

No. 6 of 1892.

An Ordinance to amend "The Irrigation and Paddy Cultivation Ordinance, 1889."

(See No. 23 of 1889.)

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend "The Irrigation and Paddy Cultivation Ordinance, 1889," hereinafter referred to as "the principal Ordinance," and to make further provision for constructing, repairing, and improving irrigation works in this island, and for carrying out the purposes of 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:

Preamble.

1 This Ordinance shall come into operation on the thirty-first day of December next.

Commencement of Ordinance.

2 This Ordinance may be cited as "The Irrigation and Paddy Cultivation Ordinance, 1892," and this Ordinance and the principal Ordinance may be cited collectively as "The Irrigation and Paddy Cultivation Ordinances, 1889 and 1892."

Short title.

3 For section 6 of the principal Ordinance the following section shall be substituted, namely:

Treasurer to pay two hundred thousand rupees annually into the irrigation fund.

The Colonial Treasurer shall, out of the general revenue of the island, pay annually as soon as may be after the first day of January into the irrigation fund a sum of two hundred thousand rupees, and such irrigation fund shall continue to be vested in the Central Irrigation Board for the time being.

1st June, 1892.
