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*Legislative Council,*  
*6th July, 1888.*

*Hon. Mr. Stevens.*

## TRAMWAYS ACT 1872 AMENDMENT.

### ANALYSIS.

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### A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to extend the Provisions of "The Tramways Act, 1872." Title.

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

5     1. The Short Title of this Act shall be "The Tramways Act 1872 Amendment Act, 1888." Short Title.

2. If any person (except under a lease from, or by agreement with, the promoters or under license, as provided by the principal Act) uses upon the rails of any tramway, or any part thereof, any car, carriage, 10 or other vehicle for the conveyance of passengers or goods for hire, having the gauge of all its wheels, or the gauge of two of its wheels, corresponding with, or nearly corresponding with, the gauge of such tramway, so as to be suitable to run with one (or more) of its wheels at each side simultaneously on the rails of such tramway, such 15 person shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding *twenty* pounds.

Penalty for running vehicles for hire on rails of tramways without a license.

Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prevent any person crossing or using the rails of any tramway with such car, carriage, or other vehicle in such manner and to such an extent as the exigencies 20 of public traffic may render necessary but not further or otherwise.

In any proceedings to recover a penalty under this Act the onus of proving that a breach thereof has not been committed shall lie on the defendant.

3. In addition to the regulations that the promoters or lessees 25 of any tramway are empowered to make by virtue of section forty-seven of "The Tramways Act, 1872" (hereinafter called "the principal Act"), such promoters or lessees may from time to time make regulations—

Power to make additional regulations.

For preventing the smoking of tobacco or any other substance in or upon any carriage belonging to them ;

For prescribing the manner, times, and places in and at which tickets of any kind shall be purchased by, issued to, used by, and delivered up by passengers in or upon any carriage belonging to them ;

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and all the provisions of the principal Act shall apply to the regulations hereby authorised to be made.

This Act to be read with principal Act.

This Act shall be read, and deemed incorporated with the principal Act.