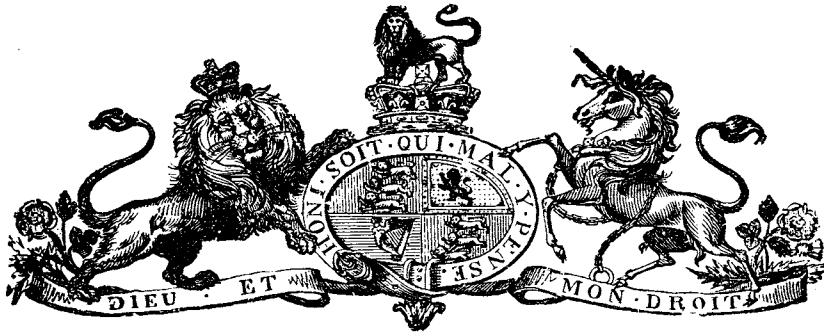


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No. 35.



AN ACT to further amend "The Local Courts Act, 1896." [22 December, 1899.] A.D. 1899.

WHEREAS it is desirable to further amend "The Local Courts Act, 1896." PREAMBLE.

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 :—

**1** In this Act "the said Act" shall mean "The Local Courts Act, 1896." Interpretation.

**2** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Section Thirty-two of the said Act, none of the exceptions therein made to the jurisdiction of Courts held under the said Act shall apply to the jurisdiction of any Court held under the said Act before a Commissioner who is a practitioner and with jurisdiction to an amount not exceeding One hundred Pounds. Exceptions not to apply to certain Courts.

**3** Whenever an action is commenced over which the Court has no jurisdiction, the Judge shall, unless the parties consent to the Court having jurisdiction, order it to be struck out, and shall have power to award costs in the same manner, to the same extent, and recoverable Costs allowed where Court has no jurisdiction. 51 and 52 Vict., Ch. 43, Sect. 114.

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in the same manner as if the Court had jurisdiction therein, and the plaintiff had not appeared or had appeared and failed to prove his demand ; and whenever any such action is withdrawn the defendant may have judgment entered up for the amount of his costs to be taxed by the Registrar upon such scale as is provided for a claim of a like amount.

Acts to be read  
together.

**4** This Act and the said Act, save as amended by this Act, shall be read and construed together as one Act.