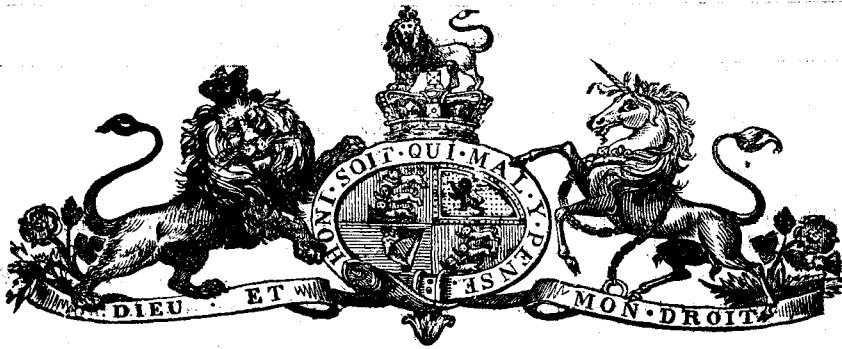


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1873.

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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ,

No. 23.

AN ACT to provide for the Erection of Lines of Electric Telegraph. [31 October, 1873.] A.D. 1873.

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 It shall be lawful for the Minister of Lands and Works to cause to be erected and completed the several Lines of Electric Telegraph mentioned in the Schedule and to provide all works and appliances connected therewith, at a cost for each of the said Lines of Electric Telegraph not exceeding the amount therein set opposite the same respectively.

Minister of Lands to cause Lines of Electric Telegraph to be erected.

If the actual cost of any or either of the said Lines of Electric Telegraph is less than the amount set opposite the same in the Schedule, it shall be lawful for the said Minister to apply the difference between such actual cost and the amount set opposite the same in the Schedule, in and towards the cost of any other of the said Lines of Electric Telegraph, if the actual cost of the last-mentioned Line of Electric Telegraph is greater than the amount set opposite the same in the Schedule.

2 The cost of erecting such Lines of Electric Telegraph, and providing all works and appliances connected therewith, shall be defrayed out of the moneys to be raised by loan for that purpose under the authority of "The Electric Telegraphs Loans Act, 1873."

Defrayment of cost.

3 "The Telegraphs Extension Act" and Section 23 of "The Local Public Works Act, 1872," are hereby repealed.

Repeals 35 Vict. No. 12, and 36 Vict. No. 18, s. 23.

4 This Act may be cited as "The Electric Telegraphs Act, 1873."

Short title.

Electric Telegraphs Act, 1873.

A.D. 1873.

SCHEDULE.

	£
For defraying the cost of erecting a Line of Electric Telegraph from Deloraine to Circular Head, and providing all works and appliances connected therewith	4000
For defraying the cost of erecting a Line of Electric Telegraph from the proposed Station on the Main Line of Railway nearest to Richmond, or from the present Line of Telegraph, to Richmond, and from thence to Sorell, Buckland, Spring Bay, and Swansea, and providing all works and appliances connected therewith	2000
For defraying the cost of erecting a Line of Electric Telegraph to Fingal and the Township of Mathinna from the Main Line of Road at a place called Willis's Corners, and providing all works and appliances connected therewith	1500
	<u>£7500</u>