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PETITION OF HOLDERS OF PUBLIC-HOUSE LICENCES ON THE  
SOUTHERN SIDE OF TASMANIA.

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Presented by Mr. Dunn, 9 September, 1858, and ordered by the House to be printed.



*To the Honorable the Members of the House of Assembly  
in Parliament assembled.*

The Memorial of the undersigned Holders of Public-house Licences on the Southern side of the Island of Tasmania.

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :

THAT your Memorialists are authorised to sell Liquors in the houses occupied by them, and mentioned in the respective Licences issued to them, under the authority, and on the terms, conditions, and restrictions imposed by an Act of the Parliament of Tasmania, intituled "An Act to regulate the Sale of Liquors."

That by the said Act of Council your Memorialists were not only brought under more severe and stringent enactments, but also had the Licence Fee raised from the sum of £25 to £50.

That in the present depressed state of the Colony, and the falling off of trade, your Memorialists respectfully submit to your Honorable House that the present enormous Licence Fee of £50 is more than they can pay.

That when your Memorialists presented a Petition to your Honorable House last Session against the said enormous Fee of £50, and the same was under discussion, it was defended upon the ground that, as the whole expense of the Police was borne by the Government, and the Ways and Means for the current year were prepared, it would be embarrassing the Government to make any reduction or alteration in the Licence Fee at that time.

That since the time your Memorialists petitioned your Honorable House the Municipal Act has passed into Law, thereby placing the whole expense of the Police of Hobart Town and Launceston upon the Inhabitants thereof; and your Memorialists respectfully suggest that it would be unjust and unfair to still keep the Licence Fee at £50.

Your Memorialists respectfully beg to bring under the notice of your Honorable House that, since the passing of the Act imposing the heavy Fee of £50, the population has greatly decreased by the inhabitants emigrating to the more prosperous neighboring Colonies, trade has become depressed, and property depreciated upwards of one hundred per cent., and that they are less able at the present time to pay £25 than they were formerly able to pay £50.

Your Memorialists therefore pray that your Honorable House will take the premises into consideration, and be pleased to repeal Clause No. 53 of the said Licensing Act fixing the annual Licence Fee at £50, and in lieu thereof fix such annual Licence Fee at £25, or such lesser sum as your Honorable House in your wisdom may deem within the altered circumstances of the Colony and of your Memorialists.

And your Memorialists will ever pray,

August, 1858.

Wm. Geo. Beaumont, Shades Tavern, Old Wharf	George Wilson, Man-of-War, Argyle-street
James Matches, Steam-packet Tavern, Old Wharf	Thomas Workman, Royal Standard, Elizabeth-
Thomas Dowling, Sawyer's Arms, Murray-street	street
John Revis, English, French and American Hotel	H. Thomas Hodson, City of Norwich, Argyle-
Josiah Hand, Lord Melbourne, Melville-street	street
Thomas Holden, Rainbow Inn, New Town Road	John Frost, White Conduit House, Murray-street
Thomas Priest, Kensington Inn, Argyle-street	W. Wrathall, Glasgow Wine Vaults

