

PROVINCE OF NELSON.



AMURI RESERVE ACT.

IN THE THIRTY-FIRST YEAR OF THE REIGN OF HER MAJESTY QUEEN VICTORIA.

SESSION XVIII., No. 3.

ANALYSIS:

Title.
Preamble.

1. Superintendent may Sell or Lease Land.
2. Commencement of Act.

An ACT to Authorize the Superintendent to Sell or Lease certain Lands granted for public purposes, situated in the District of Amuri, in the Province of Nelson.

[Assented to 20th June, 1868.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand, in Session II., intituled "The Public Reserves Act, 1854," it is, amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for the Governor of New Zealand, with the advice of his Executive Council, at any time, and from time to time, after the passing of that Act, in the name and on behalf of her Majesty, to grant to the Superintendent of each province in New Zealand, and his successors, all such estate and interest as her Majesty then had or might have in all or any lands within such province, forming part of the demesne lands of the Crown, which should have been at any time thereafter, and then were, or might thereafter be, reserved or set apart for purposes of public utility within the province, except as therein mentioned; and it is also enacted, that every Superintendent of a province, in whom any such lands should become vested, should hold the same upon trust for the public service of such province, for the purposes specified in such grant, with as full power to dispose of and manage the same for such purposes as if the same were vested absolutely in such Superintendent, subject nevertheless to the provisions thereafter contained; and it is further enacted, that no lands so to be

be granted as aforesaid within any province to the Superintendent and his successors, should be alienated by way of sale or mortgage, or by lease, for any longer term than three years, except by the authority of some Act or Ordinance of the Provincial Council of such province to be passed in that behalf, nor except by deed signed by the Superintendent, and sealed with the public seal of the province: And whereas by a certain deed of grant bearing date on or about the fifth day of February, 1864, under the hand of Sir George Grey, K.C.B., Governor of the said colony, and sealed with the public seal of the said colony, the said Governor, in the name and on behalf of her Majesty, with the advice of the Executive Council, did grant unto the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson and his successors, all that parcel of land situated in the district of Amuri, in the said Province of Nelson, containing by admeasurement one hundred and fifty acres, be the same more or less, being Section numbered 191 of Square numbered 84 on the Plan of the Province of Nelson, bounded on the north-eastward by Section numbered 303 on the said square 4,900 links, on the south-eastward by Sections numbered respectively 273—1,000 links, and 304—4,700 links on the said square, and on the westward partly by a public road one chain in width, on the banks of the River Dillon, and partly by the banks of the rivers Dillon and Mason, excepting the public road, one chain in width which crosses the said section, as the same is delineated on the plan drawn in the margin thereof, with all the rights and appurtenances thereto belonging, to hold unto the said Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, and his successors, in trust for purposes of public utility :

Be it therefore enacted, by the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof, as follows :—

Superintendent may sell or lease Land.

1. It shall be lawful for the Superintendent of the Province of Nelson, with the advice of his Executive Council, at any time, and from time to time, to sell by public auction, or to demise and lease for any time not exceeding fourteen years, all or any part or parts of the land hereinbefore described, and so granted to him as aforesaid upon such terms and conditions and in such manner as the Superintendent and his Executive Council shall deem expedient ; and for that purpose to sign, seal, and execute all such conveyances, leases, and other deeds as may be deemed necessary.

Commencement of Act.

2. This Act shall not come into operation until the time in which it may be disallowed by the Governor shall have transpired.