

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.



ANNO TERTIO

GEORGII QUINTI REGIS,

LIII.

No. 72 of 1912.

AN ACT to amend the Interpretation Act, 1898.

[Assented to 30th December, 1912.]

BE it enacted by the King'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 *Interpretation Act Amendment Act, 1912.* Short title.

2. Section sixteen of the Interpretation Act, 1898 (hereinafter called the principal Act), is amended by the insertion of the word "proclamation" immediately after the words "Order in Council." Amendment of section 16.

3. In any Act heretofore or hereafter passed (except in so far as a contrary intention appears) the word "Proclamation" shall mean "proclamation by the Governor published in the *Gazette*," and the word "*Gazette*" shall mean "*Government Gazette* of Western Australia," and the words "Daily penalty" shall mean "a penalty for each day during which or any part of which an offence continues." Definition of "Proclamation" and "Gazette."

Provision in case
of expiration of
Act.

4. The expiration of an Act shall not affect any civil proceeding previously commenced under such Act, but every such proceeding may be continued and everything in relation thereto be done in all respects as if the Act continued in force.

Penalties.

5. The mention of any penalty (pecuniary or otherwise) at the foot of any section or subsection of any Act heretofore or hereafter passed shall (subject to the provisions of such Act) mean that any contravention of the section or subsection, as the case may be, whether by act or omission, shall be an offence against that Act, punishable on summary conviction by a penalty not exceeding the penalty indicated, or that any offence defined in the section or subsection, as the case may be, shall be punishable as aforesaid.