[As reported from the Local Bills Committee, 1st Sept., 1896.]

Mr. McNab.

BOROUGH OF MATAURA RESERVE VESTING.

[LOCAL BILL.]

ANALYSIS.

Title. Preamble. 1. Short Title. 2. Land vested in Borough of Mataura.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to vest in the Borough of Mataura a certain Reserve of Title. Land situated within the Town of Mataura, free from any Trust for the Society sometime known as "The Mataura Pastoral Society," and now extinct.

WHEREAS a certain piece of land specified in the Schedule hereto Preamble. was acquired by the Mataura Town Board under "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1885," in trust for the Mataura Pastoral Society: And whereas the district intended to come within 10 the scope of the said society has been subdivided and the object of the society has been taken up by other societies of an agricultural and pastoral nature: And whereas the said Mataura Pastoral Society has ceased to exist: And whereas the said piece of land is not required for the purpose originally intended, and the same is 15 situated in the Town (now Borough) of Mataura: and is well adapted for a municipal reserve, and the borough has had no grant of addi-

the said piece of land should be utilised for the borough accordingly: BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zea-20 land in Parliament assembled, and by authority of the same, as follows :=

tional reserves since it was created a borough: And it is expedient

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Borough of Mataura Short Title.

Reserve Vesting Act, 1896."

2. The estate in fee-simple in the piece of land specified in the Land vested in Schedule hereto shall by force of this Act, and without the necessity Borough of Mataura. of any instrument of assurance, pass to and vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Mataura, to be held as and for a municipal reserve, free from the trust under which the same land was vested in the Mataura Town Board.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

ALL that piece of land area in the Southland Land District, containing 5 acres 1 rood 24 34 perches, being Section 14, Block XII., Town of Mataura.

By Authority: JOHN MACKAY, Government Printer, Wellington.-1896.

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