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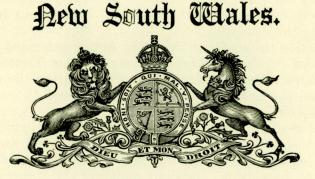
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I Certify that this PUBLIC BILL, which originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, has finally passed the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL and the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of NEW SOUTH WALES.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 14 December, 1906. }

RICHD. A. ARNOLD, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.



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

## HARRY H. RAWSON,

Governor.

State Government House, Sydney, 19th December, 1906.

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Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 30 November, 1906. RICHD. A. ARNOLD, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

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

Legislative Council Chamber, Sydney, December, 1906.

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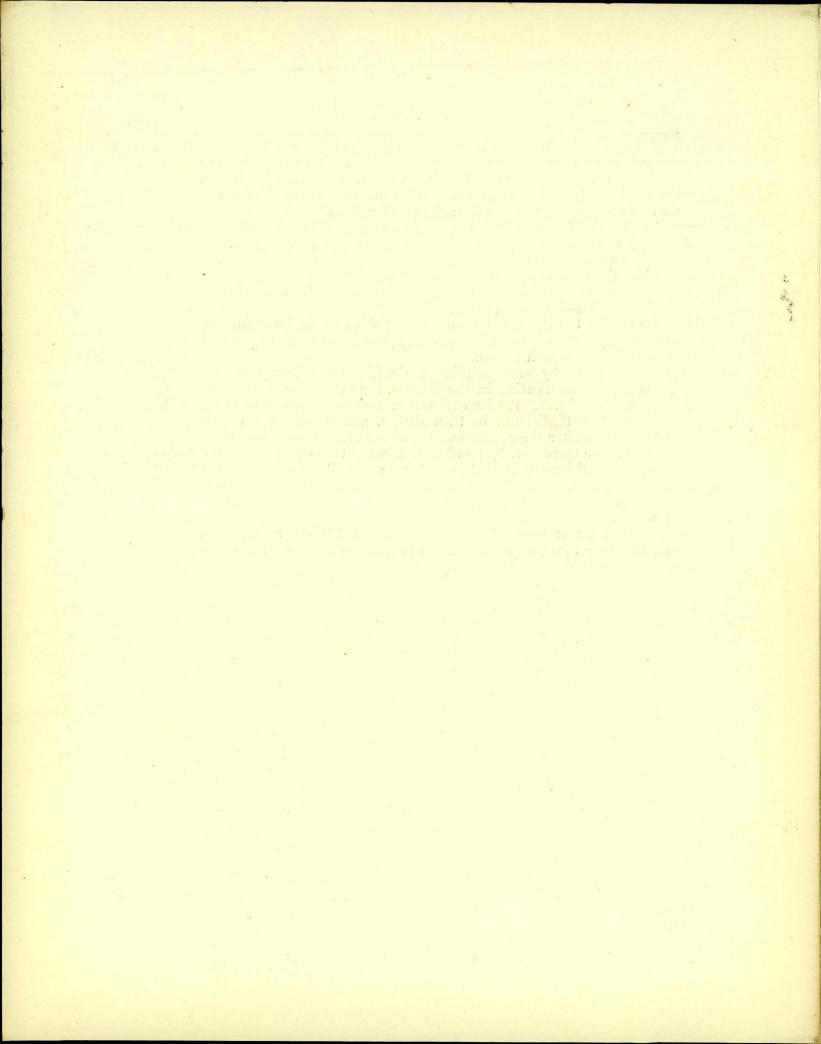
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