GAMING AND BETTING (AMENDMENT) BILL.

Schedule of the Amendments referred to in Message of 9th September, 1938.

No. 1.—Page 2, clause 2, lines 34 to 39 inclusive, and page 3, clause 2, lines 1 to 7 inclusive. *Omit*—

(2) Where a person is convicted of an offence under subsection one (Recovery of of this section and the act constituting the offence was done by him penalty.) as the agent, clerk or servant of or otherwise for or on behalf of some other person (which lastmentioned person is in this subsection referred to as "the principal") the amount of any penalty imposed upon the person so convicted in respect of his conviction for such offence shall be recoverable by him as a debt from the principal in any court of competent jurisdiction."

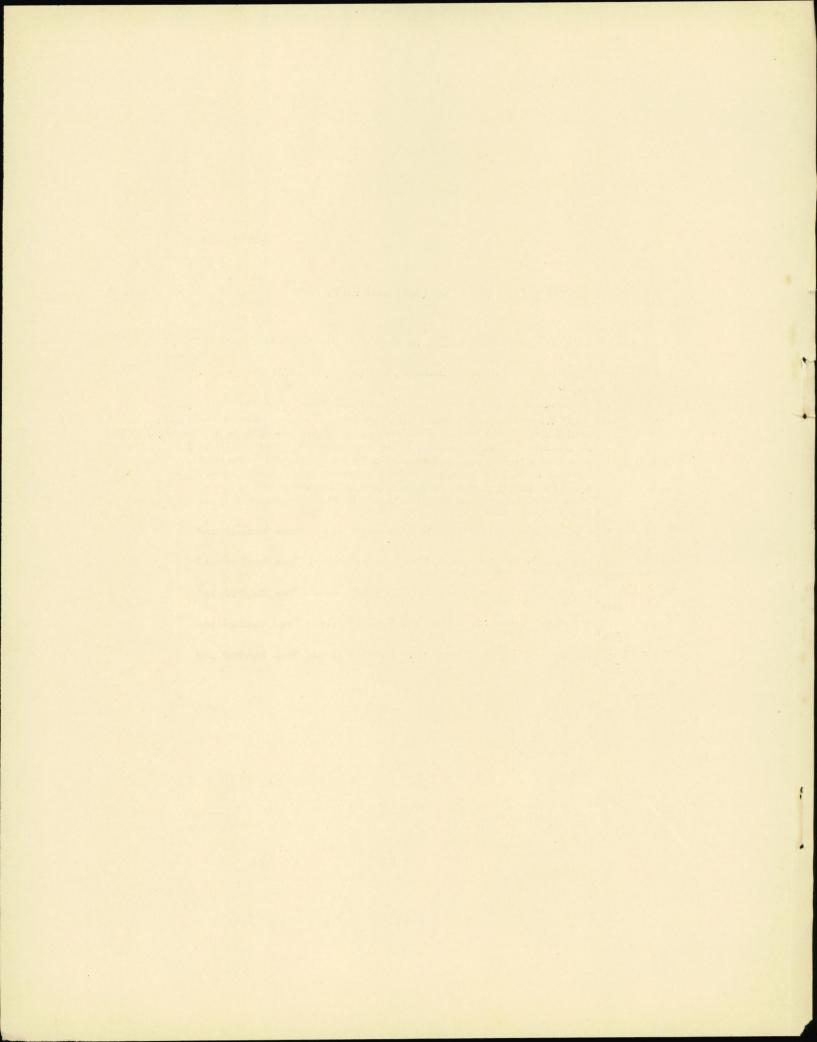
No. 2.—Page 4, clause 2, line 14. Omit "five hundred" insert "two hundred and fifty"

No. 3.—Page 5, clause 2, line 32. Omit "five hundred" insert "two hundred and fifty"

No. 4.—Page 10, clause 2, line 3. Omit "five hundred" insert "two hundred and fifty"

No. 5.—Page, 10, clause 2, line 39. Omit "five hundred" insert "two hundred and fifty"

No. 6.—Page 11, clause 2, line 32. Omit "five hundred" insert "two hundred and fifty"



This PUBLIC BILL originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL for its concurrence.

> W. R. McCOURT, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 1 September, 1938.

The LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL has this day agreed to this Bill with Amendments.

C. H. H. CALVERT, Clerk of the Parliaments.

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Lēgislative Council Chamber, Sydney, 9th September, 1938.



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Act No. , 1938.

An Act to amend the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912–1937, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith.

B it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of 5 the same, as follows :--

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Gaming and Short title Betting (Amendment) Act, 1938."

(2) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Gaming and 10 Betting Act, 1912-1938.

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Note — The words to be *omitted* are *ruled through*; those to be *inserted* arc printed in **black** letter.

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	Gaming and Betting (Amendment).	
	2. The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is amended—	Amendment of Act No. 25, 1912.
5	(a) (i) by omitting from paragraph (1) of the defi- nition of "Street" in section three all words following the word "land";	Sec. 3. (Definition of "Street".)
J	 (ii) by inserting after paragraph (1) of the same definition the following new paragraph:— (1A) Every description of vessel used in navigation; 	
10	 (iii) by inserting at the end of the same definition the following paragraphs— "Street" does not include any house other 	
15	than a house situated on premises in respect of which a license is held under Part III of the Liquor Act, 1912, or the Billiards and Bagatelle Act, 1902, or the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908-1937.	
20	"Street" does not extend to include a licensed race-course during the period in which a race-meeting is being held on such race-course.	
	(b) by inserting next after section three the follow- ing new section :	New sec. 34.
25	3_{A} . This Act shall be read and construed subject to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application	Construe- tion.
3 0	thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the appli- cation of such provision to other persons or cir- cumstances shall not be affected.	
35	 (c) by inserting at the end of section five the following new subsection: (2) Where a person is convicted of an offence under subsection one of this section and the act constituting the offence was done by him as the agent, clerk or servant of or otherwise for or on behalf 	(Recovery of penality.)
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behalf of some other person (which lastmentioned person is in this subsection referred to as "the principal") the amount of any penalty imposed upon the person so convicted in respect of his conviction for such offence shall be recoverable by him as a debt from the principal in any court of competent jurisdiction.

