

An Act to amend the Hawkesbury Benevolent Society's Act of Incorporation. [19th June, 1860.]

HAWKESBURY  
BENEVOLENT  
SOCIETY.

WHEREAS an Act was passed by the Governor and Legislative Council of New South Wales in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty intituled "*An Act to enable the Members of a certain Society in the Colony of New South Wales denominated 'The Hawkesbury Benevolent Society' to sue and be sued in the name of their Treasurer and for other purposes therein mentioned*" 4 Vic. No. 3. And whereas by the sixth section of the said Act the said society is disenabled from holding any estates in lands unless granted from the Crown except what may be absolutely required for the purpose of building a house or houses for receiving the persons to be relieved by the said society And whereas it is expedient to alter and amend the said sixth section of said Act Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. So much of the said sixth section of the said Act of Council as disenables the members of the said society by and in the names of the trustees thereof to accept take and hold any estate or estates in lands tenements or hereditaments granted to them by any grantor or person but the Crown shall be and is hereby repealed. 4 Vic. No. 3. s. 6 in part repealed.

2. It shall be lawful for the members of the said society and they are hereby empowered by and in the name of the trustees thereof for the time being to accept take and hold any estate or estates in lands tenements or hereditaments conveyed or granted to them by any person or persons whomsoever either absolutely or upon mortgage or otherwise howsoever Provided that if the same be made without valuable consideration by deed or by will such deed or will be executed in the presence of two or more credible witnesses twelve calendar months at least before the death of such grantor testator or donor (including the days of the transfer and death.) Society authorized to hold lands other than grants from the Crown. Proviso.

3. That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a public Act. Act to be deemed a public Act.