said united district at the time of such ~~dissolution~~ coming into operation shall be apportioned ~~among~~ *between the said united Board and the Board of the Maniototo District and the Board of the remaining districts forming such united district,* in such manner as shall be agreed upon by the said Boards, or, failing agreement, as shall be determined by such person as the Governor may appoint for the purpose. 15

(2.) Nothing in this section shall affect any moneys or lands specially bequeathed or granted to any institution in any place outside the limits of the Maniototo District, and such moneys or lands so bequeathed shall not be deemed assets of the united Board for the purposes of this section. 20

Struck out.

Election of members of Board.

4. (1.) The first members to form the Maniototo District Board shall be elected by the contributory local authorities within the Maniototo District, or, failing such election, by the Governor. 25

Tenure of office.

(2.) Such members shall hold office until the coming into office of their successors as provided by the principal Act. 30

New clause.

4. The members of the Maniototo Hospital Board in office on the coming into operation of this Act shall be the District Board under this Act, and shall hold office until the coming into office of their successors as provided by the principal Act.