(d) (c) by omitting from section forty-one the words Sec. 41. "as a betting-house";

lowing new sections :---

(Power of entry and search.) 10 (e) (d) by inserting after section forty-seven the fol- New secs. 47A, 47B, 470, 47D, 47E

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47A (1) (a) No house, office, room or other Betting inplace shall be opened, kept or used for the pur- formationkeeping pose of the owner, occupier, or keeper thereof, house, etc., or any person using the same, or any person for communication procured or employed by or acting for or on thereof. behalf of such owner, occupier, or keeper, or person using the same, or of any person having the care or management or in any manner conducting the business thereof communicating or conveying by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, to any person at any time before the prescribed time, any information concerning the betting or betting odds on any event or contingency of or relating to any race, contest or course held or to be held at any racemeeting or meeting for coursing.

(b) In this subsection the expression "the prescribed time" means the actual time of the starting of the last race, contest or course at the race-meeting or meeting for coursing at which the event or contingency to which the betting or betting odds relate is decided or determined.

(c) Any reference in this subsection to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to totalizator dividends and probable totalizator dividends.

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(2) Whosoever opens, keeps, or uses any house, office, room or other place for any of the purposes mentioned in subsection one of this section, or knowingly permits the same to be opened, kept or used by any other person for any of such purposes, or has the care or management of, or in any manner assists in conducting the business of any such house, office, room or place opened, kept or used for any of such purposes, shall, for a first offence, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding five hundred two hundred and fifty pounds.

(3) This section shall not operate to prohibit the communication or conveying of information upon a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister, where the information is so communicated or conveyed on any day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is held on such race-course or coursing ground, and is so communicated or conveyed solely to persons who are present at such race-meeting or meeting for coursing.

47B. (1) Every person who prints or pub- Tipsters, lishes or causes to be printed or published any tisements. newspaper or document which contains any ad- cf. Act No. vertisement, notice, or other matter whatsoever-

(a) which is likely to lead to the belief, or whereby it is made to appear that such person or any other person will if required-

> (i) bet on any event or contingency of or relating to any intended race contest or course to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or

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5	(ii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any in- formation or advice as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or
10	 (iii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any in- formation or advice as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course; or
15 20	 (b) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that in- formation or advice in relation to any of the matters referred to in subpara- graphs (ii) and (iii) of paragraph (a) of this subsection has been given or will be given in any newspaper or docu- ment. or
20	(c) whereby any information or advice is
25	given or purports to be given— (i) as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or (ii) as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course,
30	shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not ex- ceeding five hundred two hundred and fifty pounds.
35	 (2) (a) If any such advertisement, notice or other matter as is referred to in subsection one of this section (i) names any person as the person by whom or on whose behalf such advertisement, notice or matter is printed or multiched. or
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5	 (ii) names any person as the person who will make any such bet or communicate or convey any such information or ad- vice as is referred to in paragraph (a) of that subsection; or
0	 (iii) names any person as the person who or on whose behalf any such information or advice as is referred to in paragraph (b) of that subsection has been given or will be given; or
	 (iv) names any person as the person who or on whose behalf or with whose authority any such information or ad- vice as is referred to in paragraph (c)
5	of that subsection is given or purports to be given, or by whom such infor- mation or advice is furnished, the person so named shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have caused
)	to be published the newspaper or document containing such advertisement, notice or other matter.
	(b) For the purposes of this sub- section a person shall be deemed to be named if he is mentioned or referred to by name, or by any name or designation whatsoever used or assumed by him or by which he is usually known or which is usually applied to his business or business premises.
)	(3) If any such advertisement, notice or other matter as is referred to in subsection one of this section specifies, indicates or refers to a telephone number, post office box or address, the person renting such telephone or post office
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such address relates (as the case may be) shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have caused to be published the newspaper or document containing such advertise-

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(4) (a) This section shall not operate—

 (i) to prohibit a bookmaker from exhibiting or posting up any written or printed matter relating to any betting or betting odds which he is prepared to accept or offer, where such matter is exhibited or posted up on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister on a day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is being held upon such race-course or coursing ground;

(ii) to prohibit the printing or publication in any newspaper of an advertisement or notice relating to a bookmaker where the contents of such advertisement or notice are confined to a statement of the name of the bookmaker, the race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister on which he will operate and the number of the stand on such race-course or coursing ground which he will occupy.

(b) This section shall not operate to prohibit the exhibition by or on behalf of a person, club or association conducting a racemeeting or a meeting for coursing on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister of any information concerning probable totalizator dividends, where such information is so exhibited on such race-course or coursing ground on the day upon which the race-meeting or meeting for coursing is held.

(c) This section shall not operate to prohibit the publication of a newspaper containing a forecast of the probable result of any such race contest or course as is referred to in subsection one of this section, where—

(i) the newspaper is published in good faith for the purpose of supplying mainly news and comment other than such forecast, and

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(ii) the publication of such forecast is not by way of advertisement or for valuable consideration.

(d) This section shall not operate to prohibit the publication of any information in relation to a prosecution for an offence.

(5) (a) In this section—

"document" includes placard, sign, device, handbill, card and writing;

"publishes" includes sends, exhibits, sells, circulates, distributes, gives away and posts up; and "published" has a corresponding meaning.

(b) Any reference in subsection one of this section to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to probable totalizator dividends.

