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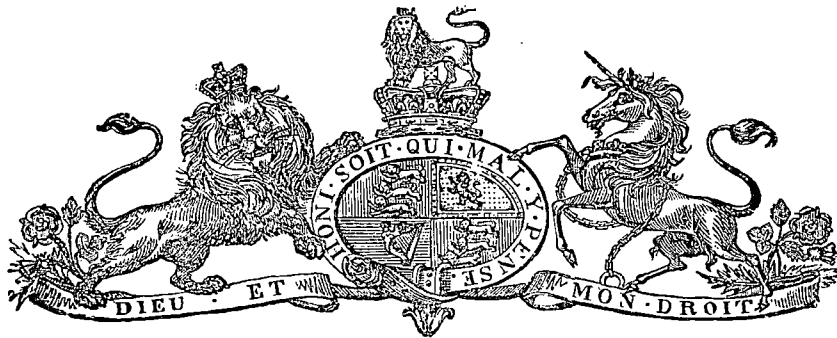
TASMANIA.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

TRANSPORTATION TO AUSTRALIA.

DESPATCH FROM SECRETARY OF STATE.

Laid on the Table by Mr. Whyte; and ordered by the Council to be printed,
August 21, 1863.



TASMANIA.

CONVICTS.

No. 34.

Downing-street, 26th June, 1863.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch, No. 24, of the 11th March, forwarding copy of a Resolution passed by the House of Assembly of Tasmania, objecting to the Transportation of Convicts to any settled portion of Australia.

I beg to inform you, that there is no intention of sending Convicts to any part of Australia, excepting only that Colony, situated at a great distance from all others, to which Convicts have already been sent for several years past.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble Servant,

NEWCASTLE.

Governor GORE BROWNE, C.B.