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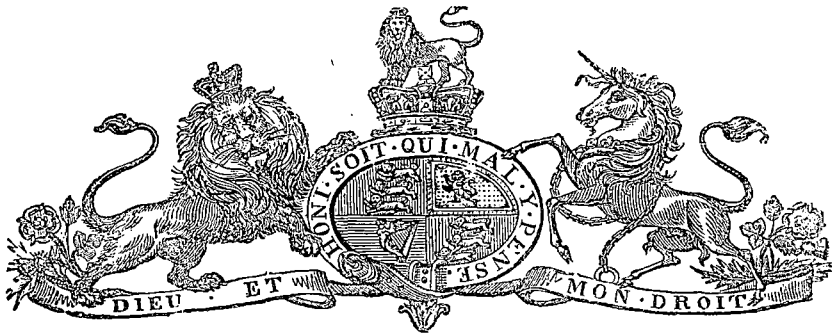
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PETITION, No. 19.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, LAUNCESTON—AGAINST ADDITIONAL
GRANT FOR ECCLESIASTICAL PURPOSES.

Presented by Mr. Sherwin, and ordered by the House to be printed, 22nd August,
1860.



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

The Petition of the undersigned Minister and Office-bearers representing the Wesleyan Church and Congregation in Launceston.

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :

THAT your Petitioners perceive that a Motion is about to be brought before your Honourable House to place on the Estimates an additional grant for Ecclesiastical purposes.

That, apart from other and weighty considerations, your Petitioners deem it utterly inexpedient, in the present depressed state of the Colony, to appropriate any more of the public revenue for the contemplated objects; and would, therefore, most earnestly pray your Honourable House not to allow the Motion to pass into Law.

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

THOS. B. HARRIS, *Minister.*
JOHN CROOKES, } *Circuit Stewards.*
W. J. NORWOOD, }
ISAAC SHERWIN, *Society Steward.*
FRANK HART, } *Chapel and Poor*
W. S. BONNER, } *Stewards.*