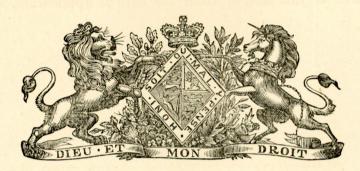
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In any such case rent shall be charged from the date of commencement of this Act, or from the date of application, as the case may be.

I Certify that this Public Bill, which originated in the Legislative Assembly, has finally passed the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 12 June, 1896, A.M. }

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In the name and on the behalf of Her Majesty I assent to this Act.

HAMPDEN, Governor.

Government House, Sydney, 15th June, 1896.

#### CROWN LANDS (HOMESTEAD SELECTIONS AND SETTLEMENT LEASES) BILL.

SCHEDULE of Amendments referred to in Message of 11th June, 1896.

Page 1, clause 1. At end of clause add "and shall be read with the Crown Lands "Act of 1895, and the Acts specified in the first section thereof"

Page 2, clause 2, line 1. After "held" insert "Provided that the Land Agent shall, " within one week of the receipt of any such application, notify the same "through the post to the holder of any annual lease or occupation license

"within which the land applied for, or any part thereof, may be

" situated "

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, 27 May, 1896. F. W. WEBB, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, 11th June, 1896. JOHN J. CALVERT, Clerk of the Parliaments.

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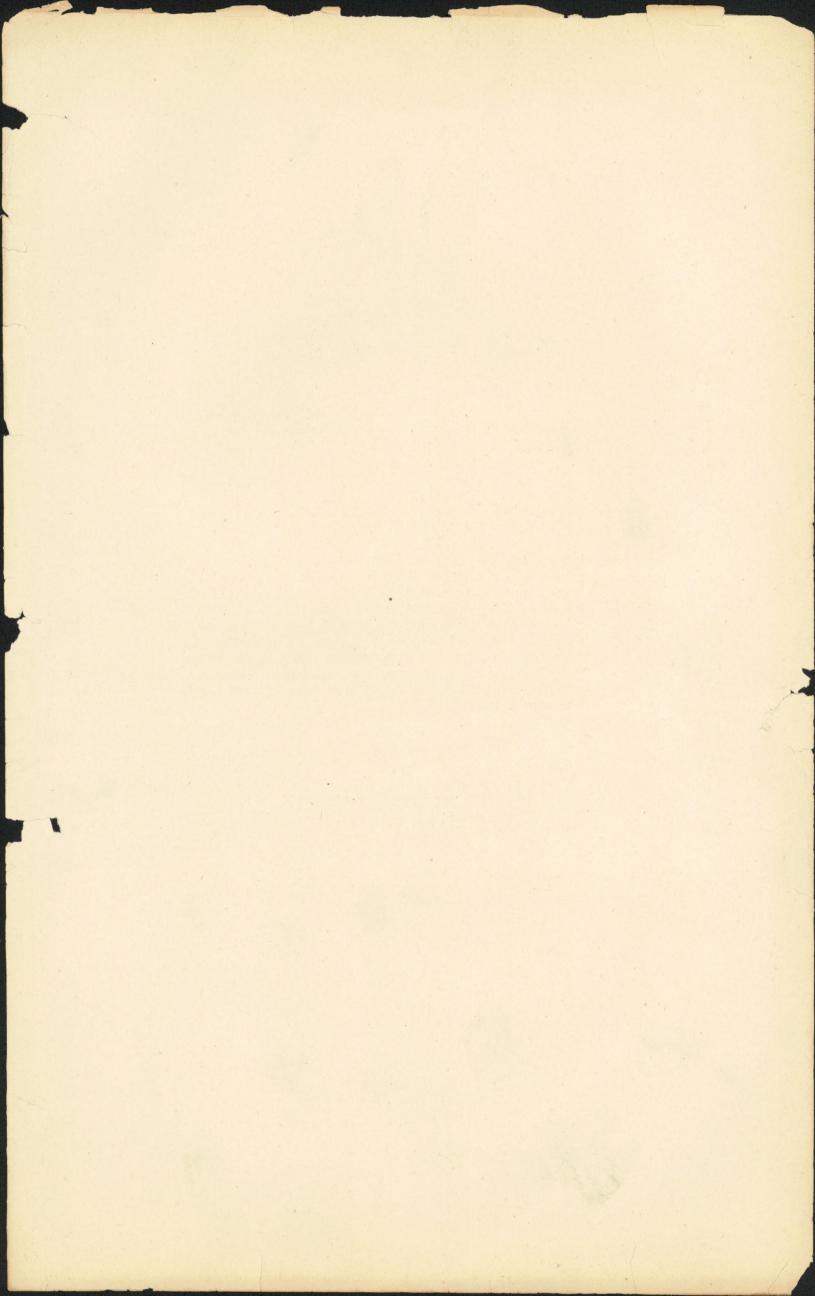
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# CROWN LANDS (HOMESTEAD SELECTIONS AND SETTLEMENT LEASES) BILL.

(Amendment to be proposed in Committee of the Whole by Mr. R. E. O'CONNOR.)

Page 1, clause 2, line 15. After "held" insert "Provided that the "land agent shall, within one week of the receipt of any "such application, notify the same through the post to the "holder of any annual lease or occupation license within "which the land applied for, or any part thereof, may be "situated, and no person making any such application shall "acquire any rights of impounding any stock of the lessee "or licensee under any such annual lease or occupation "license until the expiration of three months after the date "of such application"



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