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TASMANIA.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

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**CODLIN MOTH BILL:**

PETITIONS IN FAVOUR OF.

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Laid upon the Table by Mr. Dobson, September 17, 1880, and ordered by the House to be printed.



*To the Honorable the Speaker and the Members of the House of  
Assembly of Tasmania, in Parliament assembled.*

The humble Petition of the undersigned Owners and Occupiers of Orchards in  
Tasmania.

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :

THAT your Petitioners are of opinion that unless immediate action be taken to prevent the destruction of our fruit crops by the Codlin Moth the whole of the Orchards of the Island will soon become infected with the pest, to the serious injury of the fruit trade of Tasmania.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Honorable House will pass into law a measure to provide for the destruction of the insect known as the *Carpocapsa Pomonella*, or the Codlin Moth.

And your Petitioners will ever pray, &c.

[Here follow 27 Signatures].

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SIMILAR Petition from Hobart Town and Suburbs, with 51 Signatures.

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SIMILAR Petition from New Norfolk and Macquarie Plains, with 16 Signatures.