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**SCOTTSDALE RAILWAY:**

PETITION AS TO ROUTE.

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Presented by Mr. Grubb, December 14; and ordered by the Council to be printed,  
December 18, 1883.



*To the Honorable Members of the Legislative Council, in Parliament assembled.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONORABLE HOUSE.

THE humble Petition of the undersigned Landowners and Landholders of the County of Dorset respectfully sheweth that we are deeply interested in the proposed routes for the Scottsdale Railway; and it is the opinion of your Petitioners that the line which has lately been surveyed by W. P. Hales, Esq., passing through the heart of the Upper Piper and Turner's Marsh Settlements, if at all practicable, is far preferable to the line as surveyed by Mr. Climie *via* Mount Direction, as the line *via* the Upper Piper and Turner's Marsh will be considerably shorter, and of far more advantage to the country generally, from the fact that it will pass through a district now settled, with many thousands of acres of good land in the vicinity, which will be immediately taken up and settled upon.

The Mount Direction line will at its outset from Launceston, and for a considerable distance, pass through a large amount of private property, amongst which is a number of streets and allotments recently laid out and sold: this must of a necessity entail a considerable amount of compensation, whilst compensation upon Mr. Hales' line will be but small in comparison.

We therefore submit that the line as surveyed by Mr. Hales is of the most importance in a national point of view; and we respectfully pray that your Honorable House will give the matter of route every consideration.

And your Petitioners will ever pray, &c.

Daniel O'Keef, 300 acres, Upper Piper  
 Cornelius O'Keef, 200 acres, ditto  
 Daniel Downie, 31 acres, ditto  
 Jacob J. Sulzberger, jun., 100½ acres, ditto  
 Matthew Phillips, 50½ acres, ditto  
 Fredk. J. S. Kerkham, 202 acres, ditto  
 C. F. Kerkham, 100 acres, ditto  
 R. P. Kerkham, 100 acres, ditto  
 J. W. Story, 200 acres, ditto  
 J. W. H. Geiss, 320 acres, ditto  
 J. Godsil, 100 acres, ditto  
 M. O'Loughlin, 170 acres, Turner's Marsh  
 J. O'Kelly, 94 acres, ditto  
 Hugh M'Kenna, 390 acres, ditto  
 Richard M'Kenna, 91 acres, ditto  
 John Lyons, 165 acres, ditto  
 Peter Bassett, 150 acres, ditto  
 Charles Bassett, 100 acres, ditto  
 William Wright, 55 acres, ditto  
 Thomas Beeson, 100 acres, ditto  
 Thomas M'Kenna, 100 acres, ditto  
 John Hogan, 100 acres, ditto  
 Thomas Burke, 300 acres, ditto  
 Charles Grandfeild, 99 acres, Upper Piper  
 R. Brown, 102 acres, ditto  
 Francis C. Wills, 153 acres, ditto  
 Robert Arnold, 132 acres, ditto  
 Donald M'Lennan, 99 acres, ditto  
 Isaac Arnold, 50 acres, ditto  
 James Phillips, 100 acres, ditto

Ludwig Bardenhagen, 256 acres, Upper Piper  
 Thomas Phillips, 50 ditto  
 Gottlieb Sulzberger, 151 acres, ditto  
 George Sulzberger, 100 acres, ditto  
 Conrad Sulzberger, 50 acres, ditto  
 Jacob J. Miller, 111 acres, ditto  
 William Lowe, 330 acres, ditto  
 J. H. Mahnken, 100 acres, ditto  
 F. H. Mahnken, 100 acres, ditto  
 George Kelp, 50 acres, ditto  
 Adam Kilb, 48 acres  
 Christian Erb, 106 acres  
 Gottlieb Erb, 50 ditto  
 William Doak, 97 acres  
 James Shore, 50 acres  
 John Doak, 75 acres  
 William Staubi, jun., 100 acres  
 William Staubi, sen., 51 acres  
 Charles Sulzberger, 100 acres  
 Jacob Kempener, 50 acres  
 M. M'Gree, 150 acres  
 George Reid, 50 acres  
 John Reid, 50 acres  
 A. Reid, 100 acres  
 P. Conlin, 100 acres  
 — M'Cluchy, 25 acres  
 William Baker, 100 acres  
 — Clements, 50 acres  
 James M'Connon, 200 acres  
 L. Dornauf, 75 acres

