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Hon. Mr. Dick.

PRISONS ACT AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title.

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2. Police-stations may be declared police gaols.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend "The Prisons Act, 1873."

Title.

BE IT 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 Prisons Act Amendment Short Title.

Act, 1881."

2. The Governor may, by Proclamation published in the Gazette, Police stations may 5 declare that such police-stations as he shall name therein shall be police be declared police gaols, and all the provisions of "The Prisons Act, 1873," as to prisons gools. shall apply to such police gaols so far as applicable, save that prisoners whose sentences shall exceed thirty days imprisonment may not be

10 detained therein, except for such period as may elapse before they can be conveyed to a prison; and any constable may be appointed to be the gaoler of any police gaol.

> By Authority : GEORGE DIDSEURY, Government Printer, Wellington .- 1881. No. 100-1.