

(No. 106.)



1886.

PARLIAMENT OF TASMANIA.

MICHAEL ROACHE:

PETITION TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Return to an Order of the House of Assembly. (Mr. Dooley.)

Laid upon the Table by the Attorney-General, September 16, and ordered by the House of Assembly to be printed, September 22, 1886.



To His Excellency MAJOR SIR GEORGE CUMINE STRAHAN, R.A.,
*K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Tasmania
 and its Dependencies, in Council assembled.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY.

The Petition of the undersigned humbly sheweth :—

That on the 26th day of April, 1878, I purchased on credit at auction the following lots of Crown Land, and in part payment thereof paid the sums opposite to each lot respectively ; viz.—

TOWN OF LATROBE.

	£	s.	d.
Lot 1, Section Oo.	39	14	11
Lot 2, ditto	44	1	10
Lot 2, Section RR.....	12	16	2
Lot 3, ditto	18	0	0
Lot 10, ditto	17	6	2
In all	£131	19	1

That Petitioner subsequently, through sickness, losses by fire, and inability to attend to his usual avocations, became so impoverished that he was unable to meet the Government demands for the annual instalments, ultimately became a defaulter, and the land was, in the usual way, forfeited to the Crown.

Petitioner therefore humbly prays that Your Excellency will, by and with the advice and consent of your Executive Council, be pleased to recommend, in this special case, that petitioner be permitted to resume possession of Lots 1 and 2, Section Oo., or Lots 2, 3, and 10, Section RR., and that the moneys paid on the group of lots not to be resumed be placed to the credit of the group of lots to be resumed. And petitioner, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

MICHAEL ROACHE.