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

House of Representatives, 26th October, 1903.

Hon. Mr. Mills.

FISHERIES ENCOURAGEMENT.

ANALYSIS.

1. Short Title.

2. Extension of period during which bonus is payable. 3. Repeal.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to extend "The Fisheries Encouragement Act, 1885." BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as 5 follows:—

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Fisheries Encourage- Short Title. ment Act, 1903."

2. (1.) The bonus which is authorised by "The Fisheries Extension of period Encouragement Act, 1885," to be paid for canned and cured fish during which bonus is payable. 10 shall, notwithstanding anything in that Act to the contrary, be paid for the year ending the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and four.

(2.) From and after the last-mentioned date the bonus aforesaid shall altogether cease to be paid.

3. "The Fisheries Encouragement Act, 1902," is hereby Repeal. 15 repealed.

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