guarantee shall be given shall not exceed the sum of Forty Thousand pounds And the term of years for which the payment or guarantee be given shall not extend beyond twenty-one years.

Such interest

2. Such sums shall be paid out of the general revenue how to be paid of the Province and at such periods as may be agreed upon.

Title of Act.

3. This Act shall be called the "Patent Slip Act 1864."

## PATENT SLIP SITE.

Title.

An ACT to authorize the Superintendent to purchase a site for a Patent Slip in this Harbour.

Session XI. No. 2.7

[Assented to 14th July, 1864.

Preamble.

THEREAS by the "Wellington Patent Slip Act 1863" of the General Assembly of New Zealand it was enacted that it should be lawful for the Superintendent of the Povince of Wellington and his successors to take and purchase any part not exceeding twenty acres of the allotment of land described in the schedule thereto and to this Act for the purpose of constructing a Patent Slip for the Port of Port Nicholson in such manner and at such time as should be prescribed by an Act to be passed by the Superintendent of the Province of Wellington with the advice and consent of the Provincial Council thereof and that compensation should be made by the Supeintendent to the owner of the land taken under the above Act for the value thereof and for the damage done to the remaining part of the said allotment in the manner prescribed by the "Land Clauses Consolidation Act 1863."

Be it therefore enacted by the Superintendent of the Province of Wellington with the advice and consent of

the Provincial Council thereof as follows:-Power to Su-

1. The Superintendent may so soon as he shall deem perintendent it expedient so to do take and purchase such portion not to purchase land for site of exceeding twenty acres of the allotment of land described Patent Slip.

in the schedule to the said recited and to this Act as he may consider best adapted for the site of a Patent Slip with the works and buildings necessary for the efficient working thereof and cause the same to be conveyed to him on behalf of the Province and for the purposes of such Slip.

2. The Superintendent is hereby authorized to pay Superintendout of the moneys of the Province such sum of money as entauthorized may be awarded to the owner or owners of the land so to pay the be taken as compensation for the value thereof under the land.

provisions of the "Land Clauses Consolidation Act 1863."

3. The Superintendent may with such advice and con-Power to Susent as aforesaid convey the whole or any part or portion of perintendent to convey such the land so to be taken and purchased as aforesaid to any land to parties person or body corporate or otherwise who will undertake to undertaking erect thereon a Patent Slip and the works and buildings to erect a necessary for the efficient working thereof and that either thereon. Absolutely and in fee simple or on lease for any term of years and for such price or rent or gratutiously and on such terms and conditions as to him the Superintendent and his Executive Council may seem reasonable or appear expedient.

4. This Act shall be called the "Patent Slip Site short Title.

Act 1864."

## SCHEDULE.

All that allotment or parcel of land situate in the Province of Wellington containing one hundred and twenty-nine acres more or less being the Country Section numbered Three (3) on the plan of the Evans' Bay District bounded towards the North by section numbered Two (2) four thousand nine hundred and ten links Towards the West by the Town Belt two thousand nine hundred links Towards the South by the Town Belt and section number four (4) three thousand six hundred and twenty-five links and towards the East and South-east by Evans' Bay Subject to a right of road one hundred links wide reserved through the said section.