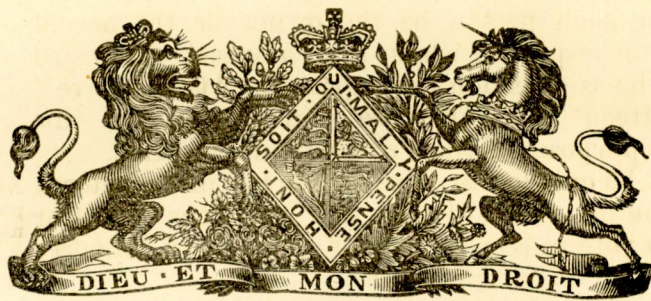


This PUBLIC BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 4 May, 1886.* }

F. W. WEBB,
Acting Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

New South Wales.



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No.

An Act to further amend the "Sydney Corporation Act of 1879."

WHEREAS it is enacted by the "Sydney Corporation Act of 1879" Preamble. hereinafter termed the "Principal Act" that lists of all persons capable under that Act of voting at elections shall on or before the first day of July in every year be made for each Ward of the City of Sydney from the receipts for City Rates paid to the thirtieth day of June in each year and given to the citizens by the City Treasurer And copies of such lists after revision and certification as by the said Act provided are declared to be the rolls of citizens for the Wards for which the same are respectively made out And whereas the said mode of compiling the citizens rolls does not in many cases ensure the right to vote to the persons who ought to possess it 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. On or before the first day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six and on or before the like day in every succeeding year in lieu of the lists prescribed by the eighth section of the Principal Act lists shall be made by the Town Clerk of all persons qualified in each Ward of the City of Sydney to vote at elections of Aldermen

Lists for Citizens' Rolls.

Sydney Corporation Act Amendment.

Aldermen and Auditors of the said City Such lists shall comprise the names of all inhabitant householders (whether males or females) within each Ward of the full age of twenty-one years and liable under Part VI of the Principal Act to pay the City Rate at the time of making
 5 such lists, as well as the names of all owners of property within each Ward Provided that every such owner shall at least thirty days before the making of such lists have notified in writing to the Town Clerk the property in respect of which he claims to be enrolled and provided also that such owner be not himself primarily liable for the payment of
 10 such rate in respect of such property as occupant thereof.

2. The said lists shall contain the names of all persons qualified as aforesaid alphabetically arranged according to the form in the Schedule hereto. Lists how made out and exhibited.

3. The right of cumulative voting provided for by the twelfth
 15 section of the Principal Act shall be exercised by the person actually paying the rates whether such person be the owner or the actual occupant of the premises in respect of which he is assessed Provided always that wherever in the said section the expression "twenty-five" occurs the expression "fifteen" shall after the commencement of this
 20 Act be substituted for all purposes of the Principal and this Act. Limitation of right to vote &c.

4. No person shall be entitled to have his or her name entered on any list made under the provisions of this Act as owner tenant or occupier of property or to vote in respect thereof unless such property is assessed at an annual value of at least fifteen pounds. No vote in respect of property assessed under £15.

5. The provisions of Part XIII of the Principal Act as to the making and enforcing of by-laws shall extend to the making and enforcing of by-laws by the Municipal Council of the City of Sydney for collecting by means of house to house visitation or otherwise the names of all persons entitled to be enrolled on the Citizens' Rolls in
 25 pursuance of this Act. As to by-laws to facilitate collection of voters' names.

6. This Act may be cited as the "Sydney Corporation Act
 30 Amendment Act 1886" and upon the passing thereof so much of the eighth section of the Principal Act as provides for the mode in which the list is to be prepared and the eleventh section shall be repealed
 35 For the purposes of this Act the expression "female" includes any married woman. Short title repeal and interpretation.

SCHEDULE.

Ward.

LIST of Citizens for the year

40	Number.	Christian and Surname and Residence.	Nature of Qualification.

[3d.]