

1880.

ANNO QUADRAGESIMO-QUARTO

VICTORIÆ **REGINÆ**,

No. 10.

AN ACT to provide for the Erection of A.D. 1880. Boundary Fences in the City of Hobart Town. $[20 \ October, 1880.]$

WHEREAS it is desirable that "The Boundary Fences Act, 1853," PREAMBLE. shall, amongst other things, affect and be applicable to all lands situate within the City of *Hobart Town* :

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1 The Twenty-third Section of the Act of Council of this Island, Repeal. 17th Victoria, No. 12, is hereby repealed.

2 Where no fence or no sufficient fence already exists it shall Council to compel be lawful for the Municipal Council of the said City from time to time, and at all times, to compel the owners of any lands abutting on any street or public place within the same City to erect and maintain, at their own expense, a substantial Five-feet paling fence or, where the Municipal Council approves, a post and Four-rail fence, along the front boundary line or lines of the same; and if, after Fourteen days' notice in writing, signed by the Town Clerk, re-quiring them so to do such owners neglect or refuse to comquiring them so to do, such owners neglect or refuse to commence erecting any such fence, and, when commenced, if they neglect

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or refuse to complete the same, or, when completed, afterwards to repair, or, when necessary, to re-erect the same within such time as the said Council shall for any such purpose appoint, then, and in any such case, it shall be lawful for the said Council, and they are hereby authorised to erect and put up all such fences, and from time to time to amend, repair, and re-erect the same, as occasion shall require, at the cost and expense of the owner by whom the same ought to have been done.

Recovery of cost.

3 Such cost and expense as last aforesaid shall and may be recovered in a summary way before any Justice of the Peace in the manner prescribed by "The Magistrates Summary Procedure Act."

4 The term "Owner" when used with reference to lands in the said City of Hobart Town both in this Act and the said Act, 17th Victoria, No. 12, shall have the same meaning assigned to it as that given in and by "The Police Act, 1865," and not the meaning given to the same word by the said Act 17th Victoria, No. 12.

JAMES BARNARD. GOVERNMENT PRINTER, TASMANIA.

Owner.