
A BILL

To make provision for the Issue of Process at Country Towns.

[MR. WISE ;—29 *October*, 1902.]

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(b) to seal or sign or seal and sign any originating process issuing out of the said Court in its equitable jurisdiction ;
15 (c) to receive any praecipe for and to issue any writ of subpoena to give evidence in any case, civil or criminal,

at such country towns as may be approved by the said Judges :

20 Provided that every such writ of summons shall be returnable in the Supreme Court, at Sydney, and that every such praecipe shall, as soon as conveniently may be after the issue of the writ to which the same relates, be transmitted by the commissioner who received the same to the Prothonotary or other proper officer of the said Court.

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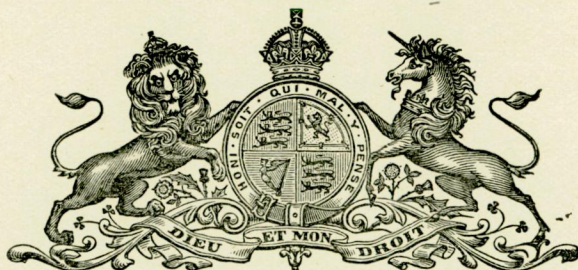
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This PUBLIC BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY for its concurrence.

*Legislative Council Chamber,
Sydney, November, 1902. }*

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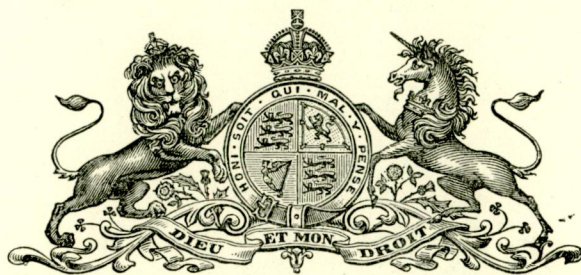
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