47c. (1) No house, office, room or other place Tipsters, shall be opened, kept or used for the purpose of etc.-keepthe owner, occupier or keeper thereof, or any for conveyperson using the same or any person procured ing oral or employed by, or acting for or on behalf of such owner, occupier or keeper, or person using the same, or of any person having the care or management or in any manner conducting the business thereof making any oral statement-

- (a) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that any person will, if required-
 - (i) bet on any event or contingency of or relating to any intended race contest or course to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or

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(ii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information or advice as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or

- (iii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information or advice as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course; or
- (b) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that information or advice in relation to any of the matters referred to in subparagraphs (ii) and (iii) of paragraph (a) of this subsection has been given or will be given in any newspaper or document; or
- (c) whereby any information or advice is given or purports to be given—
 - (i) as to the probable result of any such race, contest or course; or
 - (ii) as to the betting or betting odds on any such race, contest or course.

(2) Whosoever opens, keeps or uses any house, office, room or other place for any of the purposes mentioned in subsection one of this section, or knowingly permits the same to be opened, kept or used by any other person for any of such purposes, or has the care or management of, or in any manner assists in conducting the business of any such house, office, room or place opened, kept or used for any of such purposes, shall, for a first offence, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and

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for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding five hundred two hundred and fifty pounds.

(3) This section shall not operate to prohibit a bookmaker from making any oral statement as to any betting or betting odds which he is prepared to accept or offer where such statement is made upon a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister on a day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is being held upon such race-course or coursing ground, and is so made solely to persons present at such race-meeting or meeting for coursing.

(4) (a) In this section the expression "make any oral statement" includes every method of communicating by means of spoken words, whether directly or through the medium of any apparatus for the reproduction of sound.

(b) Any reference in subsection one of this section to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to probable totalizator dividends.

47D. (1) Every person who for fee or reward Tipsters, gives any oral information or advice-

- (a) as to the probable result of any intended race, contest or course to be held reward. at any race-meeting, or meeting for cf. Act No. coursing, in any part of the Common- 2,282, 1936 wealth of Australia; or
- (b) as to the betting or betting odds on any event or contingency of or relating to any such race contest or course,

shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding five hundred two hundred and fifty pounds. (2)

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(2) In any proceedings for an offence against this section the allegation in the information that any information or advice was given for fee or reward shall be prima facie evidence of the fact so alleged.

(3) In this section the expression "give oral information or advice" includes every method of communicating information by spoken words whether directly or through the medium of any apparatus for the reproduction of sound.

47E. (1) Every person who prints or pub-Raceprolishes, or causes to be printed or published, any grammes. document which contains or purports to contain-

- (a) a list of the horses or dogs nominated for any intended race contest or course which is to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister; or
- (b) a list of the horses or dogs which will or will not take part in any such race, contest or course.

shall, unless the printing and publication of such list has been approved or authorised by the person, club, or association conducting such race-meeting or meeting for coursing, be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding five hundred two hundred and fifty pounds.

(2) In this section—

"document" includes newspaper, placard, sign, handbill, card and writing but does not include a newspaper published in good faith for the purpose of supplying mainly news and comment other than

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than the matter referred to in paragraph (a) and/or paragraph (b) of subsection one of this section.

- "publishes" includes sends, exhibits, sells, circulates, distributes, gives away and posts up; and "published" has a corresponding meaning.
- (f) (e) (i) by inserting in subsection one of section Sec. 42 (1). forty-two after the word "telegram" the (Resorting.) words "by telephone";
 - (ii) by inserting in the same subsection after the word "correspondence" the words "or communication";
- (g) (f) by inserting next after section fifty-eight the New sec. 15 following new section :---

58A. The allegations in an information in re- Certain allegations spect of any offence against this Act that any prima facie race-meeting or meeting for coursing mentioned evidence. in the information was held at a place and on ef. Act No. a date therein specified and that any horse or (S.A.), s. 99. dog named in the information took part in any race, contest or course therein mentioned shall be accepted by the court as evidence of the truth of the allegations unless the contrary is proved.

3. (1) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is Further 25 further amended by inserting next after subsection four of section fifty-one the following new subsection :--s. 51.

(4A) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections three and four of this section, in the case of any racecourse mentioned in paragraph (c) of subsection three of this section meetings for horse-racing may be held on that race-course on any number (not being more than twelve) of days in any one year and meetings for pony-racing may be held on that race-course on any number (not being more than six) of days in any one year but the total number of days in any one year upon which any such meetings are held shall not exceed twelve.

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(2) The amendment made by subsection one of this section shall take effect on the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

(3) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is Further **5** further amended:— 5 further amended:—

(a) by inserting next after subsection five of section Sec. 52A. 52A the following new subsection:— (Special licenses.)

(5A) Notwithstanding anything contained in subsection five of this section the number of licenses for race-courses situated within forty miles of the principal post office, Newcastle, shall not exceed three.

(b) by inserting in section fifty-three after the words Sec. 53. "in that week" the words "or in the next suc- (Days of racing.)

