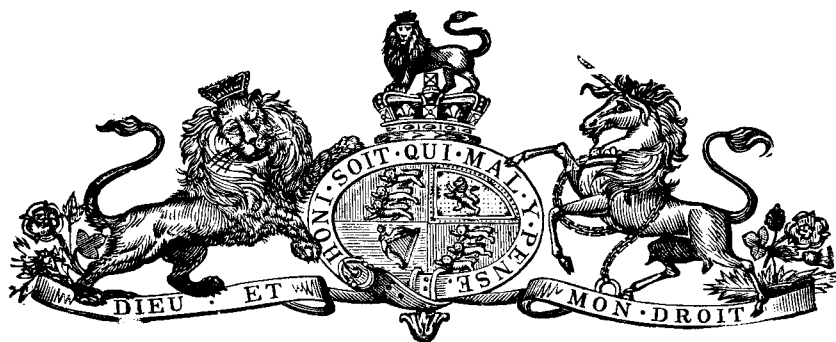


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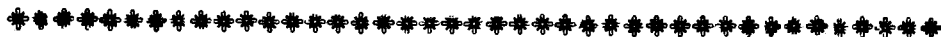


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No. 23.



AN ACT to Extend the Jurisdiction of the Local Board of Health of the City of *Launceston*, and for other purposes.

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[5 December, 1902.]

**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** This Act may be cited as “The *Launceston* Local Board of Health Jurisdiction Extension Act, 1902.” Short title.

**2** In this Act the expression—

“The Board” means the Local Board of Health of the City of *Launceston*: Interpretation.

“Local Authority” means the Board of any Town or the Trustees of any Road District.

**3** The area, known as *Lawrence Vale*, contained within the boundaries set forth in the Schedule to this Act shall hereafter be subject to the jurisdiction of the Local Board of Health of the City of *Launceston* *Lawrence Vale* to be subject to Board of Health of *Launceston*.  
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for the purposes of "The Public Health Act, 1885," and every Amendment thereof, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the said area was included in the boundaries of the said City.

Board may make sewers.

**4** The Board may cause to be made such sewers through or under any street or place in the said area as may be necessary for connecting same with the sewers in *Launceston*, and may open and break up the soil and pavement of any such street either in the construction, alteration, or repairs of such sewers.

Board to give notice to *Breadalbane* Road Trust.

**5** The Board shall before opening or breaking up any street in the said area give to the Secretary of the *Breadalbane* Road Trust notice in writing of the intention of the Board to open or break up the same not less than Three days before beginning such work, except in cases of emergency, and then as soon as possible after the beginning of the work or the necessity for the same has arisen; and the Board shall, with all convenient speed, complete the work for which the street was broken up, and reinstate and make good the places so opened or broken up, and carry away the rubbish occasioned thereby.

Board to cause light to be set up.

**6** The Board shall at all times whilst any such street is opened or broken up cause a light sufficient for the warning of passengers to be set up and kept lighted every night near to the places so opened or broken up.

Board may stop up streets, and require gas pipes to be altered.

**7** The Board may, if at any time it deem it necessary during the construction, alteration, or repairs of any sewer, cause to be stopped up all or any such part of the carriage or footway of any street in the said area for such period as may be reasonably necessary for the due execution of such work, and may by written or printed notice under the hand of the Secretary of the Board require the *Launceston* Gas Company to raise, sink, or otherwise alter the situation of any gas pipes in the said area in such manner and within such reasonable time as may be specified in such notice; and it shall be sufficient service of such notice to leave the same at the office of the Company in *Launceston*. Upon failure to comply with the requirements of the said notice the Company shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds, and to a further penalty of Two Pounds for each day during which such default continues after the expiration of the time mentioned in such notice.

Board may levy a Sanitary Rate.

**8** The Board may once in every year make, levy, and collect a Sanitary Rate from all owners of property within the said area for the purposes of sanitation generally, the defraying of the cost of any public sewers made therein, or of any alterations or repairs made to such sewers, the compensation paid for constructing any public sewer through private property, and interest at the rate of Six Pounds per centum per annum upon the cost of the said works. Every such rate shall not exceed One Shilling for every Pound of the annual value of the pro-

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perty in respect of which the rate is levied as shown by the Assessment Roll made by the Board under this Act. **A.D. 1902.**

**9** Subject to the provisions of this Act all the provisions of "The Sanitary Rate Act, 1889," which relate to the making, levying, and recovery of rates shall be applicable to the rates made and levied under this Act. **53 Vict. No. 10 to apply.**

**10** The Board may for the purposes of this Act assess the annual value of all lands and buildings in the said area as to the Board seems meet; and all the provisions contained in any Act enabling the Municipal Council of the City of *Launceston* to assess the annual value of lands and buildings within the said City shall extend and apply to the assessment of lands and buildings in the said area in the same manner as if the name of the Board had been inserted in such Act instead of the said Municipal Council, but not further or otherwise: Provided that any person affected by any such assessment may appeal therefrom in the same manner in all respects as any person may appeal from any assessment of property within the said City. **Board may assess annual value of lands and buildings.**

**11** The Local Authority of any Town or District whose drainage shall be discharged into any of the sewers in *Launceston* (except from *Lawrence Vale*) shall be liable in every year to pay compensation to the Board for discharging drainage from the said Town or District into the said sewers or any of them; and such compensation, in default of agreement, may be ascertained and recovered in a summary way on the complaint of the Board before any Two or more Justices of the Peace, who, in deciding the amount of compensation to be paid, shall have regard to the benefit annually derived by the said Town or District from the use of the said sewers or any of them: Provided that nothing herein contained shall prejudice or affect the rights of the Board to stop or close the said sewers or any of them against such drainage as aforesaid if default shall be made at any time in payment of the said compensation money for Three months after written demand shall have been made therefor by the Secretary of the Board. **Local authority to be liable to pay compensation to the Board for drainage discharged into *Launceston* sewers.**

**12** It shall be lawful for the Board to borrow, on security of the rates levied under this Act, any sum or sums of money not exceeding Two Thousand Pounds for the purposes of this Act; and all the provisions of "The Launceston Corporation Act, 1894," relating to Mortgage of Rates shall be applicable to any sum or sums of money borrowed under this Act. **Board may borrow Two thousand Pounds. 58 Vict. No. 30.**

**13** If, after having borrowed the said sum or sums, or any part thereof, the Board pays off the same, it shall be lawful for the Board again to borrow the amount so paid off, and so from time to time. **Board may re-borrow amount paid off.**

**14** This Act and "The Public Health Act, 1885," and all Acts amending the same, shall, save as amended by this Act, be read and construed together as one and the same Act. **Acts to be read together.**

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## SCHEDULE.

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LAWRENCE VALE.

Bounded by Melbourne-street, High-street, and the Hobart and Wellington Roads.