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No. 3

An Act to prevent the Destruction and Export of
Immature Sandalwood.

[Reserved 16th September, 1881.

Royal Assent proclaimed 24th August, 1882.

WHEREAS it is desirable to prevent the destruction and export
of immature Sandalwood: Be it enacted by His Excellency
the Governor of Western Australia and its Dependencies, by and
with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as
follows:—

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as 'The Sandalwood Act, 1881.'

Sandalwood

2. It shall be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to proclaim and define one or more area or areas of Waste Lands of the Crown, within which no live or growing sandalwood tree shall be cut or grubbed up for the period to be named by the Governor in such proclamation. And from and after the proclamation of any such area in the 'Government Gazette,' if any person shall cut or grub up any live or growing sandalwood tree within the limits of any such area during the period set forth in such proclamation, he shall be deemed to be in the unlawful occupation of the Waste Lands of the Crown within the meaning of 'The Waste Lands Occupation Act, 1872.'

Wood not to be cut within certain defined areas

3. Waste Lands of the Crown shall not, for the purposes of this Act, be considered to include lands held under Special Occupation Leases or Licenses.

Special Occupation Leases or Licenses not included

4. Sections A, E, F, G, and H of 'The Shortening Ordinance, 1853,' shall be incorporated with and taken to form part of this Act, to all intents and purposes and in as full and ample a manner as if they had been introduced and fully set forth in this Act.

Shortening Ordinance

WILLIAM C. F. ROBINSON,
GOVERNOR.
