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No. 28.

AN ACT to authorise the Municipal Council A.D. 1891. of the City of Launceston to close the City Park and the Buildings therein contained. [26 October, 1891.]

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 for all purposes "The City Park Closure Short title. Act, 1891."
- 2 In the interpretation of this Act, unless the context otherwise Interpretation. determines—

"Council" shall mean the Municipal Council of the City of

"Park" shall mean all that land known as the City Park situated in the City of Launceston, situate between Brisbane, Tamar, Cimitiere, and Lawrence-streets, and vested in the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Launceston for the time being for and on behalf of the Citizens as a Public Recreation Ground:

"Buildings" shall mean all those at present erected, and any that may be hereafter erected:

City Park, Launceston, Closure.

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"Closure" shall mean preventing the admission of any person or persons to the Park or Buildings, or to any portion of them, except to the person or persons as hereinafter provided.

Council may close Park or portion of it at any time. 3 For the purpose of carrying out this Act, it shall be lawful for the Council to close the Park, or any portion thereof, at any time, but such closure shall not be continued for any longer period at any one time than Three days.

Provided always, that for the purposes of holding the *Tasmanian* Exhibition, 1891, the Council may close the Park, or any part thereof, from the day of the opening of the said Exhibition to the day when

the same shall be finally closed.

Provided also, that whenever the Council shall decide to close the Park, or any portion of it, otherwise than during the hours provided by the By-laws, they shall cause to be exhibited at the entrance or entrances a notice setting forth the time of such closure, and the purposes for which it is closed.

C uncil may let or hire to approved tenants. 4 It shall be lawful for the Council to let or hire to any person or persons who may be approved by them, at any time not exceeding the time mentioned in the preceding Clause, the Park, or any portion of it, together with all the Buildings, or any portion of them; and the Council are hereby empowered to receive as rent all sums of money that may be agreed upon, and such money shall become part of the Council's revenue; and any person hiring as above may make a charge to the public for admission to the portion of which he is the hirer.

Council may make By-laws.

5 The Council shall, in addition to the powers they already possess to make By-laws regulating the management and use of the said Park and buildings, have power from time to time to make, alter, amend, or repeal By-laws for regulating the charges, terms, and conditions upon which the intentions of this Act may be carried out; and may impose such reasonable penalties as they think fit, not exceeding Ten Pounds, for every breach of such By-laws, and a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds for each day during which such breach shall be committed or continued.

Offences determined summarily.

6 All offences against this Act and any By-laws made under it, and all penalties and sums of money, costs, charges, and expenses, shall be heard, determined, and recovered in a summary way by and before any Two or more Justices of the Peace in the mode prescribed by The Magistrates Summary Procedure Act.