Authorizing Act.	Purpose.	Amount to be re-appropriated.
No. 29 of 1951, Item 8	by Messrs. J. Bidencope & Son Pty. Ltd., at corner	£ s. d. 665 3 8
No. 29 of 1951, Item 1	of Murray and Brisbane Streets, Hobart. Launceston General Hospi- tal—Conversion of Infec- tious Diseases Hospital for additional nurses' accom- modation.	35 10 4
No. 29 of 1951, Item 2	Queen Victoria Hospital-	3,100 0 0
No. 29 of 1951, Item 5	Laundry. North-South Road, Bruny	768 10 10
No. 71 of 1951, Item 3	Island . Government Printing Office— Accommodation for	29 1 8
No. 71 of 1951, Item 7	machines. Purchase of property, 20 Clare Street, New Town, for use of the Tasmanian Institute for the Blind and deaf.	198 13 4
No. 71 of 1951, Item 1	Purchase of Y.W.C.A. Building, Macquarie Street,	12 7 3
No. 60 of 1952, Item 4	Hobart. Construction of strong room for Probate Branch of	98 0 3
No. 60 of 1952, Item 1	Treasury. Launceston General Hospital—Conversion of Infectious Diseases Hospital for additional nurses' accom-	500 0 0
No. 60 of 1952, Item 3	modation (additional). Purchase of Departmental motor vehicles, Depart- ment of Public Health.	216 16 9
		£1,175,734 12 1

## SCENERY PRESERVATION.

No. 39 of 1954.

## AN ACT to amend the Scenery Preservation Act 1915. [19 October, 1954.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the Scenery Preservation Act 1954.

- (2) The Scenery Preservation Act 1915, as subsequently amended, is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.
- 2 Section three of the Principal Act is amended by Scenery renumbering subsections (3) and (4) thereof (inserted by Preservation the Scenery Preservation Act 1952) as subsections (2A) and (2B) respectively.
- 3—(1) Section seventeen of the Principal Act is amended Leases of, and licences to occupy, by adding at the end thereof the following subsections:—

- "(3) Where the Board is satisfied that—
  - I Tourist accommodation is required on any reserve:
  - II An applicant is available, who is able and willing to expend in erecting and equipping an accommodation house thereon such minimum sum as the Minister, on the recommendation of the Board, may determine: and

III The plans and specifications for the proposed accommodation house are satisfactory. the Commissioner of Crown Lands may, on the recommendation of the Board, grant to the applicant, for the purposes only of the erection and management of the proposed accommodation house, a lease of any portion of the reserve for any period not exceeding ninety-nine years, at such rental, and upon such terms and conditions, as the Commissioner, on the recommendation of the Board, may determine.

- "(4) The Board, with the consent of the Minister, may sell all or any timber or firewood on any reserve which, in the opinion of the Board, can be removed therefrom without detriment to the reserve.
  - "(5) All—
    - I Rents received in respect of any lease or licence under this section: and
    - II Proceeds of any timber or firewood sold by the Board.

shall, in the case of rents and proceeds received before the first day of July 1955, be paid to the Board and may be expended by it for the purposes of this Act, and, in the case of rents and proceeds received on or after the first day of July 1955, shall be paid to the Treasurer to the credit of the Consolidated Revenue.".

(2) This section shall be deemed to have commenced on the seventeenth day of October 1952.