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Wellington College Acts Amendment.

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A BILL INTITLED

AN ACT to amend "The Wellington College Act, 1872," and the several Acts amending the same. Title.

WHEREAS it is expedient that a High School for Girls should be established at Wellington, and that the Wellington College Governors should be enabled to take steps for this purpose, and also for the better promoting higher education in the Wellington College: Preamble.

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 Wellington College Acts Amendment Act, 1878." Short Title.

2. The time for defining by Proclamation of the Governor the reserve of four thousand acres in the Waitotara Block, reserved by "The New Zealand University Reserves Act, 1875," for promoting higher education in the Provincial District of Wellington, is hereby extended to a period not longer than _____ months after the passing of this Act. Time for defining a certain reserve extended.

3. The said reserve of four thousand acres shall be and is hereby vested in the Governors of the Wellington College, subject to the provisions of "The Wellington College Act, 1872," and of any Act amending the same; and the said Governors shall have, with the concurrence of the Governor in Council, power to sell by public auction such a portion of the said reserve as shall produce a sum not exceeding _____ pounds. Reserve vested in the Governors of Wellington College.

4. The sum of _____ pounds so obtained shall be applied towards the establishment and maintenance of a High School for Girls. at Wellington, under the management of the Governors of the Wellington College. Establishment of High School for girls.

5. The whole control and management of such Girls' High School shall be vested in the said Governors, who shall have power to provide for the maintenance of such school, and for the payment of salaries and expenses connected therewith, and for prizes, exhibitions, scholarships, and other rewards for the students therein, and to appoint, and from time to time to remove all mistresses, masters, lecturers, and examiners, and other officers and servants for the management of the said Girls' High School. Governors to have control of school.

Governors to make regulations for education, discipline, &c., in the school.

6. The said Governors shall with all convenient speed, on the establishment of the Girls' High School, make regulations for defining the course of education in the said school, the examinations to be held, the discipline to be used, the conditions under which students shall be admitted therein, the fees to be paid, and for all other purposes for which regulations shall be needed; and they may from time to time vary, add to, revoke and make afresh, all or any such regulations.

Trust property to be for Girls' High School.

7. All real and personal estate which shall, under the provisions of this Act, become vested in the said Governors for the purposes of the Girls' High School, and all real and personal estate which shall be purchased by, or granted, devised, bequeathed, or given to the said Governors for the benefit of the Girls' High School, without any declaration of trusts of a different nature, shall be held by the said Governors upon trust for the purposes of the Girls' High School in accordance with the provisions of this Act; and the said Governors shall have the same power to deal with lands and trust funds which may from time to time be in their hands for the benefit of the Girls' High School, that they have with respect to lands and trust funds belonging to Wellington College.

Power to sell portions of reserves.

8. The Wellington College Governors shall have power, with the concurrence of the Governor in Council, to sell by public auction such portion of their reserves, not situated within the City of Wellington, as may produce the sum of _____ pounds, and to devote such sum to permanent improvements in the Wellington College site and buildings, and towards securing, by the establishment of prizes and other rewards for students therein, and by other means, the promotion of higher education.

Power to lease.

9. The Governors shall have power with respect to the lands described in the Schedule hereto, being portions of the College Site Reserve not required as a playground or for other college purposes, to manage and deal with the same as they may think fit, and from time to time to let the same or any parts thereof for any term not exceeding *forty-two* years in possession from the date of the lease thereof, and by public auction, at such rent and on such conditions as they shall think fit, but so that no fine, foregift, or premium be taken.

Repeal of section 13, "Wellington College Act, 1872."

10. Section thirteen of "The Wellington College Act, 1872," is hereby repealed in so far as it is inconsistent with this Act.

Power to invest in first mortgage of freehold.

11. The said Governors shall have power to invest any moneys that may from time to time be at their disposal or at their discretion, in first mortgages on freehold security, in addition to the other securities specified in "The Wellington College Act, 1872"

Act to read together with "Wellington College Act, 1872."

12. This Act shall be read together with and form part of "The Wellington College Act, 1872."

Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF PORTIONS OF COLLEGE RESERVE SUBDIVIDED INTO BUILDING SITES FOR LEASE, AS PER ACCOMPANYING PLAN.

PORTION No. 1, consisting of Lots 12 to 17 included, containing 3 acres, including roads. Is bounded on the West by Town Sections 712, 743, 744, and 745, 1507 links, bearing $178^{\circ} 25'$; on the South by other portion of reserve commencing at south-east corner of Section 745, 577 links, bearing $83^{\circ} 47'$; on the East by the College Grounds, 650 links north-west, and 563 links north, to south-east corner of Town Section 678; on the North by Town Section No. 678, 232 links, bearing $278^{\circ} 27'$.

PORTION No. 2, consisting of Lots 1 to 11 included, containing 16 acres, including roads. Is bounded on the West by the College Grounds, 1920 links, bearing $176^{\circ} 31'$; on the South by other portion of reserve, 841 links, bearing $96^{\circ} 52'$; on the East by other portion of College Reserve, 1967 links, bearing $8^{\circ} 15'$; and on the North by Town Sections Nos. 673, 675, and 749, 1070 links, bearing $278^{\circ} 27'$.