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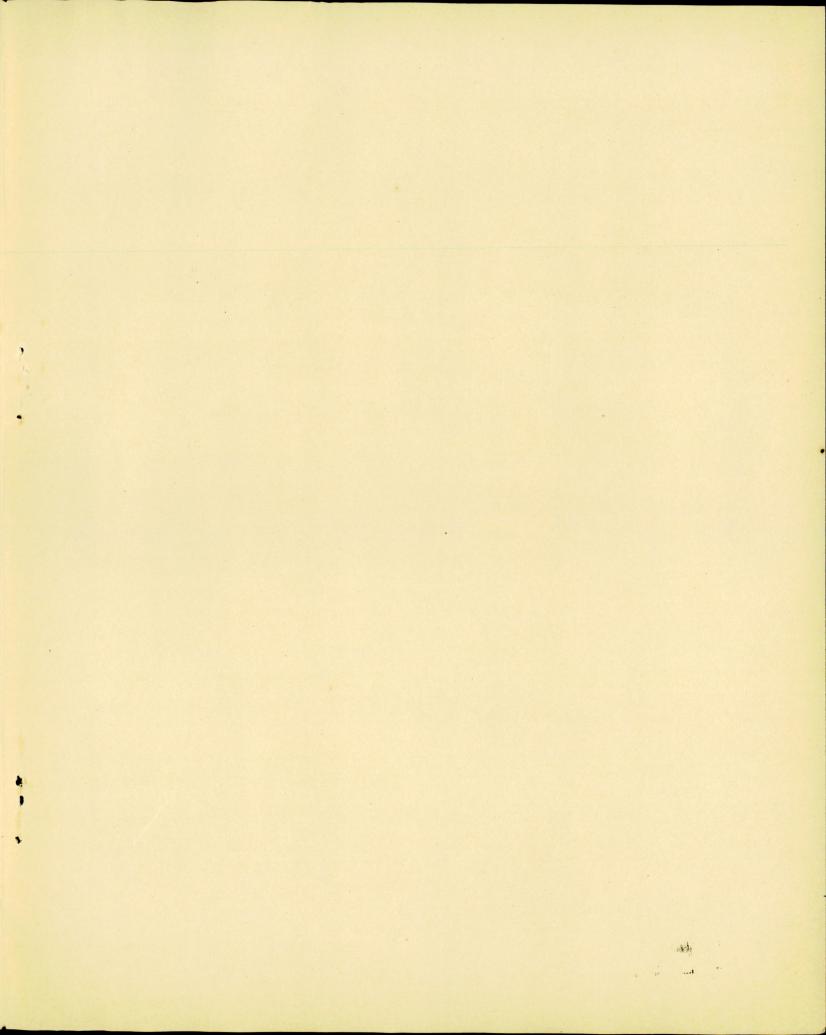
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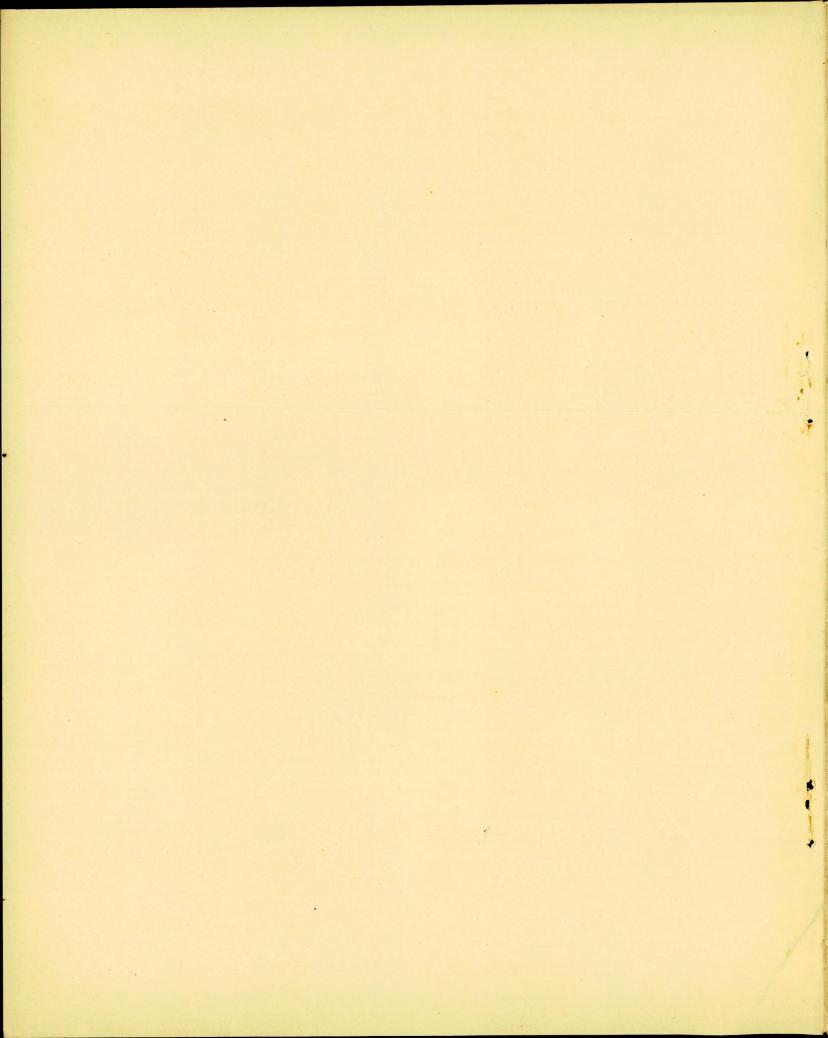
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Act No. 7, 1938.

An Act to amend the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 4th October, 1938.7

B^E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :---

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Gaming and short title Betting (Amendment) Act, 1938."

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(2) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1938.

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Amendment of 2. The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is Act No. 25, amended—

Sec. 3. (Definition of "Street".)

- (a) (i) by omitting from paragraph (1) of the definition of "Street" in section three all words following the word "land";
 - (ii) by inserting after paragraph (1) of the same definition the following new paragraph:—

(1A) Every description of vessel used in navigation;

- (iii) by inserting at the end of the same definition the following paragraphs—
 - "Street" does not include any house other than a house situated on premises in respect of which a license is held under Part III of the Liquor Act, 1912, or the Billiards and Bagatelle Act, 1902, or the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908-1937.
 - "Street" does not extend to include a licensed race-course during the period in which a race-meeting is being held on such race-course.
- (b) by inserting next after section three the following new section :--

3A. This Act shall be read and construed subject to the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.

