No. 1079.

An Act to amend "The Transcontinental Railway Land Grant Act, 1911."

[Assented to, November 14th, 1912.]

BE it Enacted by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:

1. (1) This Act may be cited alone as "The Transcontinental Railway Land Grant Act Amendment Act, 1912."

(2) "The Transcontinental Railway Land Grant Act, 1911" (hereinafter called "the principal Act"), and this Act may be cited together as "The Transcontinental Railway Land Grant Acts, 1911 and 1912."

2. This Act is incorporated with the principal Act, and that Act and this Act shall be read as one Act.

3. Section 3 of the principal Act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:—

3. (1) Notwithstanding any Act or other law to the contrary, it shall be lawful for the Governor to grant, to the satisfaction of the Minister of State for Home Affairs of the said Commonwealth, such portions of the Crown lands and lands belonging to the Crown in the State of South Australia as in the opinion of the said Minister, stated in writing signed by him and received by the Governor, are necessary for

Crown lands may be granted to the Commonwealth for purposes of the Kalgoorlie to Port Augusta Railway.
for the purposes of the construction, maintenance, and working of the said railway: Provided that any lands so granted without consideration—

1. Shall not exceed one-eighth of a mile in width on either side of the said railway, except where the Governor is satisfied that a greater width or other lands are required for the construction, maintenance, or working of the said railway; and

11. Shall not include any town lands.

(2) Notwithstanding any Act or law to the contrary, it shall be lawful for the Governor to grant, to the satisfaction of the said Minister, all that piece of park lands adjacent to the town of Port Augusta containing twenty-five acres or thereabouts, delineated in the plan in the Schedule to this Act, and therein hatched in black; and upon such grant being made the said piece of park lands shall, notwithstanding any reservation or dedication thereof therefofore made for any public or other purpose, be free and discharged from any purposes for which the same was reserved or dedicated, and from the care, control, and management of any Municipal Council.

(3) No lands granted under this Act shall, after the grant thereof, be proclaimed a town or township, or town or township lands, except with the consent of both the Governor-General of the said Commonwealth, and the Governor of the State of South Australia. And if any lands so granted are, after the grant thereof, proclaimed a town or township, or town or township lands, the title of the said Commonwealth thereto shall thereupon become forfeited, and such lands shall revert to the State of South Australia, and be Crown lands thereof.

4. Section 4 of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out subdivision (d) and inserting in lieu thereof the following subdivision, namely:

(d) Shall be of the surface of the land and of the land below the surface to such depth not exceeding one hundred and fifty feet, as is required by the said Minister.

5. No mining or other operations shall be carried on under any land granted under the principal Act, as hereby amended, without the approval of the Governor-General of the said Commonwealth.

In the name and on behalf of His Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

DAY H. BOSANQUET, Governor.

THE SCHEDULE.
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The Transcontinental Railway Land Grant Act Amendment Act, 1912

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