



Western Australia.

ANNO SEXAGESIMO TERTIO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. XXI.

AN ACT to amend the Wines, Beer, and Spirit Sale Act, 1880.

[Assented to, 16th December, 1899.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. THIS Act may be cited as the Wines, Beer, and Spirit Sale Amendment Act, 1899.

Short title

2. IF in the course of any proceedings the defendant sets up as a defence but fails to prove the purchaser was a bona fide traveller, but the Justices are satisfied that the defendant truly believed that the purchaser was a bona fide traveller, and further, that the defendant took all reasonable precautions to ascertain whether or not the purchaser was such a traveller, the Justices may dismiss the

Proof of bona fide traveller.

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Wines, Beer, and Spirit Sale—Amendment.

Penalty for false representation.

case as against the defendant; and shall direct proceedings to be instituted against such purchaser under section twenty-one of the Wines, Beer, and Spirit Sale Amendment Act, 1884.

See South Australian Act, 43 and 44 Vict., No. 191.

3. THE delivery to any person of any liquor by a licensed or unlicensed person, or by the owner or occupier of any licensed or unlicensed house or place, or by his or her servant or other person in any licensed or unlicensed house or place, shall be deemed to be sufficient *prima facie* evidence of money or other consideration having been given or exchanged for such liquor so as to support a conviction, unless satisfactory proof to the contrary be given.

Penalty for employing women beyond certain hours.

4. IF any person holding a license under the principal Act or any amendment thereof, or managing or conducting any premises licensed thereunder, shall employ any woman, or suffer any woman to assist or serve in or about any bar, or in or about the sale of liquor on the licensed premises—

- (1.) For a longer period than fifty-four hours in any one week, exclusive of such time as may be allowed for meals; or
- (2.) On a Sunday, Christmas Day, or Good Friday; or
- (3.) After twelve o'clock on any night;

he shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a fine or penalty of not less than Two pounds or more than Fifty pounds.

Incorporation.

5. THIS Act shall be incorporated with the Wines, Beer, and Spirit Sale Act, 1880 (44 Vict., No. 9), herein called the principal Act.

In the name and on behalf of the Queen I hereby assent to this Act.

GERARD SMITH, Governor.