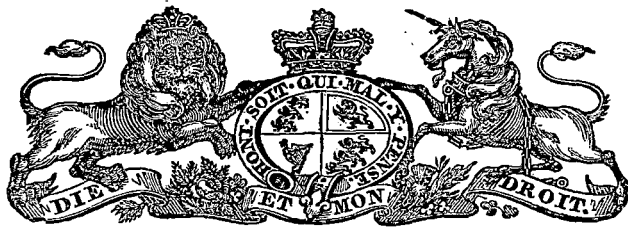


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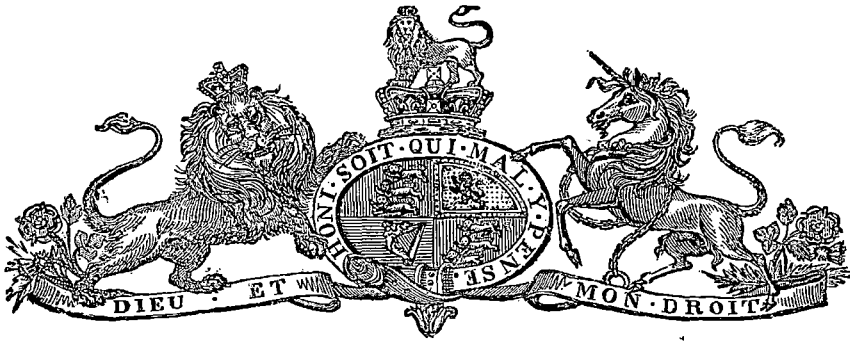
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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

**PROPERTY VALUATION ACT AMENDMENT
BILL.**

PETITION OF MR. JOHN GIBSON.

Presented by Mr. Cameron, August 18 ; and ordered by the Council to be printed,
August 19, 1868.



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

The humble Petition of the Ratepayers of the Municipal District of Evandale.

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :

THAT at a Public Meeting held at Evandale on the 12th August, 1868, your Petitioners were unanimously of opinion that the Property Valuation Act required amendment, but that the Bill now before Parliament is not calculated to effect that purpose. That the appointment of Commissioners will be extremely costly, and the result altogether unsatisfactory; and that the power intended to be conferred upon the said Commissioners is highly offensive, objectionable, and unnecessary.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Honorable House will not allow the said Bill for amending the Property Valuation Act to pass into law in its present form.

And as in duty bound your Petitioners will ever pray.

Signed, at the request and on behalf of the Meeting, by

JOHN GIBSON, *Chairman of the Meeting.*