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Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 10 July, 1862, A. M. CHA. TOMPSON, Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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4. The Governor with the advice aforesaid may make regulations Government may not inconsistent with this Act to provide for all matters necessary for make regulations. carrying it into full effect which are not herein expressly enacted. And such regulations when published in the Gazette shall have the force of 25 law and copies thereof shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament forthwith if Parliament be then sitting and if not then within fourteen

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#### CHURCH AND SCHOOL LANDS BILL.

SCHEDULE of the Amendments made by the Legislative Council in the Bill intituded, "An Act to make further provision respecting the Church and School Lands," returned to the Legislative Assembly with Message of 5th November, 1862.

R. O'CONNOR, Clerk of the Legislative Council.

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The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with Amendments.

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