Right Hon. Mr. Massey.

LAND-TAX AMENDMENT.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title.

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2. Provision for rebates of land-tax in respect of prompt payment.

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A BILL INTITULĖD

An Act to amend the Finance Act, 1921, in so far as it relates Title. to Land-tax.

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Land-tax Amendment Act, Short Title. 1921.

2. (1.) Section five of the Finance Act, 1921, is hereby amended Provision for relates 10 by adding the following proviso:-

"Provided that every taxpayer shall be entitled to a rebate of payment." ten per centum of the amount of tax payable by him under this section-

"(a.) Who pays or has paid such tax on or before the twentyeighth day of November, nineteen hundred and twentyone; or

"(b.) In cases where a new date for the payment of any tax (including an increase of tax) is fixed pursuant to subsection two of section one hundred and twentyseven of the Land and Income Tax Act, 1916, who pays such tax within twenty-one days after the new date so fixed."

(2.) The rebate provided for by this section may be deducted and retained by the taxpayer when making the payment.

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