A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to enable the Governor to acquire land Title. required for the Pencarrow Lighthouse.

WHEREAS by an Order made on the fifth day of September one Preamble. thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven by Thomas Henry Smith Esquire a Judge of the Native Land Court at a sitting of the said Court held in Wellington in the Province of Wellington it was declared

- 5 that Nga Paki te Puni and Henere te Puni both of Pitoone Port Nicholson Aboriginal Natives of New Zealand were entitled in trust for themselves and the other members of the Ngatitawhirikura hapu or branch of the Ngatiawa tribe of Aboriginal Natives of New Zealand to the block of land comprised in the plan marked Pitoone No. II.
- 10 appended to a certain Deed of Arrangement bearing date the thirteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven between Colonel McCleverty a commissioner appointed for that purpose and certain Aboriginal Natives including Aboriginal Natives of the said hapu or branch which block of land is in such deed described as follows
- 15 —A block of unsurveyed land at Parangarahu including two saltwater lakes for eel fishing and both banks of the Wainuiomata to section twenty-five of that district the boundaries being the sea to the west and south the top of the range of hills east of Wainuiomata to the east and a line running from the sections in the Lowry Bay District to the
- 20 Wainuiomata District (excluding the Company's sections) to the crest of the above hills to the north as shown in the plan number two Pitoone and including four thousand seven hundred and four and a half acres and which block of land comprises with other land the piece
- or parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto Subject to the provisions of "The Native Lands Act 1865" and "The Native Lands Act 1866" and subject to a survey of the land comprised within the said block being deposited in the Native Lands Court And whereas a lighthouse and keepers residence and store have 25been erected upon the piece or parcel of land described in the Schedule 30 hereto at the expense of the Government of New Zealand and it is No. 14 -1.

necessary for the safety of vessels entering Port Nicholson that the said piece of land should be reserved for the purpose of such light-house

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

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1. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Pencarrow Lighthouse Act 1868."

2. Subject to the provisions of this Act it shall be lawful for the Governor by Order in Council to be published in the *New Zealand Gazette* to take for the purpose of the Pencarrow Lighthouse and for 10 the keepers residence store and the necessary space adjacent thereto the piece or parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto annexed.

3. Nga Paki te Puni and Henere te Puni both of Pitoone Pa Aboriginal Natives of New Zealand on their title to the said land being completely established by the order and certificate of the Native 15 Lands Court shall be entitled to receive compensation for the said land and stand possessed of the money to be received by of compensation for the same in trust for themselves and the other members of the Ngatitawhirikura hapu or branch of the Ngatiawa tribe of the Aboriginal inhabitants of New Zealand and upon such trust and with 20 such conditions and restrictions as the Governor may think fit to direct.

4. In the event of the said Nga Paki te Puni and Henere te Puni failing to obtain the certificate of the Native Lands Court to the effect aforesaid then the persons who shall by any judgment or certificate of 25 Native Lands Court be found or certified to be the owners shall be entitled to receive such compensation and the said Nga Paki te Puni and Henare te Puni or the survivors of them or such other persons as aforesaid shall for the purposes of this Act and in the construction of such of the provisions of "The Lands Clauses 30 Consolidation Act 1863" as are made applicable to the settlement of the amount of compensation to be paid for such land be deemed and taken to be the owners of the said land.

5. The amount of compensation to be paid shall be settled and determined in the manner provided by "The Lands Clauses Consoli- 35 dation Act 1863" for settling cases of disputed compensation.

6. From and after the publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the Order in Council to be made as aforesaid the piece or parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be inalienable for any estate or interest whatever to any other than the Queen or such person as the 40 Governor may by order direct.

7. In the construction and application of "The Land Clauses Consolidation Act 1863" so far as the same is made applicable to settlement of compensation to be paid for such land the Governor shall be deemed to be the promoter of the undertaking and the said Nga 45 Paki Te Puni and Henere te Puni shall on their obtaining a final certificate of their title as such trustees to the said block of land or in case of their failing to obtain such certificate then the person who shall by the judgment or certificate of the Native Lands Court be found or shown to be the owners of the said block of land and whether upon 50 any trust or otherwise shall be deemed the owners.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land at Parangarahu at and about Pencarrow Head in the Province of Wellington containing 69 acres or thereabouts more or less situate and being part of the Block known as Pitoone No. 2 bounded towards the North and East by a line starting from high water mark and running south 900 links thence S.E. 2498 links thence S.E. $\frac{1}{3}$ S. southerly 1417 links thence in a similar direction in a curved line along the south-western shore of the lake to its outlet 1100 links bounded towards the S.E. by a nearly straight line trending S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 1180 links from the lake outlet and thence bounded towards the south and west in an irregular line returning to the starting point by the sea all rights of roadway along high water margin being reserved.

Short Title.

Governor may take land for the purpose of lighthouse.

Nga Paki te Puni and Henere te Puni when certified entitled to receive compensation.

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- 6. Builders not to erect scaffolding or enclosures for building materials in the streets without permission of local authority.
- 7. Penalty on exposing articles for sale in public streets. Articles may be seized.
- 8. Local authority or justice may depute constable to inspect slaughter-houses &c. and remove filth at occupier's expense if he neglect to do so himself. 9.
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- 10. Carriage and footways to be set out.

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- Penalty on offence tending to personal injury. 11.
- 12. Penalty on persons committing offences on public thoroughfares &c.
- 13. Penalty on persons guilty of wilful destruction of property whether public or private.
- Penalty on cruelty to animals. 14.
- Penalty on drunkards. 15.
- Prostitutes importuning passengers. 16.
- Obscene threatening or abusive language &c. in public. 17
- 18. Selling unwholesome meat.
- 19. Keepers of skittle grounds &c. to register their premises with local authority.
- 20. Penalty on such persons refusing admittance to justice or constable.
- Penalty on keepers of refreshment houses not properly conducting them. 21.
- 22. Sunday to be duly observed and trade on that day prevented.
- 23. Lotteries disallowed.
- 24.Summary jurisdiction given to justices in cases of property being illegally detained.
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SCHEDULES.