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*To the Honourable the House of Assembly of Tasmania,
in Parliament assembled.*

The Petition of the undersigned.

HUMBLY SHOWETH :

THAT your Petitioners have seen that it is proposed by the 44th clause of the Licensing Act, now under the consideration of your Honourable House, to allow Public Houses to be open for the sale of intoxicating liquors during certain hours on the Sabbath-day.

Your Petitioners, being convinced that many evils would result to society from such an arrangement, most anxiously pray that this clause may not become law.

And we will ever pray, &c.

Signed, on behalf of the Church and Congregation meeting in the Independent Chapel, Tamar-street, Launceston ;

Charles Price, Pastor.

R. Pescodd, Deacon.

D. Room.