Hon. Mr. McGowan.

COROMANDEL AND THAMES COUNTIES BOUNDARIES ALTERATION.

LOCAL BILL.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title.

2. Boundaries defined.

3. No redivision of counties necessary.

4. Area included in Mercury Bay Riding.

5. Act deemed special Act. Schedules.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to make an Alteration in the Boundaries of the Coro-Title. mandel and Thames Counties.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand 5 in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Coromandel and Thames Short Title.

Counties Boundaries Alteration Act, 1906."

2. For the purposes of "The Counties Act, 1886," and of any Boundaries defined. 10 Acts for the time being incorporated therewith, the boundaries of the Coromandel County shall, from and after the day when this Act shall come into force, be deemed to be as shown in the First Schedule hereto, and the boundaries of the Thames County shall from and after the said day be deemed to be as shown in the Second Schedule 15 hereto.

3. No redivision of the Coromandel County or of the Thames No redivision of County into fresh ridings shall be deemed to be rendered necessary counties necessary.

by reason only of the passing of this Act. 4. The area added to the Coromandel County by virtue of this Area included in

the Coromandel County.

20 Act shall be deemed to be included in the Mercury Bay Riding of Riding. 5. This Act—

(a.) Shall be deemed to be a special Act within the meaning of "The Counties Act, 1886": and

(b.) Shall come into force on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seven, but shall come into-force on the passing thereof except in so far and to such extent as may be necessary for preparing any roll or otherwise providing for any election of councillors under "The Counties Act, 1886."

No. 54-2.

Act deemed special

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Schedules.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

COROMANDEL COUNTY comprises all that portion of the promontory lying to the north of a boundary beginning at the mouth of the Waikawhau River; along that river to its source; thence by a straight line drawn between the source of the said river to the Northern Head of Tairua Harbour, along such line to its intersection with the western boundary of Block IV, Whitianga Survey District; thence to the south-eastern corner of Block VIII, Whitianga Survey District; thence along the eastern boundary of said Block VIII to its intersection with the said straight line drawn from the source of the Waikawhau River to the Northern Head of Tairua Harbour; thence along such straight line to the Northern Head of Tairua Harbour.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

THAMES COUNTY is bounded towards the north by the southern boundary of the Coromandel County hereinbefore defined; towards the east by the ocean; on the west by the ocean to the mouth of the Piako River; thence to Pukorokoro, thence by the confiscated boundary-line to a point due west of the confluence of the Waihou River with the Hikutaia River; thence towards the south by the northern boundary of the Ohinemuri County to the ocean.

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