- John Asbury, Garrick's Head Hotel  
 James Thomas, White Swan, Liverpool-street  
 George Hill, Emeu, Liverpool-street  
 Thomas Punshon, Sir Thomas Picton, Harrington-street  
 George Tennant, Nag's Head, Melville-street  
 John Chapman, Marquis of Hastings, Hill-street  
 William Moxham, Help-Me-Through-the-World  
 William Sellers, Duke of Wellington  
 Joshua Moore, Denison Hotel  
 Philip Allen, Britannia Inn  
 Jane Battersby, Northumberland Inn  
 James Norton, Joiner's Arms  
 Mary Ann Beck, Queen Adelaide Inn  
 (Signature illegible)  
 John Turner, Syntax, Sandy Bay  
 Charles Conliffe, Sandwich Islands, Sandy Bay  
 Alex. Jack, Star of Tasmania  
 Wm. Johnson, Barley-mow, Battery Point  
 Thomas Innis, Patent Slip  
 Stephen Clarke, Neptune Inn  
 Benjamin Bernal, Kangaroo Family Hotel  
 Thomas Downie, Marine Hotel  
 E. Jones, Florence Nightingale Hotel  
 Saul Solomon, Hobart Town Hotel  
 George Page, Phoenix Hotel, Old Wharf  
 William Robertson, Hammer-in-Hand, Park-street  
 Wm. Screen, Sir George Arthur, Campbell-street  
 E. W. Sims, New Market Hotel  
 Wm. M'Laren, Exchange, Collins-street  
 F. H. Byron, General Washington  
 Edward M. Lilley, Mariner's Compass  
 Lewis Riley, Victoria Tavern  
 Joseph Lazarus, Waterloo Hotel  
 Julia Myers, Waterloo Hotel  
 John Clues, Golden Cross, Murray-street  
 Henry Elliott, Sir John Franklin  
 Robert Ridge, Turf Hotel  
 J. Laffer, Holyrood House, Murray-street  
 John M'Grath, White Horse Tavern, Liverpool-street  
 Wm. Crump, Lamb Inn, Brisbane-street  
 J. Trowbridge, Talbot Inn, New Town  
 Wm. Warren, Red Lion, Liverpool-street  
 George H. Sharpe, Lord Raglan Hotel, Elizabeth-street  
 George Burt, Golden Gate, Harrington-street  
 Henry Oliver, George and Drágon, Elizabeth-street  
 John Talbot Cockram, Butcher's Arms, Argyle-street  
 William Piggott, Native Youth, New Town  
 William Simpson, Derwent Tavern, Elizabeth-street  
 H. F. Luckman, Kangaroo Inn, Kangaroo Bottom  
 James Emery, Lord Morpeth, Collins-street  
 William Cousins, Ordnance Arms, Liverpool-street  
 William Chatley, Gordon Castle, Liverpool-street  
 John Guest, Rainbow, Liverpool-street  
 William J. Raines, White Lion, Harrington-street  
 Sarah Heaver, Inkerman Inn, Argyle-street  
 Roger Davis, Barrack-street  
 William Ford, Cornish Mount, Barrack-street  
 David Manson, Saracen's Head, Barrack-street  
 William Bell Sutton, Wheat Sheaf, Macquarie-street  
 Sarah Ridler, Fortune of War, Macquarie-street  
 E. Jennings, Buckingham Inn  
 Henry Newman, Cascade Inn  
 A. Heron, Globe Inn, Antill-street  
 James Priest, Davey-street  
 John M'Arthur, Queenborough Arms  
