Mr. Malcolm.

TAPANUI COUNTY.

LOCAL BILL.

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A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to constitute the Tapanui County.

BE IT ENACTED by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as 5 follows:-

1. This Act may be cited as the Tapanui County Act, 1909.

2. (1.) The Tapanui County is hereby constituted, comprising Tapanui County all that portion of the Tuapeka and Clutha Counties particularly described in the *First* Schedule hereto.

10 (2.) The boundaries of the Counties of Tuapeka and Clutha are hereby altered accordingly, and shall be as respectively described in the Second Schedule hereto.

3. From and after the coming into operation of this Act no local Jurisdiction of county. authority other than the Tapanui County Council shall within the

- 15 limits of the said county exercise any jurisdiction or authority over any roads, or over or in relation to any matter or thing in respect of which jurisdiction is conferred upon a County Council under the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof or otherwise:
- 20 Provided that nothing herein shall affect the power of the Governor to proclaim any portion of the said county a borough or town district.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE TAPANUI COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District bounded towards the north by Blocks II, III, IV, and V, Wart Hill Survey District, from the eastern boundary of Southland County to the south-eastern corner of the last-mentioned block ; thence towards the west by part of the western boundary of Block VI, Benger Survey District, to its north-western corner; thence again towards the north by the northern boundary of the said Block VI to Block IV, Benger Survey District; thence towards the east

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generally by the last-mentioned block, Allotment No. 30, Moa Flat Estate, and the north-western side of the road forming the south-eastern boundary of the said Allotment No. 30 to a point in line with the western boundary of the Township of Ettrick; thence across that road and by the Township of Ettrick, Allotments Nos. 3 and 4A, Moa Flat Estate, the abutment of a road and Allotments Nos. 5 and 6, Moa Flat Estate, to the north-western corner of Block IV, Crookston Survey District; thence by Blocks IV and I and the road forming the southern boundary of Block XVI to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 7, Block XIV, Crookston Survey District; thence by the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 7 and 6 on the said Block XIV and the summit of the Tapanui Mountains to Trig. F in Block X, Crookston Survey District; thence by a right line to the source of the Rankleburn; thence by the Rankleburn to its confluence with the Pomahaka River; thence towards the south generally by a line along the middle of the Pomahaka River to the northern boundary of Waipahi Survey District; thence by Waipahi and Waikaka Survey Districts to he south-eastern corner of Chatton Survey District; and thence towards the west generally by Southland County to the place of commencement: excepting the Borough of Tapanui.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE TUAPEKA COUNTY.

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ALL that area bounded towards the north generally by Vincent County from the north-eastern corner of Southland County to the western boundary of Maniototo County; thence towards the north-east generally by Maniototo and Taieri Counties to the northern boundary of Bruce County; thence towards the south generally by Bruce County to the Clutha River; thence by a line along the middle of the Clutha River to a point due east of Trig. Station D, Rankleburn Survey District; thence by a line along the middle of the said Trig. Station D to the middle of Back Creek; -thence by a line along the middle of the said Back Creek to its confluence with the Pomahaka River; thence by a line along the middle of the Pomahaka River to the confluence of the Rankleburn with that river; thence towards the west and again towards the north by the Tapanui County; and thence towards the north-west by Southland County to the place of commencement: excepting the boroughs of Lawrence and Roxburgh.

BOUNDARIES OF THE CLUTHA COUNTY.

All that area bounded towards the north generally by the Tapanui County as described in the *First* Schedule hereto, from the north-eastern corner of Waikaka Survey District to the confluence of the Rankleburn with the Pomahaka River; thence by the Tuapeka County, as described in the *Second* Schedule hereto, to the westernmost corner of Bruce County; thence towards the north-east by Bruce County to the sea; thence towards the south-east by the sea to Southland County; and thence towards the west generally by Southland County to the place of commencement: excepting the borough of Balclutha and the Town District of Clinton.

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