

- (b) by omitting from that subsection the word "two" (first occurring) and substituting therefor the word "three".

4—(1) The second schedule to the Principal Act is repealed as from the first day of July 1958. Provision for citing and printing "The Rules of Court".

(2) The Rules of Court contained in that schedule, as subsequently amended, shall be deemed to have been duly made under the Principal Act and to commence with the following words in place of those preceding Part I of those Rules:—

"RULES OF PROCEDURE IN CIVIL PROCEEDINGS.

"1 On the first day of July 1958 'The Rules of Court' contained in the Second Schedule to the *Supreme Court Civil Procedure Act 1932* shall be annulled and these rules shall come into force and apply to all proceedings commenced after the first day of January 1934 except so far as they are subject, when these rules come into force, to rules of court different in substance from these rules, in which case they shall remain subject to those different rules of court. Annulment, commencement, and saving.

"2 These rules may be cited as the *Rules of the Supreme Court 1958*. Citation.

"3 In these rules, unless the contrary intention appears, 'Part' means Part of these rules." Interpretation.

PARLIAMENTARY RETIRING ALLOWANCES.

No. 32 of 1958.

AN ACT to amend the *Parliamentary Retiring Allowances Act 1955*. [11 July 1958.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Parliamentary Retiring Allowances Act 1958*. Short title and citation.

(2) The *Parliamentary Retiring Allowances Act 1955* is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

Interpreta-
tion.

2 Section two of the Principal Act is amended by inserting in paragraph (c) of subsection (2) thereof, after the word "Act" (second occurring), the words "or at any subsequent time".

Benefits for
members.

3 Section thirteen of the Principal Act is amended—

- (a) by omitting sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (a) thereof;
- (b) by omitting subsections (2) and (3) thereof; and
- (c) by omitting subsection (6) thereof.

Benefits on
death of a
member.

4 Section fourteen of the Principal Act is amended by omitting subsection (2) thereof.

5 After section fourteen of the Principal Act the following section is inserted:—

"14A—(1) Subject to this Act, a person who has—

- (a) whether before or after the commencement of this section or partly before and partly after the commencement of this section, held the office of Premier—
 - (i) for a continuous period of not less than fifteen years; or
 - (ii) for a period amounting in the aggregate to not less than fifteen years; and
- (b) whether before or after the commencement of this section, ceased to be entitled to a parliamentary salary,

shall be paid out of the Fund a pension at the rate of one thousand five hundred pounds during his life-time, and that pension is payable in addition to the pension (if any) payable to that person under any other provision of this Act.

"(2) Where a person who is entitled to a pension under subsection (1) of this section dies, and that person is survived by a widow or widower, the pension payable to the widow or widower is payable at the rate of two-thirds of the sum of—

- (a) the pension payable to the deceased person by virtue of this section; and
- (b) the pension (if any) that would, but for his death, be payable to the deceased person under any other provision of this Act.

"(3) Where a person is in receipt of a pension under subsection (1) of this section the Treasurer shall pay into the Fund in each financial year an amount equal to the amount of the pension payable to that person during that financial year.

"(4) The amount payable by the Treasurer into the Fund in each financial year shall be paid at such intervals and by such instalments as may be prescribed, and is payable out of the Consolidated Revenue (which, to the necessary extent, is appropriated accordingly)."

Additional
benefit to
Premier.

6 Section sixteen of the Principal Act is amended—Meaning of
voluntary
retirement.

- (a) by omitting subsection (2);
- (b) by omitting the word “or” at the end of paragraph (c) of subsection (3);
- (c) by adding at the end of that subsection the following paragraph:—

“; or

“(e) for the purpose of securing election as a member of either House of the Parliament of the Commonwealth.”; and

- (d) by omitting paragraph (a) of subsection (5) and substituting therefor the following paragraph:—

“(a) a member shall not be deemed to have retired voluntarily if—

- (i) his total period of service is not less than twenty-three years;
- (ii) his total period of service is not less than fifteen years and he has attained the age of fifty-five years; or
- (iii) the Trust is satisfied, upon the certificates of not less than three legally qualified medical practitioners appointed by the Trust to examine the member, that the member's state of health is such as to justify his retirement; and”.

MOTOR VEHICLES TAX.

No. 33 of 1958.

AN ACT to amend the *Motor Vehicles Tax Act*
1917. [11 July 1958.]

BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1—(1) This Act may be cited as the *Motor Vehicles Tax Act* 1958.

Short title,
citation,
and com-
mencement.