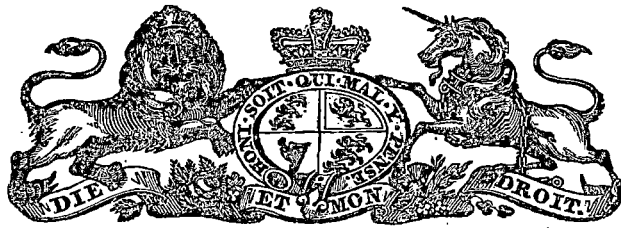


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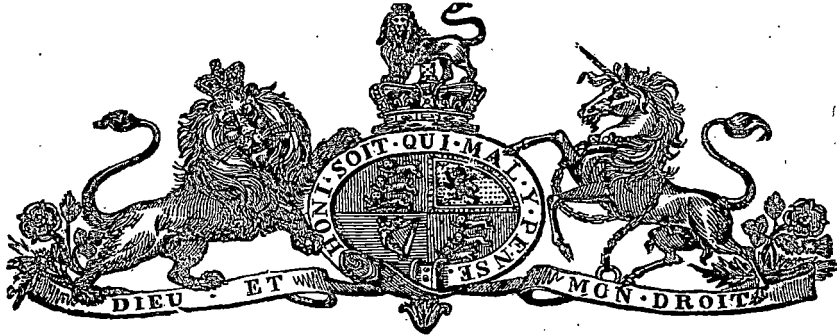
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P E T I T I O N

FROM FINGAL FOR AN AMENDMENT OF THE LAW OF
HAWKING.

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To the Honorable the Members of the House of Assembly of Tasmania, in Parliament assembled.

The Petition of the undersigned Inhabitants of Fingal.

HUMBLY SHOWETH :

THAT your Petitioners believe that the system of Hawking as at present carried on is a source of great evil throughout the Colony, and by means thereof great facility is afforded for the receiving and disposing of stolen property, thereby encouraging crime.

Your Petitioners, therefore, humbly pray that your Honorable House will cause an enquiry to be made with the view of making such alterations in the existing law as you may deem in your wisdom to be necessary.

And your Petitioners will ever pray, &c.

JOHN STEEL.
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R. V. LEGGE.
WILLIAM LADE.