(c) by omitting from section forty-one the words "as a betting-house";

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(d) by inserting after section forty-seven the fol- New secs. lowing new sections :---

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47A (1) (a) No house, office, room or other Betting inplace shall be opened, kept or used for the pur- formationpose of the owner, occupier, or keeper thereof, house, etc., or any person using the same, or any person for comprocured or employed by or acting for or on thereof. behalf of such owner, occupier, or keeper, or person using the same, or of any person having the care or management or in any manner conducting the business thereof communicating or conveying by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, to any person at any time before the prescribed time, any information concerning the betting or betting odds on any event or contingency of or relating to any race, contest or course held or to be held at any racemeeting or meeting for coursing.

(b) In this subsection the expression "the prescribed time" means the actual time of the starting of the last race, contest or course at the race-meeting or meeting for coursing at which the event or contingency to which the betting or betting odds relate is decided or determined.

(c) Any reference in this subsection to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to totalizator dividends and probable totalizator dividends.

(2) Whosoever opens, keeps, or uses any house, office, room or other place for any of the purposes mentioned in subsection one of this section, or knowingly permits the same to be opened, kept or used by any other person for any of such purposes, or has the care or management of, or in any manner assists in conducting the business of any such house, office, room or place opened, kept or used for any of such purposes, shall, for a first offence, be liable to a penalty

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penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(3) This section shall not operate to prohibit the communication or conveying of information upon a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister, where the information is so communicated or conveyed on any day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is held on such race-course or coursing ground, and is so communicated or conveyed solely to persons who are present at such race-meeting or meeting for coursing.

47B. (1) Every person who prints or publishes or causes to be printed or published any newspaper or document which contains any advertisement, notice, or other matter whatsoever—

- (a) which is likely to lead to the belief, or whereby it is made to appear that such person or any other person will if required—
 - (i) bet on any event or contingency of or relating to any intended race contest or course to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or
 - (ii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information or advice as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or

(iii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information

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information or advice as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course; or

- (b) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that information or advice in relation to any of the matters referred to in subparagraphs (ii) and (iii) of paragraph (a) of this subsection has been given or will be given in any newspaper or document; or
- (c) whereby any information or advice is given or purports to be given—
 - (i) as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or
 - (ii) as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course,

shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(2) (a) If any such advertisement, notice or other matter as is referred to in subsection one of this section---

- (i) names any person as the person by whom or on whose behalf such advertisement, notice or matter is printed or published; or
- (ii) names any person as the person who will make any such bet or communicate or convey any such information or advice as is referred to in paragraph (a) of that subsection; or
- (iii) names any person as the person who or on whose behalf any such information or advice as is referred to in paragraph
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(iv) names any person as the person who or on whose behalf or with whose authority any such information or adthe leafest set wice as is referred to in paragraph (c) and hadd more served that subsection is given or purports to be given, or by whom such information or advice is furnished,

the person so named shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have caused to be published the newspaper or document containing such advertisement, notice or other matter.

> (b) For the purposes of this subsection a person shall be deemed to be named if he is mentioned or referred to by name, or by any name or designation whatsoever used or assumed by him or by which he is usually known or which is usually applied to his business or business premises.

> (3) If any such advertisement, notice or other matter as is referred to in subsection one of this section specifies, indicates or refers to a telephone number, post office box or address, the person renting such telephone or post office box, or the occupier of the premises to which such address relates (as the case may be) shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have caused to be published the newspaper or document containing such advertisement, notice or other matter.

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(4) (a) This section shall not operateon (i) to prohibit a bookmaker from exhibiting subjuictment or posting up any written or printed matter relating to any betting or betting (a) high manual odds which he is prepared to accept or offer, where such matter is exhibited or posted up on a licensed race-course or noitunneini de coursing ground approved by the Minister decreasing a olon a day upon which a race-meeting or novice most and meeting for coursing is being held upon such race-course or coursing ground;

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(ii) to prohibit the printing or publication in any newspaper of an advertisement or notice relating to a bookmaker where the contents of such advertisement or notice are confined to a statement of the name of the bookmaker, the race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister on which he will operate and the number of the stand on such race-course or coursing ground which he will occupy.

(b) This section shall not operate to prohibit the exhibition by or on behalf of a person, club or association conducting a racemeeting or a meeting for coursing on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister of any information concerning probable totalizator dividends, where such information is so exhibited on such race-course or coursing ground on the day upon which the race-meeting or meeting for coursing is held.

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(c) This section shall not operate to prohibit the publication of a newspaper containing a forecast of the probable result of any such race contest or course as is referred to in subsection one of this section, where—

- (i) the newspaper is published in good faith for the purpose of supplying mainly news and comment other than such forecast, and
- (ii) the publication of such forecast is not by way of advertisement or for valuable consideration.

(d) This section shall not operate to prohibit the publication of any information in relation to a prosecution for an offence,

(5) (a) In this section—

"document" includes placard, sign, device, handbill, card and writing;

"publishes" includes sends, exhibits, sells, circulates, distributes, gives away and posts up; and "published" has a corresponding meaning.

(b) Any reference in subsection one of this section to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to probable totalizator dividends.

47c. (1) No house, office, room or other place shall be opened, kept or used for the purpose of the owner, occupier or keeper thereof, or any person using the same or any person procured or employed by, or acting for or on behalf of such owner, occupier or keeper, or person using the same, or of any person having the care or management or in any manner conducting the business thereof making any oral statement—

- (a) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that any person will, if required—
 - (i) bet on any event or contingency of or relating to any intended race contest or course to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or
 - (ii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information or advice as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or

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(3) This section shall not operate to prohibit a bookmaker from making any oral statement as to any betting or betting odds which he is prepared to accept or offer where such stateis made upon a licensed race-course or Mindouls B coursing

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(4) (a) In this section the expression "make any oral statement" includes every method of communicating by means of spoken words, whether directly or through the medium of any apparatus for the reproduction of sound.

(b) Any reference in subsection one of this section to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to probable totalizator dividends.

