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No. 35.

AN ACT to further amend "The Contagious A.D. 1896. Diseases (Cattle) Act, 1861." [30 October, 1896.]

WHEREAS there is danger of the Tick being introduced into PREAMBLE. Tasmania in straw or grass used as packing:

Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows :-

1 This Act may be cited as "The Contagious Diseases (Cattle) Act, Short title. 1896."

2 No fruit, plants, or other products shall be imported or brought Penalty on into Tasmania packed in grass, straw, or any material calculated to importing fruit, introduce into Tasmania the Queensland Cattle-tick (Ixodes bovis); straw, &c. and any person acting in contravention of this Section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding One hundred Pounds.

3 Any case or other receptacle containing any fruit, plants, or Fruit, &c. maybe other products packed as aforesaid, may, on being landed from any detained and ship in *Tasmania*, be detained by the Chief Inspector or any person destroyed. appointed by him, or any Inspector, and every such case or other receptacle and all the contents thereof may be destroyed at the expense of the person importing the same.

4 This Act and "The Contagious Diseases (Cattle) Act, 1861," and Acts to be read the Acts amending the same, shall be read and construed together as together. one and the same Act.

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