 Wm. Houlder, Clarendon Hotel, Sandy Bay  
 Wm. Thomson, Shipwright's Arms  
 T. Marsden, Prince of Wales  
 Thomas Robinson, Prince Napoleon  
 William Sykes, Lord Rodney  
 David Evans, New Constitution Hotel  
 P. A. DeRooke, Telegraph Hotel  
 John Smith, Lloyd's Hotel  
 Henry Wright, Hope and Anchor  
 Wm. Creswell, Bridge Inn  
 Henry Mooney, Shakspear Hotel  
 Henry Mitson, Union, Campbell-street  
 John Brook, Three Trunks, Cambridge  
 Henry Brittain, Commercial Hotel, Collins-street  
 James Wiggins, The Duchess of Kent, Murray-street  
 Mrs. Drinkwater, Marquis of Waterford  
 John Webb, Bedford Inn  
 Wm. Thomas, Devonshire Arms  
 Joseph Fisher, Royal Oak  
 James Willison, Jolly Scotchman, Brisbane-street  
 Thomas Petty, Birmingham Arms, Murray-street  
 James Bonney, Duke of Clarence, Murray-street  
 R. Lewis, Blue Bells, Murray-street  
 Thomas Mollor, Freemason's Arms, Murray-street  
 Frederick Watson, Lime Kiln Inn  
 James Willetts Taylor, Albermarle Arms, Goulburn-street  
 William Smith, Upper Goulburn-street  
 Charles M'Leod, Pickwick Tavern, Liverpool-street  
 Elizabeth Bell, Hibernia Hotel, Liverpool-street  
 Thomas Aberne, Queen's Arms, Harrington-street  
 Ann Ramsden, Whale Fishery  
 Valentine Marshall, Middleton Hotel, Long Bay  
 Ann Newman, Club Hotel, Murray street  
 Amelia Hough, White Hart, Elizabeth-street  
 Robert Collins, Inkerman Inn, Argyle-street  
 Elizabeth Barnes, Black Prince, Elizabeth-street  
 George Chase, Stowell Arms, Elizabeth-street  
 M. A. Smith, Old Bell, Elizabeth-street  
 John Fuller, Old Commodore, Brisbane-street  
 Israel Hyams, (per J. Hand) Rose and Crown, Elizabeth-street  
 John Stone, Crown and Kettle, Elizabeth-street  
 William Butcher, Peacock Inn, Barrack-street  
 Thomas Weare, Vine Tavern  
 John Walker, Birmingham House  
 John Popham, Prince of Orange, Elizabeth-street  
 Titus Brown, (per J. Hand) York Tavern, Brisbane-street  
 John Patterson, Thatched House Tavern, Argyle-street  
 Samuel Blackall, Crown and Anchor, New Town  
 Samuel Kirkby, Golden Fleece, Kangaroo Point  
 John Pearce, Horse and Jockey, Clarence Plains  
 Eli Allen, Horse Shoe Inn, Cambridge  
 John Brock, Three Trunks Inn, Cambridge  
 Henry Mathison, Sailor's Return, Hunter-street  
 William Guest, Good Woman, Argyle-street  
 Andrew Woods, Harvest Home, New Town Road  
 Thomas Brown, London Wine Vaults, Liverpool-street  
 F. Paterson, Whaler's Return, New Wharf  
 William Cooper, Rock Hotel, Elizabeth-street  
 George Brown, Sir John Falstaff, Campbell-street  
 Henry Edwards, Queen Victoria Inn, Lower Collins-street  
 Thos. A. Horne, Waterman's Arms, Kangaroo Point