R. Smilie, 130 acres  
 E. Smilie, 100 acres  
 H. Brown, 25 acres  
 R. Smilie, 28 acres  
 M. Crabtree, 170 acres  
 James Bennie, 100 acres  
 James Bennie, 18 acres  
 Archie Cameron, 51 acres  
 Albert Box, 170 acres  
 Roderic Box, 66 acres  
 Alex. Rankin, 120 acres  
 M'Kenzie & Ingles, 670 acres  
 Michael Collins, 98 acres, Upper Piper  
 James Walas, 101 acres, ditto  
 John Windsor, 100 acres, ditto  
 Thomas Windsor, 50 acres, ditto  
 Thomas James Windsor, 150 acres, ditto  
 J. Quill, 100 acres, ditto  
 William Quill, 100 acres, ditto  
 George Quill, 50 acres, ditto  
 James Windsor, 50 acres, ditto  
 Patrick O'Day, 173 acres, ditto  
 Michael Breen, 150 acres, ditto  
 William Breen, 100 acres, ditto  
 Hugh Dickson, 70 acres, ditto  
 James M'Gaughey, 40 acres, ditto  
 Samuel M'Gaughey, 47 acres, ditto  
 M. M'Gaughey, 51½ acres, ditto  
 O. H. M'Gaughey, 53 acres, ditto  
 John Linton, 50 acres, ditto  
 William A. Lyons, 50 acres, ditto  
 John Thomason, 500 acres, ditto  
 John Campbell, jun., 111 acres, ditto  
 John Campbell, 500 acres, ditto  
 Duncan Campbell, 400 acres, ditto  
 Donald Campbell, 50 acres, ditto  
 Samuel Somerville, 320 acres, ditto  
 Samuel Arnold, 54 acres, ditto  
 William Somerville, 100 acres, ditto  
 W. and R. Somerville, 70 acres, ditto  
 John Power, 248 acres, ditto  
 Charles Grandfeild, 65 acres, ditto  
 Adam Offor, 15½ acres, ditto

James Somerville, 100 acres, Upper Piper  
 James Wilson, 45 acres, ditto  
 John Wilson, 45 acres, ditto  
 Henry Walker, 100 acres, ditto  
 George Arnold, 98 acres, ditto  
 Peter Dornauf, 70 acres, ditto  
 Archie Wilson, 100 acres, ditto  
 William Wilson, 108 acres, ditto  
 William Dornauf, 96 acres, ditto  
 George Brown, 100 acres, ditto  
 Henry Harris, 67 acres, ditto  
 Casper Oestrich, 48 acres, ditto  
 Ludwick Miller, 67 acres, ditto  
 Henry Wolfe, 102 acres, ditto  
 John Somerville, 196 acres, ditto  
 J. and W. Somerville, 94 acres, ditto  
 Laurence Aherne, 25 acres, ditto  
 George Somerville, 200 acres, ditto  
 James Doak, 50 acres, ditto  
 Hugh Wilson, 50 acres, ditto  
 Maxwell Wilson, 50 acres, ditto  
 John W. Wolf, 52 acres, ditto  
 Joseph Paxon, 50 acres, ditto  
 Kowarziak Brothers, 1088 acres, ditto  
 Jacob Marx, 43 acres, ditto  
 John P. Marx, 42 acres, ditto  
 G. C. Sulzberger, 135 acres, ditto  
 Brooks & Pollock, 100 acres, ditto  
 James Brooks, 80 acres, ditto  
 — Cadley, 50 acres, ditto  
 — Pollock, 25 acres, ditto  
 Douglas Downie, 100 acres, ditto  
 James Ryan, 30 acres, ditto  
 John M'Gaughey, 50 acres, ditto  
 Martin Ryan, 102 acres  
 John Butterfield, 150 acres  
 Michael Rush, 150 acres  
 John Rush, 50 acres  
 Charles Adams, 950 acres, Upper Piper  
 Robert Kirk, 53 acres  
 Joseph Paver Warrington, 101½ acres, ditto  
 A. V. Lane, 99½ acres, ditto  
 Francis Boland, 100 acres, ditto