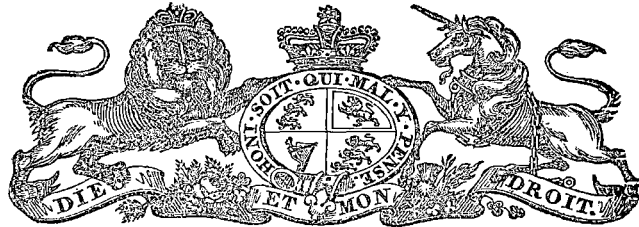


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CENTRAL OFFICE, MINING DEPARTMENT:

PETITIONS FOR LOCATION AT LAUNCESTON.

Presented by Mr. Aikenhead, August 23, and September 19; and ordered by the Council to be printed, September 21, 1882.



To the Honorable the President and Members of the Legislative Council.

WE, the undersigned Residents of Lefroy, believing it to be of urgent importance for the protection and development of the Mining interests, upon the success of which in a great measure depends the prosperity of the Colony, do respectfully petition your Honorable House to place the Central Office for the Mining Department at Launceston, as being best adapted to meet the wants of the community.

And we will ever pray.

[Here follow 95 Signatures.]

To the Honorable the President and Members of the Legislative Council.

WE, the undersigned Residents at Gladstone and its vicinity, do humbly petition your Honorable House to take such measures as your wisdom may direct so that the Central Office for the Mining Department and all matters connected therewith be located at Launceston, as it is of vital importance to the progress and prosperity of the interests involved.

And we will ever pray.

[Here follow 78 Signatures.]
