

(No. 14.)



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T A S M A N I A.

P E T I T I O N
OF BROWN'S RIVER ROAD TRUSTEES.

Presented by Mr. Nutt, and ordered by the House to be printed, 8 December, 1856.



To the Honourable the Members of the House of Assembly in Parliament assembled.

The Petition of the Undersigned

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :

THAT, at a Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Brown's River Road District, held on the 29th November, your Petitioners were duly elected the Trustees of the said District, under the provisions of the Cross and Bye Roads Act, 1853.

That your Petitioners find that they are unable to carry the Provisions of the Act into effect ; because there is neither Church nor Chapel on which to post the Notification of the Assessment about to be made on the Inhabitants, as required by the 11th Section of the Cross and Bye Roads Act, No. 8 of the 17th Victoria (1852).

That this is a Road District in which there is no Resident Magistrate to call a Meeting of the Inhabitants for the purpose of putting the Act into operation.

That your Petitioners are informed and believe that several Road Districts are in a similar position, viz.—the North West Bay Road District, the Victoria Road District, the Port Cygnet Road District, the Honeywood Road District, the South Port Road District, the Mersey Road District, and others.

That your Petitioners pray your Honourable House to take the premises into consideration, and apply such a remedy as you in your wisdom shall think fit.

And your Petitioners, as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

J. A. MONTEATH,
CHAS. HOLLINDALE,

For and on behalf of the Trustees for the Brown's River Road District.

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