

Acts

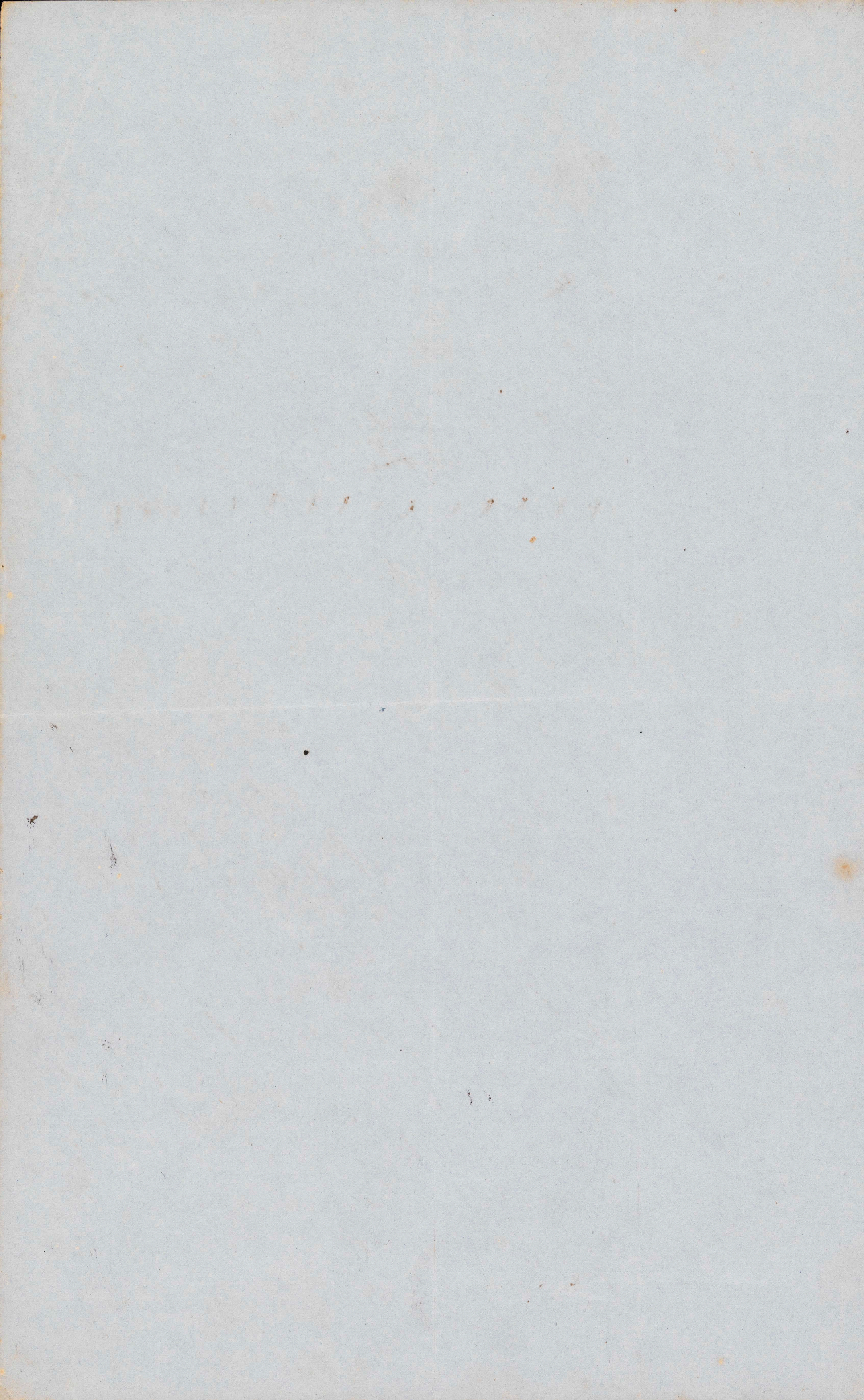
In Acts (Useful) For the most ingenious  
and useful pieces of Mechanism, <sup>equin</sup>  
for colonial purposes - and for  
any invention or introduction and  
application of any foreign invention  
otherwise unknown and applicable  
to the colonial requirements &c &c

