New South Wales.



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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. XXV.

An Act to amend the "Crown Lands Occupation Act of 1861." [Assented to, 25th April, 1873.]

W HEREAS it is expedient to amend the "Crown Lands Occupa-Preamble. tion Act of 1861" in respect of leases for mining for any metal or mineral excepting gold Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows :—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Crown Lands Occupation Short title and incor-Act Amendment Act of 1873" and shall be read with and as portion with Crown forming part of the "Crown Lands Occupation Act of 1861" Lands Occupation hereinafter termed the "Principal Act."

2. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the said Principal Authority to select Act every authority to select on Crown Lands coal or other mineral mineral lots to have first base of the provisions of the said Act shall from the date thereof have force and effect for two years from the date thereof unless sooner and to be transferable. satisfied and may be transferred at any time by the holder thereof on payment of a fee not exceeding twenty shillings for each block so transferred.

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36° VICTORIÆ, No. 25.

Crown Lands Occupation Act Amendment.

Amalgamation of adjoining mineral lots. 3. In any case in which it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council that greater facilities for the working of adjoining mineral lots would be insured by the amalgamation of such lots it shall be lawful for the Governor with the said advice to authorize such amalgamation upon the payment of a fee not exceeding twenty shillings for each block so to be amalgamated and the provision in sub-section (3) of the twenty-second section of the Principal Act prescribing the expenditure to be made on mineral lots shall apply to such lots when so amalgamated.

By Authority : THOMAS RICHARDS, Government Printer, Sydney, 1873.

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