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ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title.

- Surplus Revenue Act 1858 repealed.
 9-16ths Gross Customs Revenue to be ap-
- propriated Provincially.
- 4. Such Revenue to be deemed to be Ordinary
- Revenue of each Province. 5 Colonial Treasurer to keep Debtor and
- Creditor account. 6. What Surplus Revenue shall be paid to
 - each Province.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to repeal "The Surplus Revenue Title. Act 1858" and to make other provision in lieu thereof.

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

I. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Provincial Short Title. Ordinary Revenue Act 1865."

II. From and after the 30th day of June 1865 "The Surplus Revenue Act Surplus Revenue Act 1858 " shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

III. From and after the 30th day of June 1865 nine 9-16ths Gross Cussixteenth parts of the gross Revenue arising from all duties to be appropriated Provin-of import and export within each Province shall be appropriated to the service of such Province excepting always the duties levied under "The Gold Duty Act 1858."

IV. The Revenue appropriated to the service of each Such Revenue to be deemed to be Ordin-Province of the Colony under this Act shall be deemed to be the ordinary Revenue of such Province.

V. The Colonial Treasurer shall keep a Debtor and Credi- Colonial Treasurer to tor Account with every Province in manner hereinafter Creditor account. provided that is to say In such Account each Province shall be credited with the Ordinary Revenue appropriated to such Province in accordance with the provisions of this Act Each Province shall be debited in such Account with all such sums as by law are or may be made a special charge against the ordinary Revenue of such Province.

VI. The Surplus Ordinary Revenue payable to each of What Surplus Revenue shall be paid to the several Provinces of the Colony shall be the balance after each Province. deducting the amount so to be debited from the amount so to be credited in respect of each Province as aforesaid and such Surplus Ordinary Revenue shall be paid to the respective Treasurers of each Province to be Appropriated by the respective Provincial Councils for the public use thereof.

1858 repealed.

ary Revenue of each Province.