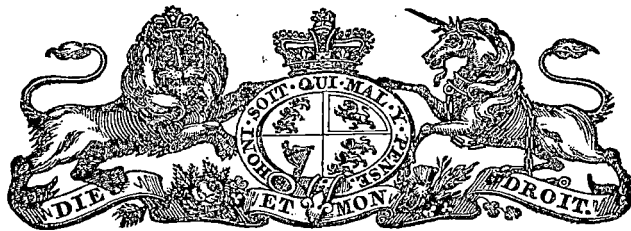


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SESSION IV.

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H O U S E O F A S S E M B L Y.

SCOTTSDALE AND PATTERSONIA ROAD.

PETITION FROM 239 SETTLERS AND RESIDENTS.

Presented by the Minister of Lands and Works, and ordered by the House to
be printed, November 6, 1877.



To His Excellency F. A. WELD, Esquire, C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Tasmania and its Dependencies, &c.

The Petition of the undersigned Settlers and others resident in the Districts of Scottsdale and Ringarooma.

HUMBLY SHOWETH:

THAT your Petitioners view with alarm and dissatisfaction the Scheme of Public Works as laid on the Table by the present Ministry, inasmuch as no provision is made therein for the road leading from Launceston to Scottsdale by way of Pattersonia.

That during the past fifteen years a very large quantity of agricultural land has been taken up in this district on the express understanding, and the repeated promises of several Ministries, that such road should be made.

That such road is the most direct route from Launceston to the Ringarooma Tin Fields, and is one of the most important Main Roads in the Colony.

Your Petitioners, therefore, humbly pray that Your Excellency will be pleased to order such measures as will ensure the speedy construction of a proper Main Line of Road between Launceston and Scottsdale *via* Pattersonia.

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

[*Here follow 239 Signatures.*]