47D. (1) Every person who for fee or reward gives any oral information or advice—

- (a) as to the probable result of any intended race, contest or course to be held at any race-meeting, or meeting for coursing, in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or
- (b) as to the betting or betting odds on any event or contingency of or relating to any such race contest or course,

shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(2) In any proceedings for an offence against this section the allegation in the information that any information or advice was given for fee or reward shall be prima facie evidence of the fact so alleged.

(3) In this section the expression "give oral information or advice" includes every method of communicating information by spoken

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47E. (1) Every person who prints or pub-Race prolishes, or causes to be printed or published, any grammes. document which contains or purports to contain—

- (a) a list of the horses or dogs nominated for any intended race contest or course which is to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister; or
- (b) a list of the horses or dogs which will or will not take part in any such race, contest or course,

shall, unless the printing and publication of such list has been approved or authorised by the person, club, or association conducting such race-meeting or meeting for coursing, be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(2) In this section—

- "document" includes newspaper, placard, sign, handbill, card and writing but does not include a newspaper published in good faith for the purpose of supplying mainly news and comment other than the matter referred to in paragraph (a) and/or paragraph (b) of subsection one of this section.
- "publishes" includes sends, exhibits, sells, circulates, distributes, gives away and posts up; and "published" has a corresponding meaning,

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- (e) (i) by inserting in subsection one of section forty-two after the word "telegram" the words "by telephone";
 - (ii) by inserting in the same subsection after the word "correspondence" the words "or communication";
- (f) by inserting next after section fifty-eight the following new section:---

58A. The allegations in an information in respect of any offence against this Act that any race-meeting or meeting for coursing mentioned in the information was held at a place and on a date therein specified and that any horse or dog named in the information took part in any race, contest or course therein mentioned shall be accepted by the court as evidence of the truth of the allegations unless the contrary is proved.

3. (1) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is further amended by inserting next after subsection four of section fifty-one the following new subsection:—

(4A) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections three and four of this section, in the case of any racecourse mentioned in paragraph (c) of subsection three of this section meetings for horse-racing may be held on that race-course on any number (not being more than twelve) of days in any one year and meetings for pony-racing may be held on that race-course on any number (not being more than six) of days in any one year but the total number of days in any one year upon which any such meetings are held shall not exceed twelve.

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(2) The amendment made by subsection one of this section shall take effect on the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

New sec. 58A.

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cf. Act No. 2,282, 1936 (S.A.), s. 99.

Further amendment of Act No. 25, 1912, s. 51. (Limitation

of racing days.)

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(3) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is Further further amended :--

(a) by inserting next after subsection five of section Sec. 52A. 52A the following new subsection :--(Special licenses.)

(5A) Notwithstanding anything contained in subsection five of this section the number of licenses for race-courses situated within forty miles of the principal post office, Newcastle, shall not exceed three.

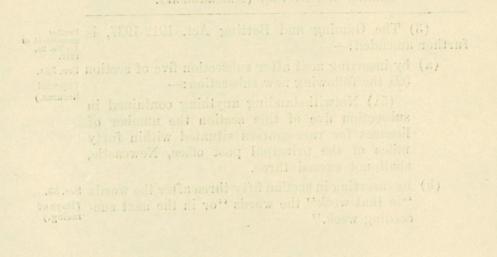
(b) by inserting in section fifty-three after the words Sec. 53. "in that week" the words "or in the next suc- (Days of racing.) ceeding week."

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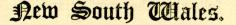
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I certify that this PUBLIC BILL, which originated in the LEGIS-LATIVE ASSEMBLY, has finally passed the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL and the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY of NEW SOUTH WALES.

> W. R. McCOURT. Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, Sydney, 30 September, 1938.





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Act No. 7, 1938.

An Act to amend the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith. [Assented to, 4th October, 1938.7

DE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :---

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the "Gaming and Short title Betting (Amendment) Act, 1938." and

citation.

(2) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1938.

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I have examined this Bill, and find it to correspond in all respects with the Bill as finally passed by both Houses.

> W. W. HEDGES. Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly.

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	Gaming and Betting (Amendment).
Amendment of Act No. 25, 1912.	2. The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is amended—
Sec. 3. (Definition of "Street".)	 (a) (i) by omitting from paragraph (1) of the definition of "Street" in section three all words following the word "land";
	(ii) by inserting after paragraph (1) of the same definition the following new paragraph:—
	(1A) Every description of vessel used in navigation;
	(iii) by inserting at the end of the same definition the following paragraphs—
	"Street" does not include any house other than a house situated on premises in respect of which a license is held under Part III of the Liquor Act, 1912, or the Billiards and Bagatelle Act, 1902, or the Theatres and Public Halls Act, 1908-1937.
	"Street" does not extend to include a licensed race-course during the period in which a race-meeting is being held on such race-course.
New sec. 3▲.	(b) by inserting next after section three the follow- ing new section :
Construc- tion.	3A. This Act shall be read and construed sub- ject to the Commonwealth of Australia Consti- tution Act and so as not to exceed the legisla-

tution Act, and so as not to exceed the legislative power of the State, to the intent that where any provision of this Act, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this Act, and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected.

(c) by omitting from section forty-one the words "as a betting-house";

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(d) by inserting after section forty-seven the fol- New secs. lowing new sections :---

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47A (1) (a) No house, office, room or other Betting information-keeping place shall be opened, kept or used for the purpose of the owner, occupier, or keeper thereof, house, etc., for comor any person using the same, or any person munication procured or employed by or acting for or on thereof. behalf of such owner, occupier, or keeper, or person using the same, or of any person having the care or management or in any manner conducting the business thereof communicating or conveying by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, to any person at any time before the prescribed time, any information concerning the betting or betting odds on any event or contingency of or relating to any race, contest or course held or to be held at any racemeeting or meeting for coursing.

(b) In this subsection the expression "the prescribed time" means the actual time of the starting of the last race, contest or course at the race-meeting or meeting for coursing at which the event or contingency to which the betting or betting odds relate is decided or determined.

