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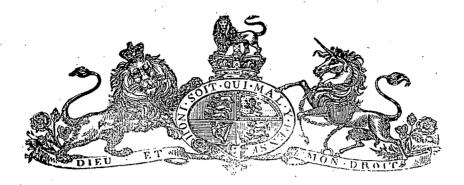
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

## PUBLIC WORKS, ULVERSTONE AND VICINITY:

PETITION.

Return to an Order of the House of Assembly. (Mr. Braddon.)

Laid upon the Table by the Minister of Lands, and ordered by the House to be printed, August 9, 1883.



To His Excellency SIR GEORGE CUMINE STRAHAN, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Tasmania and its Dependencies, in Council.

The Memorial of the undersigned Residents and Non-Residents holding Land at the River Leven and in its Vicinity.

## **HUMBLY SHOWETH:**

That your Petitioners can testify that, previous to the erection of the present bridge at the River Leven and on the main coast road, the River Leven was navigated by coasting and intercolonial vessels for various distances beyond the site of that bridge.

That your Memorialists are of opinion that, in order to facilitate the development of the agricultural and mineral resources of much of the country situated east and west of the River Leven, and to admit of the ready transport of timber, the whole of the tidal part of that river should be available for navigation.

Your Memorialists therefore respectfully urge that Your Excellency will cause the proposed new bridge at the River Leven to be constructed with a movable platform, in order to admit the passage of sea-going vessels.

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

[Signed by W. W. Lodder, Major-General; A. W. Warner, James A. Fogg, J. H. Dundas, and 56 others.]