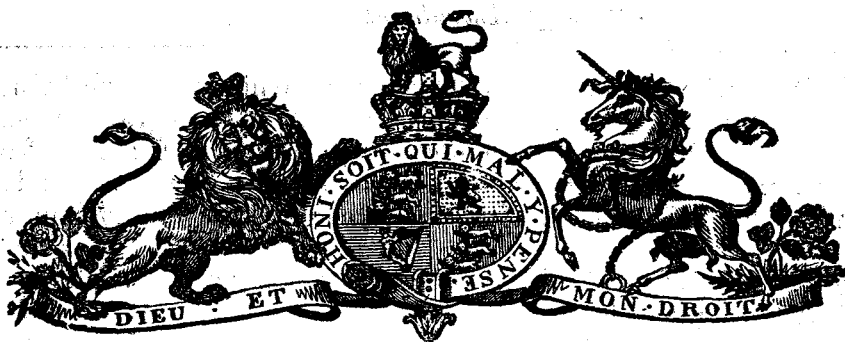


TASMANIA.



1871.

ANNO TRICESIMO-QUINTO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ,

No. 15.

AN ACT to extend the Operation of "The
Californian Thistle Prevention Act."
[21 December, 1871.]

WHEREAS it is desirable and necessary to make provision to prevent the spread of the plant known by the botanical name of "*Oniscus lanceolatus*" in this Colony, and for that purpose to extend the operation of "The *Californian Thistle Prevention Act*:" Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of *Tasmania*, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

PREAMBLE.

34 Vict. No. 5.

1 The word "Thistle" used in "The *Californian Thistle Prevention Act*" shall extend and apply to the plant known by the botanical name of "*Oniscus lanceolatus*," and commonly called or known as the *Scotch* or *Black Thistle*, and all the provisions of the said Act shall be applicable thereto and shall be incorporated herewith, subject to the provisions of this Act.

Provisions of
34 Vict. No.
extended to other
Thistles.

2 The Fourth Section of the said Act shall be construed to mean that any person named therein shall effectually cut down the Thistles mentioned in this Act not only so as to prevent the same from seeding, but also to prevent such Thistles from coming into blossom or blossoming.

Thistles to be cut
down to prevent
same blossoming.

3 Where in any case the Thistles mentioned in this Act shall be growing upon the lands of any person adjoining any cultivated land the property of any other person upon which such Thistles are not growing, then the person upon whose lands such Thistles are growing shall

Thistles to be cut
down, without
notice, where same
growing upon land
adjoining other

Thistle Prevention Extension Act.

land where same
are not growing.

forthwith, and without notice being given to him under the Fourth Section of the said Act, cut down all such Thistles as are growing within the distance of Five chains from any part of the boundaries of the lands of such person, and any person who refuses or neglects to cut down such Thistles shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Forty Shillings.

Provisions of this
Act to apply to
roads, railways,
and cultivated
and.

4 The provisions of this Act shall only apply and extend to the lands following, and to no other lands :—

- (1.) Any road situate within a Road District, as well as to any road not so situate :
- (2.) All land taken and used for any Railway or Tramway by any Company or Copartnership, whether registered or incorporated or not :
- (3.) All land which is or has been under cultivation within Five years before the commencement of this Act :
- (4.) Any land whether bush land or land under cultivation coming within the Third Section of this Act.