

New Parliament.]

This PUBLIC BILL originated in the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, and having this day passed as now printed is transmitted to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

*House of Representatives,
10th December, 1879.*

Mr. Macandrew.

Otago University Reserves Vesting.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to vest certain Reserves in the University of Otago. Title.

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule to this Act were Preamble.
by the operation of "The Abolition of Provinces Act, 1875,"
and now are vested in Her Majesty the Queen, in trust for the Univer-
sity of Otago: And whereas there is no power under "The Public
Reserves Act, 1877," as amended by "The Public Reserves Act
Amendment Act, 1878," or under any other Act, to convey the same
to or otherwise vest them in the said University of Otago: And
whereas it is desirable that the same should be vested in the said
University of Otago as from the date hereinafter mentioned:

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

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Otago University Reserves Short Title.
Vesting Act, 1879."

2. In the construction of this Act the expression "The Univer- Interpretation.
sity" means the University of Otago established by an Ordinance of
the Superintendent and Provincial Council of the late Province of
Otago, dated the third day of June, one thousand eight hundred and
sixty-nine, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the University of
Otago."

3. The several parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto Reserves vested in
University of Otago.
are and are hereby declared to have been vested in the University as
from the nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and
seventy-nine, and shall be held by the University as from the said date
upon for and subject to the same trusts, objects, and conditions upon
for and subject to which they were immediately before the said nine-
teenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,
held by Her Majesty the Queen.

Certificates of title
may issue.

4. It shall be lawful for the District Land Registrar for the District of Otago to issue to the University certificates of title in respect of such of the said lands as are or may hereafter be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1870," and the Acts amending the same to be passed for like purposes, and to state in any such certificate that the University is seized of an estate in fee-simple of such lands as from the said nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine. 5

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

LAND NOT UNDER "THE LAND TRANSFER ACT, 1870."

1. All that parcel of land known as Barewood, containing 30,000 acres, more or less, and comprised in a grant from the Crown, dated the 18th day of August, 1869, to the Superintendent of the late Province of Otago and his successors, in trust as an endowment for the University, the said grant being registered in the Deeds Registry at Dunedin, Volume xxvii., folio 550, number 21959.

2. All that parcel of land known as Burwood and Mararoa, containing in all 70,000 acres, more or less, and comprised in a grant from the Crown, dated the 18th day of August, 1869, to the said Superintendent and his successors, in trust as before mentioned, the said Crown grant being registered in the said Deeds Registry at Dunedin, volume xxvi., folio 1291, number 21960.

LAND UNDER "THE LAND TRANSFER ACT, 1870."

3. All that parcel of land known as Benmore, containing by estimation 100,000 acres, more or less, and comprised in a grant from the Crown, dated the 15th day of January, 1873, to the said Superintendent and his successors, in trust as before mentioned, the said grant being registered in the District Land Registry of Otago, volume vi., folio 297.