



WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

ANNO VICESIMO TERTIO.

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

NO. V.

AN ORDINANCE to extend and amend "An Ordinance for regulating the Police in Western Australia."

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend the Ordinance of the Legislative Council 12th Victoria, No. 20, of 1849, intituled *An Ordinance for regulating the Police in Western Australia*, throughout the said Colony and to amend the same; Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia and its Dependencies by and with the Advice and Consent of the Legislative Council thereof:—

Preamble.

I. THAT the said recited Ordinance and every Provision therein contained, shall (so far as it can reasonably be made to apply) extend to every public Place, Road and Thoroughfare in any and every Part of the said Colony.

The Police Ordinance made to apply throughout the Colony.

II. THAT every Person who shall be brought before any Police or other Magistrate charged with having in his Possession, or conveying in any Manner, anything which may be reasonably suspected of being stolen or unlawfully obtained, and who shall not give any Account to the Satisfaction of such Magistrate how he came by the same, shall be deemed guilty of a Misdemeanour, and shall be liable to a Penalty of not more than Five Pounds, or, in the Discretion of the Magistrate, may be imprisoned in any Gaol, with or without hard Labour, for any Term not exceeding Three Calendar Months.

Persons suspected of having stolen goods.

23rd Vict., No. 5.

Penalty for abusive language.

III. THAT any Person who shall use to another, or in the hearing of any Person, any abusive, profane, obscene or indecent Language, whether calculated to lead to a Breach of the Peace or not, or any Person who shall indecently expose his Person, in any Place whatsoever, shall, on Conviction before any One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay any Sum not exceeding Five Pounds.

Name and residence of Owners to be painted on Cart, &c.

IV. THAT from and after the first Day of January next the Owner or Proprietor of every Cart, Dray, or Waggon whatsoever, not being a Spring Cart, Dray or Waggon, shall legibly Paint or cause to be painted in Letters of not less than One Inch in length on the front Rail or near Side of such Cart, Dray, or Waggon, his Name and Place of abode; and every such Owner or Proprietor who shall neglect or refuse so to do shall on Conviction thereof before One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace in Petty Sessions forfeit and pay for every such Offence any Sum not exceeding Twenty Shillings.

Incorporation with No. 20, of 1849.

V. THAT this Ordinance shall be incorporated with and taken to form a Part of the said recited Ordinance to all Intents and Purposes and in as full and ample a Manner as if the Provisions hereof had been fully set forth in such Ordinance.

A. E. KENNEDY,
GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

*Passed the Legislative Council
this 18th day of November, 1859.*

HENRY WAKEFORD,
Clerk of the Council.

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