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, 10th August, 1893.

Hon. Sir P. A. Buckley.

TIMBER-FLOATING ACT AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title. 2. Penalty for felling trees, or obstructing river, stream, &c.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend "The Timber-floating Act, 1884." 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 Timber-floating Act short Title.

Amendment Act, 1893."

2. Any owner or occupier of lands who shall wilfully fell any Penalty for felling tree into any river, stream, or tidal creek, so as to cause an obstructing tion, or otherwise wilfully cause any obstruction to such river, stream, 10 or tidal creek, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds in respect of each tree so felled or obstruction caused; and, in addition thereto, shall be liable to any person holding a license under the said Act who shall have removed such obstruction for all the costs of removing such tree or obstruction if he the said owner or 15 occupier do not forthwith remove the same.

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Title.

By Authority: Samuel Costall, Government Printer, Wellington.—1893.

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