- William Hornby, Oporto Wine Stores, Liverpool-street  
 John Smith, Blue Bells, Sorell  
 George Frost, Coach and Horses, Lemon Springs  
 George Hicks, York Hotel  
 Isaac Pear, Duke of Clarence, Murray-street  
 Thomas Todd Cooley, (per T. Cooley, jun.) Horse and Jockey, New Town  
 W. Hanny, Black Snake, Bridgewater  
 Fredk. Glover, Port Cygnet Hotel, Port Cygnet  
 Robert Wiggins  
 Charles M'Carthy, Quarryman's Arms, Argyle-street  
 John Grey Coulson, Rob Roy, Liverpool-street  
 Simon M'Culloch, Union Hotel, Richmond  
 David Murphy, Bridge Inn, Richmond  
 Charles Lamb, Jerusalem Inn, Jerusalem  
 Jas. Cavey, Half-way House, Lower Jerusalem  
 John M'Connon, Red Lion Inn, Jerusalem  
 George Guy, Richmond Hotel, Richmond  
 Thomas Featherstone, Lennox Arms, Richmond  
 Samuel Burgess, Star and Garter, Richmond  
 Thos. Allwright, Star and Garter, New Norfolk  
 R. Thompson, Union Inn, New Norfolk  
 Henry Excell, Wheat Sheaf Inn, New Norfolk  
 F. L. Piguenit, Bush Hotel, New Norfolk  
 Richard Whitbread, Golden Lion, New Norfolk  
 John F. Morris, Ark Inn, New Norfolk  
 William Mathews, Blue Anchor, Falls, New Norfolk  
 John Hedger, Derwent Hotel, Falls, New Norfolk  
 Daniel Brown, Veteran's Inn, Green Ponds  
 John Palmer, Swan Inn, Bagdad  
 James New, Royal Hotel, Bagdad  
 A. C. Bayley, Prince of Wales, Broad Marsh  
 Richard Tonks, Jordan Inn, Broad Marsh  
 John Picken, Royal Oak, Cross Marsh  
 John Rider, Turf Hotel, Green Ponds  
 Joseph Greaves, Victoria Inn, Green Ponds  
 Wm. H. Ellis, Ellis Hotel, Green Ponds  
 John Hartwell, Wilmot Arms, Green Ponds  
 W. Lacey, Cape Good Hope  
 Edward Bowden, Junior, Castle Inn, Bothwell  
 Robert Whiteway, White Hart Tavern, Bothwell  
 William Markell, Young Queen, Bothwell  
 William Mayes, Crown Inn, Bothwell  
 Samuel Iles, Pembroke Inn, Sorell  
 John Iles, The Rose and Crown Inn, Forcett  
 William Parker, Gordon Highlander, Sorell  
 James Jones, Victoria Inn, Forcett  
 George Wooley, Traveller's Rest, Wattle Hill  
 Peter Blake, Bridge Inn, Pontville  
 William Sharp, Crown Inn, Pontville  
 John Davis, Tasmanian Hotel, Brighton  
 Henry Priest, Crooked Billet, Brighton  
 William Bradshaw, Bridgewater Hotel, Bridgewater  
 W. S. Hagan, Derwent Hotel, Bridgewater  
 Mary Horwood for Christopher Horwood, Plough and Harrow, Murray-street  
 John Calder, Sir Thomas Brisbane, Murray-street  
 A. Walker, Bay Horse, Goulburn street  
 James Goodwin, Emerald Inn  
 Ann Ainsworth, (per J. Hand) Man of Ross, Liverpool-street  
 Elizabeth Reynolds, Shamrock Inn, Harrington  
 John Clayton, (per J. Hand) Brown Bear, Harrington-street  
 J. Watchorn, Salutation Inn, Liverpool-street  
 William Watkins, Derwent Hotel, Murray-street  
 James C. Todd, Todd's Hotel  
 Jno. Symmons, Rising Sun, Bathurst-street  
 James Thos. Robertson, Jolly Hatters, Melville-street  
 H. R. Brett, Bull and Mouth, Elizabeth-street  
 Jonas Cranston, Odd Fellow's Hotel, Elizabeth-street  
 Richard Cousins, (per J. Hand) Canterbury Inn, Elizabeth-street  
 Benjn. Hurst, Argyle-street  
 John Howard, Fountain Inn, Argyle-street  
 James Reed, King's Arms, Murray-street  
 William Morton, Star Inn, Goulburn-street  
 Andrew Charles Kirk, Labour in Vain, Elizabeth-street  
 Joseph Hawles, (per J. Hand) Dog and Partridge, Barrack-street  
 William Hornby, Oporto Wine Vaults, Liverpool-street  
 Charles Wright, (per J. Hand) Lord Nelson, Macquarie-street  
 William Grey, Queen's Head, New Town Road  
 John Miller, Kingston Hotel, Brown's River  
 W. D. Wood, (per J. Hand) Neptune Inn, Wharf  
 John Allan, (per J. Hand) Dallas Arms, New Town Road  
 James Cousins, Bull's Head  
 John Eaves, Swanston Inn, Flight's Bay  
 David Sharpe, (p.p. J. G. Roberts) Traveller's Rest, Sandy Bay  
 Richard Anson, Ship Hotel  
 N. Bastian for C. Bastian  
 Nathaniel Lucas, Brunswick Wine Vaults, Liverpool-street  
 T. R. Richards, Albion Inn, Elizabeth-street  
 John M'Williams, Montpellier Retreat  
 J. Shadwick, (per J. Hand) Prince Albert, New Town  
 David Laing, Tasmanian Steam Navigation Hotel  
 H. B. Bowden, Ocean Child, Argyle-street  
 John Felmingham, (per J. Hand) Prosser's Plains  
 John Thomas, Marquis of Hastings  
 Charles Billing, Oxford Arms  
 William Nicholls, (per J. Hand) Dusty Miller, O'Brien's Bridge  
 Henry Jackson, Hitt or Miss, Hamilton  
 Samuel Inders, Bird-in-Hand, Hamilton  
 Richard Baldwin, Old Hamilton Inn, Hamilton  
 Martha Willcox, New Inn, Hamilton  
 George Reggett, Tasmanian Lass, Hamilton  
 Ann Butcher, (per J. Hand) London Arms, Campbell-street  
 Mary Ann Reeves, (per J. Hand) Bath Arms, Murray-street.