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Onehunga Grammar School Endowment.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT for the Endowment and Establishment of a Title.
Grammar School in the Town of Onehunga.

WHEREAS the land known as the One Tree Hill Reserve had for Preamble.
many years been used by the inhabitants of the Town of
Onehunga as a common, but such reserve has been in part converted
into an Education Reserve, and in part into a Cemetery Reserve: And
5 whereas it is expedient and desirable that the whole of the One Tree
Hill Reserve should now be made an endowment (subject to the lease
affecting the part first-mentioned of the reserve) for the purpose of
establishing and maintaining a Grammar School in the Town of
Onehunga:

10 **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 Onehunga Grammar Short Title.
School Endowment Act, 1878."

15 2. The Board of Trustees shall be composed of the Mayor of the Trustees of Grammar
Borough of Onehunga, the Member representing Onehunga in the School.
House of Representatives, the Chairman of the Board of Education
for the Auckland District, the Chairman of the School Committee of
the district, and two Trustees to be appointed from time to time by
20 the Minister of Education; of which Board three shall be a quorum
for the transaction of business.

3. The Board of Trustees shall be a Corporation by the name of Trustees incorpo-
"The Trustees of the Onehunga Grammar School," and shall have rated.
and possess all the powers usually enjoyed by corporations, so far as
25 the same are necessary for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

4. The said Trustees shall prepare and prescribe a list of text- Board of Managers to
books, programme of studies, and general rules and regulations for the prescribe rules and
organization and government of the said school, and shall inspect or text-books.
or cause to be inspected the said school annually, and shall furnish a
30 report of such inspection to the Minister of Education.

Occasional vacancies supplied.

5. The Board of Trustees shall fill up any occasional vacancy in the said Board, and the person appointed to fill such vacancy shall hold office for the unexpired part of the term for which the person causing such vacancy had been appointed to serve.

Qualification of Grammar School Master.

6. No person (except a graduate of some University) shall be appointed master of the said school, unless he has previously obtained a certificate of qualification from a Committee of Examiners appointed by the Chairman of the Auckland Education Board and the Chairman of the Auckland College and Grammar School Board. 5

First and other meetings.

7. The first meeting of the Board shall be held at such time and place as the Minister of Education, by notification in the *New Zealand Gazette*, shall appoint; and all subsequent meetings shall be held at such times and places as the Board may determine. 10

Duties of Board.

It shall be the duty of the Board—

To appoint Chairman and time and place of meeting, and keeping minutes.

(1.) To appoint from amongst themselves a Chairman; fix the time and place of meeting, the mode of calling and conducting such meetings, and of keeping a correct account of the proceedings thereat; 15

(2.) To take charge of the grammar school, and all lands of which they may be Trustees; 20

(3.) To appoint and remove the head-master and other teachers in such school, and to fix their salaries and prescribe their duties;

To fix school fees.

(4.) To settle the amount and time for payment of the fees to be charged for each pupil attending such school; 25

Books and examinations.

(5.) To see that the pupils are supplied with proper text books; that public half-yearly examinations of the pupils are held, and due notice given of them;

Annual report.

(6.) To prepare and transmit before the *last* day of January in every year, to the Minister of Education, an annual report of its proceedings, with a statement of its income and expenditure, and also such information relative to the school as the Minister of Education may require. 30

Meteorological instruments and observations.

8. It shall be the duty of the Borough Council, within one year of the opening of the school, to provide the following instruments for the use of the school:— 35

One barometer;

One thermometer for the temperature of the air;

One Daniel's hygrometer, or other instrument for showing the dew-point; 40

One rain-gauge and measure; and

One wind-vane.

And it shall be the duty of the head-master to teach the senior pupils the use of these instruments, and to take observations and keep a meteorological journal on the same plan as that used at the Government meteorological stations. 45

Power to deal with and lease lands vested in Trustees.

9. The said Board shall have power with respect to all lands vested in them to manage and deal with the same as they may deem fit, and from time to time to let the same, or any portion thereof, for any term not exceeding *forty-two* years, at such rent and on such terms and conditions as they may think fit: 50

Provided that every such lease shall be put up to public auction or tender, of which one month's previous notice shall have been given by public advertisement in some newspaper published in the City of Auckland: Provided also that no fine, premium, or foregift shall be taken in respect of such lease. 55

Proceeds of rents and other income how to be applied.

10. The rents, profits, and annual income of all real and personal estate which may be vested in the said Board, together with all fees paid for pupils attending the school, shall be applied to the maintenance of the said school. 60

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11. The land described in the First Schedule hereof, consisting of one hundred and twenty-six acres, granted to the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland, on the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, as a reserve for educational purposes, but now vested in the Education Board of the District of Auckland, shall, on the coming into operation of this Act, be vested in the Trustees hereinbefore mentioned, as an endowment in aid of establishing and maintaining a grammar school in the Town of Onehunga, subject, nevertheless, to the lease thereof made by the Superintendent of Auckland to John Logan Campbell, on the _____ day of _____, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

Land in First Schedule.

12. The land described in the Second Schedule, consisting of fifteen acres and thirty-six perches, granted to the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland, on the twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, as a site for a public cemetery, is hereby revoked, and a new grant of the same shall be made to the Trustees hereinbefore mentioned as an endowment in aid of establishing and maintaining a grammar school in the Town of Onehunga.

Land in Second Schedule.

13. The lands in the Town of Onehunga specified in the Third Schedule hereto, which were formerly granted to the Superintendent of the Province of Auckland as endowments for educational purposes, but are now vested in the Education Board of the District of Auckland, shall, on the coming into operation of this Act, be vested in the Board of Trustees constituted under this Act, to be held for the purposes of establishing and maintaining a grammar school in the Town of Onehunga.

Land in Third Schedule.

Schedules.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement one hundred and twenty-six (126) acres, more or less, situate in the Parish of Waitemata, in the County of Eden, being Allotment number eleven (11) of Section twelve (12) of the Suburbs of Auckland. Bounded towards the North-east by Allotment No. 13, two thousand one hundred and thirty (2130) links, three hundred (300) links in a curve, four hundred and ninety (490) links, and seven hundred (700) links; towards the South-east by Allotment No. 13 aforesaid, four thousand seven hundred and thirty-five (4735) links; towards the South-west by the abuttal of a road, one hundred (100) links wide, and Allotment No. 54, one thousand one hundred and eighty-four (1184) links; towards the West by Allotment No. 12, one thousand six hundred and thirty-five (1635) links, and one thousand three hundred and seventy-six (1376) links; and towards the North-west by Allotment No. 9, three hundred and eighty-three (383) links, nine hundred and seventy-five (975) links, one thousand and twenty-eight (1028) links, and three hundred and seventy (370) links.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL that allotment or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand, containing fifteen (15) acres and thirty-six (36) perches, more or less, being Lot numbered fifty-four (54) of Section numbered twelve (12) of the Suburbs of Auckland, in the Parish of Waitemata, in the County of Eden. Bounded on the North-east by Lot No. 11, one thousand and fifty-five (1055) links; on the South-east by a road, one thousand four hundred and sixty-five (1465) links; on the South-west by a road, one thousand one hundred and seventy (1170) links; and on the North-west by Lot No. 12, one thousand four hundred and fifty-five (1455) links.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

Section.	Lot.	A.	R.	P.
35	23	0	1	18
46	14	2	0	0
	15	1	0	7
	16	0	1	21
	17	0	1	14