Hon. Major Steward.

WAIMATE MUNICIPAL RESERVES.

[LOCAL BILL.]

ANALYSIS.

A BILL INTITULED

An Act to authorise the Borough Council of Waimate to acquire certain Parcels of Land. — *Title.*

WHEREAS the parcels of land enumerated in the Schedule hereto
5 have, in error, been for many years regarded as part of the municipal endowment of the Borough of Waimate, and have been leased by the Council of the said borough to a public association, which has carried out various improvements thereon: And whereas it is expedient to enable the said Council to acquire the freehold of such parcels of
10 land: — *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 is "The Waimate Municipal Re-
15 serves Act, 1895." — *Short Title.*

2. It shall be lawful for the Council of the Borough of Waimate to appropriate from the funds of the municipality such sum as may be necessary to acquire the freehold of the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto. — *Council may purchase.*

20 3. The Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Canterbury shall when called upon by the said Borough Council value the said parcels of land, not including improvements, and upon the sum of such valuation being paid over by the said Borough Council a clear title shall issue to the said Council in respect of the said
25 parcels of land. — *Commissioner to value.*

4. The parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto shall not be sold or otherwise dealt with until opportunity has been afforded to the said Borough Council to acquire the same in accordance with the provisions of this Act. — *Land not to be otherwise dealt with.*

SCHEDULE. — *Schedule.*

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