Mr. Samuel.

QUINQUENNIAL PARLIAMENTS.

ANALYSIS.

Title. 1. Short Title. 2. Repeal.

3. Duration of present House of Representatives. 4. Elections to be quinquennial.

House of Represen-

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to repeal "The Triennial Parliaments Act, 1879," and to Title. provide otherwise for the ordinary Duration of the General Assembly in Parliament.

5 BE IT 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 Quinquennial Parlia-Short Title. ments Act, 1887."

2. "The Triennial Parliaments Act, 1879," is hereby repealed.

3. The present House of Representatives shall, unless the General Assembly be sooner dissolved, continue to the day Duration of present , one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

tatives. 4. Every future House of Representatives shall, unless the Elections to be General Assembly be sooner dissolved, continue for a period of five quinquennial.

15 years, to be computed from the day fixed for the return of the writs issued for choosing such House, and no longer.

> By Authority: George Didsbury, Government Printer, Wellington.—1890. No. 38—1.