

No. 7 of 1890.

An Ordinance to amend the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, relating to Indian Coolies employed on Ceylon Estates.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Ordinance No. 13 of 1889, intituled "An Ordinance amending the Law relating to Indian Coolies employed on Ceylon Estates," and hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance:" Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Ceylon, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, as follows:

Amendment of sub-section 1, section 6, of Ordinance No. 13 of 1889.

1 In sub-section 1 of section 6 of the principal Ordinance, for the words "the first three days of every month for the month or portion of the month last preceding" shall be substituted the words "sixty days from the expiration of the month during which such wages shall have been earned."

Amendment of section 7 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1889.

2 In section 7 of the principal Ordinance, for all the words after the words "such alleged offence" shall be substituted the words "the monthly wages earned by him shall not have been paid in full within the period specified in sub-section (1) of section 6."

Construction of Ordinance No. 13 of 1889.

3 The principal Ordinance shall, as from the commencement of this Ordinance, take effect subject to the substitutions required by this Ordinance, but nothing in this Ordinance shall affect the validity of any act done, right acquired, or liability incurred under the principal Ordinance before the commencement of this Ordinance.

Commencement.

4 This Ordinance shall come into operation at such time as the Governor shall, by Proclamation to be published in the *Government Gazette*, appoint.*

22nd May, 1890.

* Proclaimed the 15th day of August, 1890.