MARKETING OF EGGS.

4° Elizabeth II., No. L.

No. 50 of 1955.

AN ACT to amend the Marketing of Eggs Act, 1945-1954.

[Assented to 9th December, 1955.]

 B^{E} it enacted, by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Western Australia, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:-

Short title and citation.

- 1. (1) This Act may be cited as the *Marketing* of Eggs Act Amendment Act, 1955.
- (2) In this Act the Marketing of Eggs Act, 1945-1954.

Act No. 58 of 1945 as amended by Acts Nos. 19 and 50 of 1949, 18 of 1950, 5 of 1951, and 42 of 1954,

is referred to as the principal Act.

- (3) The principal Act as amended by this Act may be cited as the Marketing of Eggs Act. 1945-1955.
- 2. Section five of the principal Act is amended by amended adding after the word, "meaning" being the last word in subsection (1), the following interpretation:-

- "sale by retail" means sale in such quantity and on such conditions, if any, as are declared from time to time by the Board and published from time to time in the Gazette
- 3. Section seventeen of the principal Act is amended. amended by adding after the word, "eggs" in line three of paragraph (b) of subsection (1), the passage, ", and in the fixing from time to time of the maximum price at which each respective grade of eggs may be sold by retail,".

4. The principal Act is amended by adding after Ss. 31A and 31B added. section thirty-one the following sections:-

31A. The Board is hereby authorised from Board has time to time to fix the maximum price at which each respective grade of eggs may be sold by retail, and is authorised to determine, from time to time, what constitutes sale of eggs by retail.

power to fix maximum prices for sale of eggs by retail. Cf. No. 27 of 1946, s 26 (1) (J).

31B. Where the Board, by notice published in the Gazette, fixes the maximum price at which a grade of eggs may be sold by retail and declares what constitutes sale by retail, a person who sells or attempts to sell by retail or offers for sale by retail, eggs of that grade at a price greater than the maximum price so fixed, commits an offence.

Offence. Cf. s. 37 (2) as to penalty.

5. Section forty of the principal Act is amended s.40 amended. by substituting for the word, "ten" in line one, the Cr. No. 18 of word, "fifteen".