

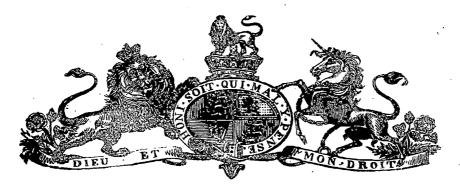
1885.

PARLIAMENT OF TASMANIA.

VACCINATION ACT:

PETITION FOR REPEAL OF COMPULSORY CLAUSES.

Presented by Mr. Moore, October 2, and ordered by the Legislative Council to be printed, October 7, 1885.



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

The humble Petition of the undersigned Inhabitants of West Devon,

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:

That, in the opinion of your humble Petitioners, Vaccination is not proved to have a preventive or modifying influence upon Small-pox, whilst it has been proved to be a vehicle for the spread of many dangerous and loathsome diseases. Your Petitioners humbly and respectfully pray that your Honorable House will be pleased to concur with the other branch of the Legislature in repealing the Compulsory Clauses of the Vaccination Act.

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

[Here follow 411 signatures.]

The following Petitions, in the same terms, were also presented during the Session :-

From whom.	By whom presented.	When presented.	No. of Signatures.	When ordered to be printed.
From Inhabitants of East Devon Ditto Launceston		1885. October 16 November 20	157 564	1885. October 20. November 26.