

Otago Waste Lands Act 1872 Amend- ment Act 1875.

A BILL

To Amend the "Otago Waste Lands Act, 1872."

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parlia-
ment assembled and by the authority of the same as follows:—

1. The short title of this Act shall be the "Otago Waste Lands Act ^{Short Title.}
1872 Amendment Act 1875."

2. In this Act the term "the said Act" means "The Otago Waste ^{Interpretation.}
Lands Act 1872."

3. It shall be lawful for the Superintendent with the advice and con- <sup>Superintendent em-
powered to set apart
land.</sup>
sent of the Provincial Council from time to time by proclamation to be pub-
lished in the Provincial *Gazette* to set apart in any part of the Province
districts or blocks of land within which licenses to occupy land and leases
thereof on deferred payments as hereinafter provided may be granted
either exclusively or if the proclamation shall so declare within which the
land shall be open for license or leasing aforesaid or for sale on immediate
payment and from time to time with consent as aforesaid to alter amend or
revoke such proclamation: Provided that no area exceeding in the aggregate
five thousand acres in one block may be proclaimed on any run: Provided
also that when one-half of any such proclaimed block shall have been sold or
leased and shall be occupied *bonâ fide* for agricultural purposes another block
of a similar extent may be proclaimed and set apart upon the same run for
the same purpose: Provided that the area to be set apart for occupation on
deferred payments shall not exceed one hundred thousand acres in one year
and that no further land shall be so set apart until one-third of the entire
quantity of land previously so set apart shall be occupied under sale or lease
and in course of being cultivated.

4. Section 47 of the "Otago Waste Lands Act, 1872" is hereby ^{Repeal.}
repealed.