

Hon. Mr. Ward.

MANAWATU RAILWAY PURCHASING.

ANALYSIS.

Title.
1. Short Title.

2. Power to negotiate for purchase of railway.

A BILL INTITULED

AN ACT to empower the Governor to negotiate for the Purchase of the Manawatu Railway. Title.

BE IT 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 Manawatu Railway Purchasing Act, 1900." Short Title.

2. The Governor is hereby empowered, in the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, to enter into negotiations with the Manawatu Railway Company (Limited) for the purchase of the railway of the said company, together with the whole or any portion of that company's plant, rolling-stock, and other property : Power to negotiate for purchase of railway.

Provided that the terms of such negotiation shall be deemed to be merely provisional, and subject to the approval of Parliament.