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MAORI WAR MEDAL.

ANALYSIS.

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A BILL INTITULED

An Acr to authorize the granting of the Maori War Medal to all Title.

Soldiers who took part therein.

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 Maori War Medal Act, 1919. Short Title.

2. Notwithstanding anything contained in Part III of the Maori War Medal Pensions Act, 1913, or in any regulations made thereunder, any person (or the heir-at-law of any deceased person) who served under the Crown in any of the Maori wars in such a manner and form as would have entitled him to receive the Maori War pension if he had also been under fire shall be entitled to receive the Maori War Medal without any pension.

3. Paragraph (a) of section twenty-four of the said Pension Act Amendment.

shall not apply to any application under this Act.

4. Save as herein excepted the regulations now in force for Application of regulating the application for, the evidence in support of, and the regulations grant of Maori War pensions shall apply to the award of all medals 20 under this Act, with the exception that it shall not be necessary to give proof that the applicant or the person in respect of whose services the application is made was ever under fire.

By Authority: MARCUS F. MARKS, Government Printer, Wellington.--1919.