(c) Any reference in this subsection to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to totalizator dividends and probable totalizator dividends.

(2) Whosoever opens, keeps, or uses any house, office, room or other place for any of the purposes mentioned in subsection one of this section, or knowingly permits the same to be opened, kept or used by any other person for any of such purposes, or has the care or management of, or in any manner assists in conducting the business of any such house, office, room or place opened, kept or used for any of such purposes, shall, for a first offence, be liable to a penalty

penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(3) This section shall not operate to prohibit the communication or conveying of information upon a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister, where the information is so communicated or conveyed on any day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is held on such race-course or coursing ground, and is so communicated or conveyed solely to persons who are present at such race-meeting or meeting for coursing.

478. (1) Every person who prints or publishes or causes to be printed or published any newspaper or document which contains any advertisement, notice, or other matter whatsoever—

- (a) which is likely to lead to the belief, or whereby it is made to appear that such person or any other person will if required—
 - (i) bet on any event or contingency of or relating to any intended race contest or course to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or
 - (ii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information or advice as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or
- (iii) communicate or convey by any means whatsoever, either directly or indirectly, any information

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information or advice as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course; or 5

- (b) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that information or advice in relation to any of the matters referred to in subparagraphs (ii) and (iii) of paragraph (a) of this subsection has been given or will be given in any newspaper or document; or
- (c) whereby any information or advice is given or purports to be given—
 - (i) as to the probable result of any such race contest or course; or
 - (ii) as to the betting or betting odds on any such race contest or course,

shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(2) (a) If any such advertisement, notice or other matter as is referred to in subsection one of this section—

- (i) names any person as the person by whom or on whose behalf such advertisement, notice or matter is printed or published; or
- (ii) names any person as the person who will make any such bet or communicate or convey any such information or advice as is referred to in paragraph (a) of that subsection; or
- (iii) names any person as the person who or on whose behalf any such information or advice as is referred to in paragraph.
 (b) of that subsection has been given or will be given; or

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(iv) names any person as the person who or on whose behalf or with whose authority any such information or advice as is referred to in paragraph (c) of that subsection is given or purports to be given, or by whom such information or advice is furnished,

the person so named shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have caused to be published the newspaper or document containing such advertisement, notice or other matter.

(b) For the purposes of this subsection a person shall be deemed to be named if he is mentioned or referred to by name, or by any name or designation whatsoever used or assumed by him or by which he is usually known or which is usually applied to his business or business premises.

(3) If any such advertisement, notice or other matter as is referred to in subsection one of this section specifies, indicates or refers to a telephone number, post office box or address, the person renting such telephone or post office box, or the occupier of the premises to which such address relates (as the case may be) shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have caused to be published the newspaper or document containing such advertisement, notice or other matter.

(4) (a) This section shall not operate—
(i) to prohibit a bookmaker from exhibiting or posting up any written or printed matter relating to any betting or betting odds which he is prepared to accept or offer, where such matter is exhibited or posted up on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister on a day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is being held upon such race-course or coursing ground;

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(ii) to prohibit the printing or publication in any newspaper of an advertisement or notice relating to a bookmaker where the contents of such advertisement or notice are confined to a statement of the name of the bookmaker, the race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister on which he will operate and the number of the stand on such race-course or coursing ground which he will occupy.

(b) This section shall not operate to prohibit the exhibition by or on behalf of a person, club or association conducting a racemeeting or a meeting for coursing on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister of any information concerning probable totalizator dividends, where such information is so exhibited on such race-course or coursing ground on the day upon which the race-meeting or meeting for coursing is held.

(c) This section shall not operate to prohibit the publication of a newspaper containing a forecast of the probable result of any such race contest or course as is referred to in subsection one of this section, where—

- (i) the newspaper is published in good faith for the purpose of supplying mainly news and comment other than such forecast, and
- (ii) the publication of such forecast is not by way of advertisement or for valuable consideration.

(d) This section shall not operate to prohibit the publication of any information in relation to a prosecution for an offence.

(5) (a) In this section—

"document" includes placard, sign, device, handbill, card and writing;

"publishes" includes sends, exhibits, sells, circulates, distributes, gives away and posts up; and "published" has a corresponding meaning.

(b) Any reference in subsection one of this section to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to probable totalizator dividends.

47c. (1) No house, office, room or other place shall be opened, kept or used for the purpose of the owner, occupier or keeper thereof, or any person using the same or any person procured or employed by, or acting for or on behalf of such owner, occupier or keeper, or person using the same, or of any person having the care or management or in any manner conducting the business thereof making any oral statement—

- (a) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that any person will, if required—
 - (i) bet on any event or contingency of or relating to any intended race contest or course to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or
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- (b) which is likely to lead to the belief or whereby it is made to appear that information or advice in relation to any of the matters referred to in subparagraphs (ii) and (iii) of paragraph (a) of this subsection has been given or will be given in any newspaper or document; or
- (c) whereby any information or advice is given or purports to be given—
 - (i) as to the probable result of any such race, contest or course; or
 - (ii) as to the betting or betting odds on any such race, contest or course.

(2) Whosoever opens, keeps or uses any house, office, room or other place for any of the purposes mentioned in subsection one of this section, or knowingly permits the same to be opened, kept or used by any other person for any of such purposes, or has the care or management of, or in any manner assists in conducting the business of any such house, office, room or place opened, kept or used for any of such purposes, shall, for a first offence, be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(3) This section shall not operate to prohibit a bookmaker from making any oral statement as to any betting or betting odds which he is prepared to accept or offer where such statement is made upon a licensed race-course or coursing

coursing ground approved by the Minister on a day upon which a race-meeting or meeting for coursing is being held upon such race-course or coursing ground, and is so made solely to persons present at such race-meeting or meeting for coursing.

