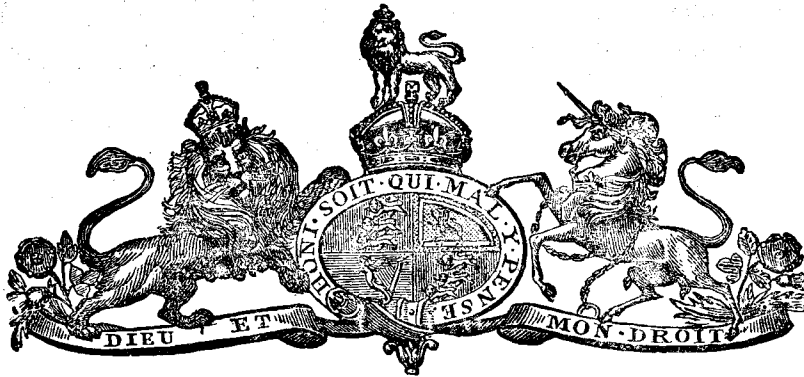


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No. 29.



AN ACT to amend "The Bills of Exchange Act, 1884." [22 November, 1906.] A.D. 1906.

BE it 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 :—

1 This Act may be cited as "The Bills of Exchange Amendment Act, 1906," and shall be construed as one with "The Bills of Exchange Act, 1884" (hereinafter called the principal Act), and every Amendment thereof. Short title and incorporation with 48 Vict. No. 14.

2 Where a bank in good faith and without negligence pays a cheque drawn on the bank by a customer of the bank, and the cheque has been drawn by the customer with gross negligence, and such gross 4d.] Protection to bank paying cheque fraudulently altered

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negligence has afforded facility for any fraudulent alteration in the amount thereof, and the cheque has been so fraudulently altered, the bank shall not be responsible or incur any liability by reason of having paid the cheque.

The foregoing portion of this Section shall be printed on or attached to the cover of every cheque-book issued by a bank after the passing of this Act.

Duration of Act.

**3** This Act shall continue and be in force until the Thirty-first day of *December*, One thousand nine hundred and seven, and no longer.