**DISEASES IN STOCK BILL 1872**

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Second reading

**The COMMISSIONER of CROWN LANDS (Hon. T. Reynolds)** moved the second reading of this Bill. Hon. members would remember that authority had been given to the Government to bring in a Bill to enable them to declare quarantine regulations, and as the Scab Act required amendment in several important particulars, with the view of giving the Inspectors more power, the Government had thought it desirable to consolidate the law, and place it in one Bill. He would more fully explain the power proposed to be conferred when the Bill was in Committee. It was important that the Government should have power to declare quarantine stations, and they had prohibited the importation from Victoria, where the disease existed, and he hoped the House would pass the Bill without delay.

The Bill was then read a second time and committed.