This Public Bill originated in the Legislative Council, and having this day passed as now printed is transmitted to the House of Representatives for its concurrence.

Legislative Council, 1st June, 1888.

Hon. Mr. Stevens.

[As Reported from the Waste Lands Committee.]

PUBLIC RESERVES SALE.

ANALYSIS.

Title. Preamble. 1. Short Title. 2. Reserves in Schedule may be sold, or otherwise disposed of. Schedule.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to authorise the Sale or other Disposition of certain Title. Public Reserves.

WHEREAS the lands in the Schedule hereto have been duly Preamble. 5 reserved for certain purposes of public utility, and are no longer required for such purposes: And whereas all the said lands are now vested in Her Majesty, and it is expedient that the same should be sold or otherwise disposed of, as hereinafter provided:

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New 10 Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Public Reserves Sale Short Title. Act, 1888."

2. The Governor may from time to time declare that all or any Reserves in 15 of the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall cease to be Schedule may be sold or otherwise reserved, and thereupon may from time to time direct that all or any disposed of. of the said lands may be sold or otherwise disposed of under "The Land Act, 1885," or any Act amending the same:

Provided that none of the lands mentioned in the said Schedule 20 which are within the Canterbury Land District shall be available for selection by the New Zealand Midland Railway Company (Limited) under any contract already made between Her Majesty the Queen and the said Company, or that may hereafter be made between the same parties, under the provisions of "The Midland Railway Contract 25 Act, 1887."

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

Reserve No.	Original Purpose.	Survey District.	Block.	Section.	Area.
	Reconveyed to the Crown by Rawinia Maukau Johnson, in terms of clause 2 of the Schedule to "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1880."	marau, Wai- kato.		108, 109, 110, 111, and 112	A. R. P. 250 0 0

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Reserve No.	Original Purpose.	Block.	Section.	Area.			
		Taranaki.			Α.	R.	Р.
	Blockhouse	Tikorangi		87	35	0	0
•••	General Government purposes	Waitara East (town)	}	$\left[egin{array}{c} 5, 6, 7, \ 8, 9, 10, \ 12 \end{array} ight]$	1	3	0
	Public buildings General Government purposes	Opunake Town Opunake Sub- urban	III. IX.	31	2 36	3 2	13 0
		Wellington.					
630, 631, 632	Ministerial Reserve	City of Wel-	***		3	2	16
		Marlborough.					
62	River Board Reserve	Kaikoura, Mt. Fyffe Survey District	•••		52	2	C
83	,,	Ditto	• • •		51	0	0
2 of 29		,,			36	3	15
30		,,			64	2	
31	,				62	2	
32	н	"	•		64	2	_
Unsurveyed no number	"				124	0	-

The resumption of the above River Board Reserves to be subject to a reserve of five acres for gravel purposes for the use of the County Council.

		CANTERBURY.			A. R. P.
94	Gravel	Rangiora	XI.		9 2 14
179	Ferry	Hawkins	IV.		200 0 0
253	Gravel	Grey	XVI.		33 0 0
255	,,		XV.		20 0 0
256	,,	Rangiora	IV.		$25 \ 0 \ 0$
257	,,	,,	III.		20 0 0
258	,,	,,	III.		$20 \ 0 \ 0$
259	,,	,,	III.		$18 \ 0 \ 24$
260	1	,,	IV.		30 0 0
200	"	Grey	XVI.	•••	30 0 0
	Abandoned Railway	Rangiora	VIII.		9 0 0
005	Line	3/1-2-1	TV		00 0 0
$\frac{365}{504}$	Gravel	Mairaki	IX.	• • •	$\frac{20}{000} = \frac{0}{000}$
784	Police	Waitohi	III.	•••	28 2 0
865	Gravel	Teviotdale	V.	•••	20 0 0
1641	Quarry	Waikari	VIII.	•••	38 0 0
1679	Police	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	IV.	•••	94 3 0
1836	Provincial Govern- ment	Mairaki	I.	***	8 0 0
0015	T) 1:	Weld	I.		F0 0 0
2017		∮ T	VII.	•••	50 0 0
$\frac{310}{311}$	Railway		XII.	•••	10 0 0
911	Timber dépôt and rail- way	" "	A11.	•••	10 0 0
312	Ditto		XII.		12 0 12
313		7	XV.	•••	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
426	Public	Grasmere	V., IX.	•••	$99 \ 0 \ 32$
435	Railway	Kowai	XII., XVI.	•••	36 3 0
458	, ,		XII.	•••	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
806	Landing place	Southbridge	VII.	•••	69 2 0
1084	Tramway	Oxford	XIII.	•••	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
1216	"	Southbridge	I.	•••	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
1238	,,	Leeston	VII.	•••	53 2 28
	"	Coleridge	XIV.	•••	100
2031	Police	Fighting Hill	$\begin{bmatrix} \overline{\mathbf{I}} \end{bmatrix}$	•••	50 0 0

SCHEDULE—continued.

No.	Original Purpose.		Survey Dist	rict.	Block.	Section.	Area.		
		Car	NTERBURY-	conti	inued.	·	Α.	R.	Ρ.
680	Timber dépô landing-plac		Elesmere		IV.		38	1	20
681	Ditto		,,		IV.	l	184	2	31
682			,,		II., VI.	ļ	150	0	0
683	,,		,,		II., VI.		199	1	12
1259	Provincial (Govern-	"	•••	XIV.		10	0	0
1676	Ditto		Halswell		XV.		10	0	0
1261	Police		Ashburton		XIII.		37	2	
1768	Provincial (ment	dovern-	Wakanui		II.		5	2	
1828	Ditto		Westerfield	f	VIII.		6	1	17
1913	,,		,,		III.		5	0	0
1928	,,		"		VIII.		28	0	0
Pt. of 2808			Mairaki				14	2	36
2018	Police	• • •	Rangitata		IV.		50	0	0
2023	"		Hinds		III.		50	0	0
2024	,,	• • •	Spaxton		XIV.		50	0	0
		(Ashburton		XVI.				
2165)	Wakanui		IV.		1,280	0	0
	,,	1	South Rak	aia	I.	•••	1,200	v	V
7.05	m: 1	- 1,	Rakaia	• • •	VIII.				
165	Timber	•••	Orari	• • •	III.		5	0	0
Pt. of 283	Railway - st. Winchester	ation,	Geraldine	•••	XIV.		13	0	28
1068	Gravel		,,		XV.		10	0	0
930	Telegraph		,,		VII.		4	$\check{1}$	$\check{6}$
930	o		,,		VIII.	•••	3		26
1821	Provincial G	lovern-	Opihi		VIII.		104	ō	0
1903	Road Board		Otaio		XI.		2	1	0
	Mount Somers Tram- way		All that parcel of land containing by admeasure-						
			ment 33 acres 1 rood 31 perches, more or less,						
			situate i	n th	e Alford Surv	ey Distric	t, Prov	inc	ial
			District of	of Cε	anterbury, be	ing part o	f the I	Ιοι	ınt
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			and 3405	52 ; \pm	towards the n	orth-west	$_{ m by}$ Re	ese:	rve
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ts. 1762	Provincial G	overn-	Selwyn		VII., XI.		442	3	0
and 1763	ment	,			,			_	
1809		İ							
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t. of 348	Tramway (Wh		Halswell	••••	VI., XIV.	•••	6	2	8
810	Timber dépôt tram	t and	Ellesmere	•••	VIII.	• •••	60	0	0
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