(4) (a) In this section the expression "make any oral statement" includes every method of communicating by means of spoken words, whether directly or through the medium of any apparatus for the reproduction of sound.

(b) Any reference in subsection one of this section to "the betting or betting odds" shall extend to include a reference to probable totalizator dividends.

47_D. (1) Every person who for fee or reward gives any oral information or advice—

- (a) as to the probable result of any intended race, contest or course to be held at any race-meeting, or meeting for coursing, in any part of the Commonwealth of Australia; or
- (b) as to the betting or betting odds on any event or contingency of or relating to any such race contest or course,

shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

(2) In any proceedings for an offence against this section the allegation in the information that any information or advice was given for fee or reward shall be prima facie evidence of the fact so alleged.

(3) In this section the expression "give oral information or advice" includes every method of communicating information by spoken

Tipsters, etc. giving oral information for fee or reward. cf. Act No. 2,282, 1936 (S.A.), s. 66.

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47E. (1) Every person who prints or pub-Race prolishes, or causes to be printed or published, any grammes. document which contains or purports to contain—

- (a) a list of the horses or dogs nominated for any intended race contest or course which is to be held at any race-meeting or meeting for coursing on a licensed race-course or coursing ground approved by the Minister; or
- (b) a list of the horses or dogs which will or will not take part in any such race, contest or course,

shall, unless the printing and publication of such list has been approved or authorised by the person, club, or association conducting such race-meeting or meeting for coursing, be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds, and for a second or any subsequent offence to a penalty of not less than one hundred pounds and not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds.

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- (e) (i) by inserting in subsection one of section forty-two after the word "telegram" the words "by telephone";
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Further amendment of Act No. 25, 1912, s. 51. (Limitation of racing days.) following new section:— 58A. The allegations in an information in respect of any offence against this Act that any race-meeting or meeting for coursing mentioned in the information was held at a place and on a date therein specified and that any horse or dog named in the information took part in any race, contest or course therein mentioned shall be accepted by the court as evidence of the truth

of the allegations unless the contrary is proved.

3. (1) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is further amended by inserting next after subsection four of section fifty-one the following new subsection:—

(4A) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections three and four of this section, in the case of any racecourse mentioned in paragraph (c) of subsection three of this section meetings for horse-racing may be held on that race-course on any number (not being more than twelve) of days in any one year and meetings for pony-racing may be held on that race-course on any number (not being more than six) of days in any one year but the total number of days in any one year upon which any such meetings are held shall not exceed twelve.

(2) The amendment made by subsection one of this section shall take effect on the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

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(3) The Gaming and Betting Act, 1912-1937, is Further amendment of Act No. 25, 1912. further amended :--

(a) by inserting next after subsection five of section Sec. 52A. 52A the following new subsection :-(Special licenses.)

(5A) Notwithstanding anything contained in subsection five of this section the number of licenses for race-courses situated within forty miles of the principal post office, Newcastle, shall not exceed three.

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In the name and on behalf of His Majesty I assent to this Act.

> WAKEHURST, Governor.

Government House. Sydney, 4th October, 1938.

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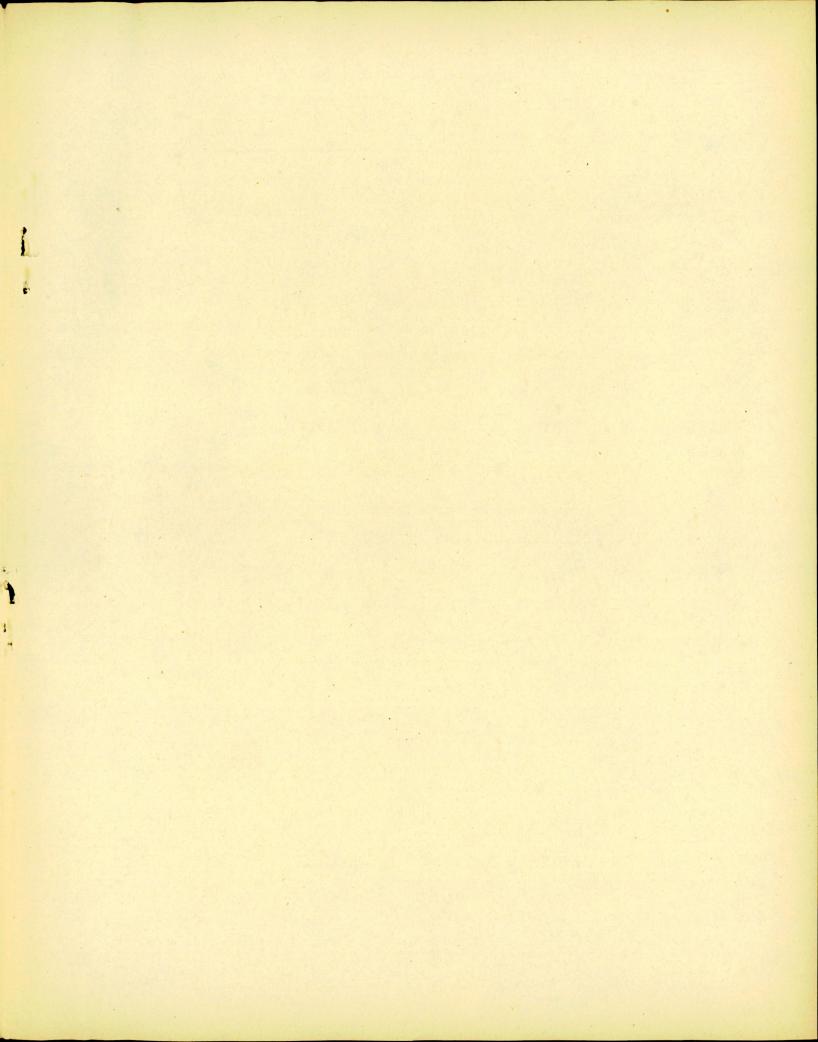
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