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# ANNO QUINTO **DECIMO** GEORGII V. REGIS,

No. 32.

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## \*\*<del>\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*</del> AN ACT to amend "The Crown Lands Act, 1911." $\lceil 8 \; December, \; 1924. \rceil$

A.D. 1924.

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—(1) This Act may be cited as "The Crown Lands Act, 1924." (2) "The Crown Lands Act, 1911," is herein called "the Principal Act. Act." Principal Act. 2 Geo. V. No.

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2—(1) Section Eight of the Principal Act is hereby repealed. (2) The Governor may appoint a Secretary for Lands who shall have all the powers and authorities, and shall perform and be subject to all the duties and obligations heretofore vested in or imposed on the Surveyor-General by the Principal Act.

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(3) Wherever in any Act (except "The Land Surveyors' Act. 1909"), or in any regulations, rules, or by-laws thereunder, the Surveyor-General is referred to, such reference shall be deemed to be a reference to the Secretary for Lands.

Abolition of General.

(4) The office of Surveyor-General constituted under the Principal office of Surveyor- Act is hereby abolished as from the First day of July, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

Amendment of Section 23 of the Principal Act.

3 Section Twenty-three of the Principal Act is hereby amended by deleting the words "in the prescribed manner" wherever those words occur in Paragraphs 1. or 11. or Sub-paragraph (c) of Paragraph v. of the said section.

Amendment of Section 24 of the follows:--Principal Act.

4 Section Twenty-four of the Principal Act is hereby amended as

- I. As to Paragraph I. of Subsection (1) of the said section, by deleting all the words in the First line of the said paragraph, and substituting the following words therefor:—
  - "At the value per acre, to be fixed by the Secretary for Lands, and upon the terms set forth in Subsection (2) of this section":
- II. As to Paragraph II. of the said subsection, by deleting the words "in the prescribed manner" in the Second line of the said paragraph, and by deleting the figure "(2)" in the Third line of the said paragraph, and substituting the figure "(3)" therefor:
- III. As to Paragraph III. of the said subsection, by deleting the words "in the prescribed manner" in the First and Second lines of the said paragraph, and by deleting the figure "(2)" in the Third line of the said paragraph, and substituting the figure "(3)" therefor:

iv. By inserting immediately after Subsection (1) of the said section the following new subsection, as Subsection (2) thereof:

- "(2) Upon the sale of any first-class land purchased under this section the terms of purchase shall be as follows:—A sum equal to One-third of the price shall be added thereto by way of premium for allowance of credit, and the amount of the price and the premium shall become the purchase money of the land, and the purchaser shall pay a deposit of One One-hundred-and-sixtieth part of the purchase money at the time of sale, and shall contract to pay, and shall pay, the residue of the purchase money by Twenty-four annual instalments, the first of which shall be paid at the expiration of One year from the time of sale. The instalments shall be of the amounts following: -
  - (a) Each of the first Four instalments shall be of an amount equal to One One-hundred-and-twentyeighth part of the purchase money;

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- (b) Each of the next Four instalments shall be of an A.D. 1924. amount equal to One Sixty-fourth part of the purchase money;
- (c) Each of the next Four instalments shall be of an amount equal to Three Eightieth parts of the purchase money; and
- (d) Each of the remaining instalments shall be of an amount equal to One Sixteenth part of the purchase money—

and the purchase money and the instalments thereof shall be calculated in the manner set forth in the example in Schedule (2) to this Act ": and

- v. By re-numbering Subsection (2) of the said section as Subsection (3) thereof.
- 5 Section Twenty-five of the Principal Act is hereby amended by Amendment of deleting the word "Six" in the Fifth line of the said section, and sub- Section 25 of the stituting the word "Eleven" therefor.

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6 Section Fifty-seven of the Principal Act is hereby amended by Amendment of deleting the words "in the prescribed manner" in the Fifth line of the Section 57 of the said section.

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7 Section Seventy-nine of the Principal Act is hereby amended as Amendment of follows:—

Section 79 of the Principal Act.

- I As to Subsection (1) of the said section by inserting after the word "shall," in the Third line thereof the words "(except in cases provided for by Subsection (2) of this section)": and
- II. By expunging Subsection (2) of the said section and substituting the following subsection therefor:—
  - "(2) Upon the sale of any first-class land purchased Payment of under Section Fifty-seven of this Act, the terms of pur-purchase money chase shall be the same as those set forth in Section on first-class land selected under Twenty-four of this Act with respect to first-class land Section 57. purchased under the lastmentioned section."

8 Section One hundred and sixty of the Principal Act is hereby Amendment of amended by inserting after Paragraph xa. of Subsection (1) thereof Section 160 of the the following paragraph:—

Principal Act.

"xb. Providing for the signing or execution on behalf of the Commissioner, by the Secretary for Lands or other prescribed officer, of documents of any particular class or classes required by this Act to be signed or executed by the Commissioner, and for giving validity to all documents so signed or executed by the Secretary for Lands or such other officer in the same manner as if they had been signed or executed by the Commissioner."

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Leases of town lands.

9-(1) The Commissioner may, with the consent of the Governor, lease to any person, on such terms and conditions, and for such period not exceeding Seven years, as the Governor sees fit-

I. Any Crown land situate in any town: or

11. Any building or part of a building on such land which is not for the time being required for any public purpose.

(2) Sections One hundred and twenty-one to One hundred and thirty inclusive of the Principal Act shall not apply to any lease granted under this section.

Repeal of Schedule (2) to the Principal Act, Sections 24 and 57. First-class land

and substitution of new schedule.

selected.

10 Schedule (2) to the Principal Act is hereby repealed, and the following schedule substituted therefor:-

> "(2) Example.

	at.	s.	a.
Purchase price	100	0	0
Add one-third for credit	33	6	8

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Purchase money	£133	6	8
	£	s.	d.
Cash at time of purchase, 160 of purchase money	0	16	8
1st year, $\frac{1}{128}$ of purchase money	1	0	10
2nd year, ditto	1	0	10
3rd year, ditto	1	0	10
4th year, ditto	1	0	10
5th year, $\frac{1}{64}$ of purchase money	2	1	8
6th year, ditto	2 2	1	8
7th year, ditto		1	8
8th year, ditto	2	1	8
9th year, $^3_{80}$ of purchase money	5	0	0
10th year, ditto	5	0	0
11th year, ditto	5	0	0
12th year, ditto	5	0	0
13th year, 16 of purchase money	8	6	8
14th year, ditto	8	6	8
15th year, ditto	8	6	8
16th year, ditto	8	6	8
17th year, ditto	8	6	8
18th year, ditto	8	6	8
19th year, ditto	8	6	8
20th year, ditto	8	6	8
21st year, ditto	8	6	8
22nd year, ditto	8	6	8
23rd year, ditto	8	6	8
24th year, ditto	8	6	8
	£133	6	8

and in a like proportion for any greater or smaller amount of purchase-money."