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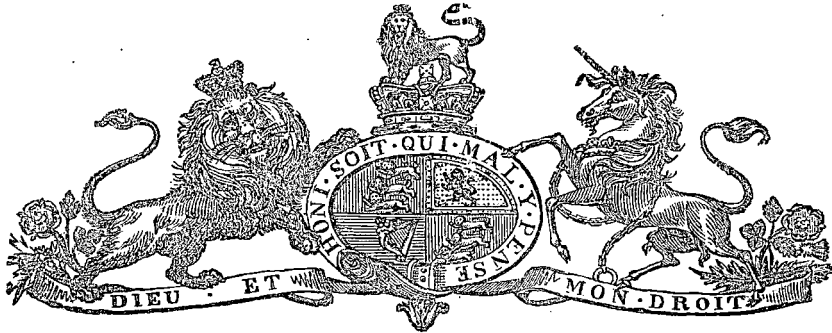
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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

PUBLIC WORKS.

PETITION FROM LANDHOLDERS OF PORT SORELL.

Laid upon the Table by Mr. Wedge, July 27; and ordered by the Council to be printed, July 28, 1865.



*To the Honorable the Members of the Legislative Council of Tasmania, in Parliament assembled.*

The Petition of the undersigned Landholders of the Western Portion of the District of Port Sorell.

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :

THAT your Petitioners regard with much anxiety the departure from our shores of the Native-born Population, and of many Colonists who are in a position to leave.

That we believe there is ample scope within the Colony for the exercise of the capital and industry we are thus losing, in consequence of the want of a system of developing our resources by opening Roads to our rich Agricultural Lands.

We therefore beg that your Honorable House will be pleased to support any Bill that may be introduced by the Government for the construction of Public Works in the Country Districts.

And your Petitioners will ever pray.

*[Here follow 151 Signatures.]*