

This PUBLIC BILL originated in the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES and having this day passed as now printed is transmitted to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for their concurrence.

*House of Representatives,
26th July, 1870.*

(*Mr. Mervyn.*)

Gold Fields Act Amendment.

ANALYSIS.

Title.
Preamble.
1. Short Title.

2. Section 39 of "Gold Fields Act, 1866," amended.
3. Error in the thirteenth section of "Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1869," amended.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to amend "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," and
"The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1869."

WHEREAS in the thirteenth section of "The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1869," the sections of the said Act numbered nine, ten, eleven and twelve, were intended to be mentioned, but the sections numbered eight, nine, ten, and eleven were mentioned, and it is expedient to correct the said error:

BE IT THEREFORE 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 shall be "The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1870."

2. The word "fifty" in section thirty-nine of "The Gold Fields Act, 1866," is hereby repealed, and the said section shall hereafter be read and construed as though the words "two hundred" had been inserted in lieu of and substituted for the word "fifty."

3. The thirteenth section of "The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1869," shall be read and construed as if the words nine, ten, eleven, and twelve had been originally used therein instead of the words eight, nine, ten, and eleven.