Manufactures

In Manufactures - <sup>inventions of</sup> The importation  
of any Machinery calculated to  
contribute to the more general  
supply of the wants and necessities  
~~in the way of working &c &c~~

Remarks

Such a plan could be carried  
out at an outlay far short of  
what perhaps might be  
considered needful - for  
instance - Supposing the  
Subscription to be fixed at  
one Guinea (and that the small  
would be fully sufficient) - we  
should on a very low calculation  
be enabled to get the name  
of 70 colonists as members - the  
towns of Perth and Fremantle,  
would very much make up the  
amount - They would bring 70  
Guineas then to the fund - an  
Exhibition would occur once  
in six months - The admission  
to ~~that~~ <sup>them</sup> would produce full another  
Thirty pounds in the course



of the year and if assisted with  
a grant from the Local Government,  
or, if an appeal be made for  
special subscriptions to start  
with, or if the ~~the~~ subscriptions  
of the Vice-Presidents should  
be filled - a sum equal to  
£120 would be ~~pro~~ sufficient -  
such a sum being fully equal  
to the fulfilment of the purpose  
required - By a reference to  
the advertisements of a similar  
Society in South Australia, we  
shall find that this equals  
if not exceeds the sum spent  
there in the course of the year.

The principal, in fact the  
whole expenses attending  
such a Society would be for  
the first two or three years,  
at least, nothing but the premises,  
and the printing and stationery,  
and expenditure required for the  
exhibitions - The whole of  
the working expenses would be  
unpaid, and the receipts therefor  
could be always made to coun-  
terbalance the expenditure -

Allusion need scarcely  
be made to the good effects  
resulting from the establishment



For the establishment in the Colony of  
 an Institution to be termed  
 "The Western Australian Society"  
 for the encouragement and im-  
 =provement of Agriculture, Arts  
 and Manufactures, and the general  
 advancement of the Colony —

1<sup>st</sup> Constitution.

The Society to consist of a Patron,  
 Presidents, For many Vice Presidents,  
 as shall subscribe a sum to be  
 hereafter fixed; a Council of  
 Six, to be elected from the general  
 body of subscribers, in addition  
 to the foregoing Officers who shall  
 be ex-officio members of such  
 Council; a Treasurer and Secretary.

Subscriptions

The subscription of each Member to  
 be one Guinea annually to be paid on  
 the time of entry. (The subscription of  
 a Vice-President to be fixed hereafter.)

2<sup>nd</sup> Purpose.

The Society to carry out its  
 purpose by offering Premiums for  
 the breed and impubation of the  
 best stock, horses, &c. — For the  
 production of the greatest quantity  
 of corn and of the best quality  
 on the smallest area of land  
 For Production of the best pieces  
 of wool here in Agriculture.

Agriculture

Horticulture

The growth of the ~~most~~ greatest quantity  
 of vines of the best quality — of the  
 best fruits — for the introduction  
 of the new and suitable kinds —  
 which in Horticulture —



of such a Society. The im-  
-provement of our Hocks, Sheep,  
our Agriculture our Horticulture,  
in fact, by creating a rivalry  
in the production or growth  
of articles ~~or~~ natural or manufactured.  
The papers of this week contain  
~~a premium~~ the offer of a premium,  
by the Local Gov<sup>t</sup> for the manufacture  
of Castor Oil. The effect of such  
an incentive would, by the es-  
-tablishment of such a Society as  
this, be multiplied in the  
different variety of cases, in  
and modes, in which ~~they~~ <sup>it</sup>  
would be applied.

I have the honor,

To be Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Henry Hughes

Hon. J. S. Roe,

Resident Swan Cove

Mechanics' Institute

