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

Legislative Council. 16th September, 1896.

Hon. Mr. Ormond.

GREYTOWN TRUSTEES EMPOWERING.

[LOCAL BILL.]

ANALYSIS.

Title. Preamble. 1. Short Title. 2. Trustees may transfer lands.

3. Statutory declaration conclusive evidence. Schedule.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to vest certain Lands in the Education Board of the Title. District of Wellington.

WHEREAS the lands detailed in the Schedule to this Act form part Preamble. 5 of the lands vested in the present Greytown Trustees pursuant to the provision of "The Masterton and Greytown Lands Management Acts Amendment Act, 1883 ": And whereas it is expedient that the Greytown Trustees should be empowered to convey or transfer the lands described in the Schedule to this Act to the Education Board 10 of the District of Wellington for school purposes:

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 is "The Greytown Trustees Short Title.

15 Empowering Act, 1896."

2. The Greytown Trustees for the time being, as defined by Trustees may "The Masterton and Greytown Lands Management Acts Amend-transfer lands. ment Act, 1883," are empowered to convey or transfer to the Education Board of the District of Wellington the lands described in the 20 Schedule hereto, to be held by the Education Board for school

3. A statutory declaration made by any one or more of the Grey- Statutory declaratown Trustees, setting forth that the persons executing any conevidence. veyance or transfer under the authority of this Act were the Grev-25 town Trustees at the time of the execution of such conveyance or

transfer, shall be conclusive evidence for all purposes that such conveyance or transfer has been completely executed by all the Greytown Trustees, and that all the estate and interest of the Greytown Trustees has become hereby vested in the Education Board.

SCHEDULE.

Schedule.

THE whole of the Sections numbered 29, 30, and 31 on the plan of the Town Belt of the Township of Greytown, except only such part of the said sections as have been taken for a public road.

By Authority: John Mackay, Government Printer, Wellington,-1896.