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, 29th July, 1874.

(Mr. Curtis.)

Gold Fields Act Amendment

ANALYSIS.

Title. Preamble. 1. Short Title. 2. Superintendent to act only with advice and consent of Executive Council.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to amend "The Gold Fields Act, 1866." Title.

WHEREAS by the one hundred and ninth section of "The Gold Preamble.

Fields Act. 1866" it is expected that it I III is a fine of the control Fields Act, 1866," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to delegate to the Superintendent of any province certain of the powers vested in the Governor or the Governor in Council by the said Act: And whereas the Governor in Council did on the twenty-fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, delegate such powers to the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson: And whereas by the eleventh section of "The Gold Fields Act Amendment Act, 1868," it is enacted that it shall be 10 lawful for the Governor in Council to delegate to the Superintendent of any province certain of the powers vested in the Governor or the Governor in Council by the said Act: And whereas the Governor in Council did, on the fifth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, delegate such powers to the Superintendent of the Pro-15 vince of Nelson:

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

1. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Gold Fields Act Short Title. 20 Amendment Act, 1874."

2. In the exercise of all powers which have been, or which here- superintendent to after may be delegated to the Superintendent of the Province of act only with advice Nelson for the time being under either or both of the Acts herein- Executive Council. before recited, such Superintendent shall act only by and with the 25 advice and consent of his Executive Council.