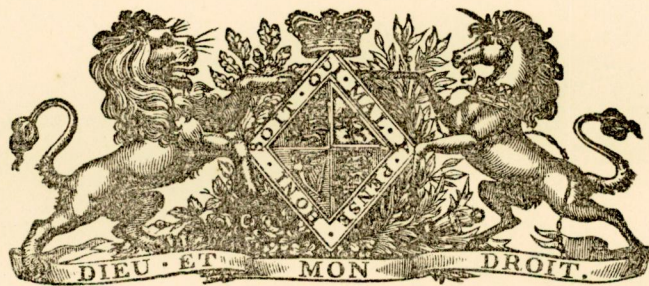


This PUBLIC BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber, }
Sydney, 18 December, 1862. }*

CHA. TOMPSON,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

New South Wales.



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An Act to amend the Gold Fields Act of 1861.

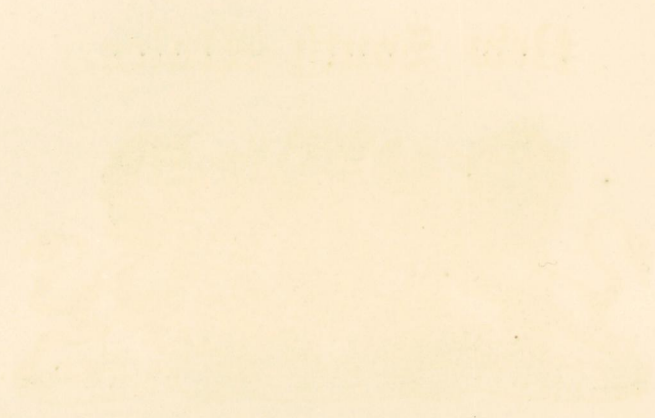
WHEREAS by the "Gold Fields Act of 1861" it is enacted that Preamble.
for any Gold Field a Court of Appeal shall be established and shall consist of a Chairman and two other persons who have held Miners' Rights for six months to be appointed by the Governor with
5 the advice of the Executive Council And whereas doubts exist whether such Chairman need have held any such Miners' Right and it is expedient to remove such doubts Be it therefore declared and enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of
10 New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows :—

1. It is not intended by the said recited Act and shall not be Construction of 25
or have been necessary that any Chairman of any Court of Appeal Vic. No. 4 s. 32.
established thereunder shall hold or shall have held any Miners'
15 Right nevertheless his holding or having held any such right shall not in any way affect his appointment as such Chairman or any act matter or thing which may be or may have been done by him or by the Court of Appeal of which he is or may be or may have been such Chairman.

20 2. This Act shall be styled and may be cited as the "Gold Short title.
Fields Appeal Court Act of 1862."

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