# Crimes (Amendment) Bill, 1934.

### EXPLANATORY NOTE.

Clause 2—

(a) The fraudulent disposal of property by trustees is an offence under section 172. This section should apply to executors and administrators, and they are included in the definition of trustee in section 46 of the English Larceny Act, 1916.

(b) The object of this amendment is to prevent a woman being convicted of murder in the circumstances stated. It adopts the provisions of the English Infanticide Act, 1922.

(c) The object of this amendment is to obviate a difficulty of proof of incest in a case where the offence is committed upon an illegitimate child. By section 78A the relationship need not be traced through lawful wedlock, i.e., a man may commit this offence with his illegitimate daughter. In *R. v. Seaton* (1933) N.Z.L.R., it was held that the decision in *Russell v. Russell* (1924) A.C. 687, that evidence of non-access by a husband, which would bastardise a child born in wedlock, is not admissible, applied not only to proceedings in the Divorce Court, but also to a criminal prosecution. In that case the accused committed incest with his daughter, the mother of the child being a married woman who was living apart from her husband. The conviction was set aside because the mother had given evidence that the accused, and not her husband, was the father of the child.

(d) As section 81 provides that consent is not a defence to a charge of indecent assault, a similar provision is made in regard to the offence dealt with by section 80.

(e) This amendment adopts the provision of section 11 of the English Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1885.

(f) The effect of the amendment is to make the definitions of "clerk" and "servant" of general application.

(g) This amendment adopts the provisions of the Crimes Act, 1928 (Victoria), section 181, subsection (2).

(h) This amendment corrects a clerical error in section 186.

(i) The effect of the amendment is to render a person who tampers with a witness guilty of an offence, without the necessity of proving that the witness has been bound over or subpænaed to give evidence.

(j) This is a verbal amendment copied from section 9 of the English Perjury Act, 1911, which, it is considered, is an improvement in the language of the section.

(k) This is an adoption of a subsection in the Commonwealth Crimes Act, 1914-1926, relating to search warrants.

(1) This amendment adopts the provisions of section 30 of the English Children Act, 1908, as amended by section 28 (2) of the Criminal Justice Administration Act, 1914. The effect of it is that a child of tender years may make an unsworn statement upon the hearing of any charge, whether called as a witness for the prosecution or defence, if in the opinion of the Court the child does not understand the nature of an oath. But if the evidence of the child is tendered by the prosecution, no person can be convicted upon this evidence unless it is corroborated. Where the evidence is tendered at the lower Court, the evidence is to be deemed to be a deposition, and may be read as evidence for the prosecution or the defence at the trial under section 409, if the child is dead or too ill to give evidence at the trial.

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(m) (i) and (ii) These amendments are designed to facilitate proof of the ownership of goods pilfered from trains and railway premises.

(n) This amendment will empower the Comptroller-General of Prisons to apply moneys held on behalf of a prisoner in satisfaction of a direction to pay compensation.

(o) The effect of the amendment is that if a ticket-of-leave is revoked, the offender is required to serve the unserved portion of his original sentence. The term of this sentence will not continue to run while the offender is out on license.

(p) The object of the amendment is to make it clear that a further inquiry may be granted in every case where there has been a conviction. If a person were convicted, and released as a first offender, or bound over to come up for sentence, it might be contended that he was not a "prisoner," as he was not serving a sentence, and therefore could not be granted a further inquiry.

(q) This amendment enlarges the jurisdiction of magistrates to deal sum<sup>2</sup> marily with indictable offences, when the accused consents.

Clause 3-

(a) In the case of assaults, particularly if committed on a child or any female, or while in company, it is considered that a magistrate should have power to impose a sentence exceeding six months. This will enable such assaults to be dealt with summarily.

(b) This amendment removes a doubt as to whether the section is affected by the limitation imposed by section 56 of the Justices Act, 1902, which requires certain proceedings to be brought within six months of the commission of the offence.

(c) This amendment enables a person found in possession of cattle reasonably suspected to have been stolen to be dealt with summarily. It also enables • a person to be taken by a constable before a justice, if necessary, without the issue of a summons.

(d) This amendment will enable a person to be bound over for a term not exceeding three years, instead of not exceeding six months.

(e) This amendment is designed to make it clear that the provision for reduction of sentence or fine is of general application.

(f) This is a verbal amendment which it is considered is an improvement upon the existing provision.

(g) This amendment limits the application of section 556A in cases of revenue offences.

(h) This amendment provides for the case of breaches of recognizances to be of good behaviour. In case of a breach the offender may be arrested and sentenced as if he had not been released on recognizances.

(i) Consequential amendment of section 1.

(j) It is considered that the words proposed to be omitted are inconsistent with the earlier words in the paragraph and cause difficulties in certain cases.

(k) This is consequential on (j).

Clause 4---

(a) This amendment is a copy of section 41 of the English Criminal Justice Act, 1925, and prohibits the taking and publication of photographs or sketches of judges, jurors, witnesses, or parties before any civil or criminal court.

(b) This is a consequential amendment.

Clause 5—

(a) This amendment adopts certain of the provisions of the English Prevention of Corruption Acts, 1889 to 1916.

(b) This is a consequential amendment.

Clause 6 and Schedule-

These are Statute Law Revision amendments.

# [CONFIDENTIAL.] (Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

#### No. , 1934.

# A BILL

To amend the Crimes Act, 1900, in certain respects; and for purposes connected therewith.

**B**<sup>E</sup> 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. This Act may be cited as the "Crimes (Amend- short title. ment) Act, 1934."

2. The Crimes Act, 1900, as amended by subsequent Amendment of Act No. 40, 1900. Acts, is amended—

(a) by inserting in the definition of "Trustee" in Sec. 4. section four after the words " and also " the "(Definition of "trustee.") words " an executor and administrator and "; -(2)(b)

cf. 6 and 7 Geo. V, c. 50, s. 46.

(b) by inserting after section twenty-two the follow- News, 22A. ing new section:---

22A. (1) Where a woman by any wilful act or Infanticide. omission causes the death of her newly-born cf. 12 and child, but at the time of the act or omission she  $^{13}_{c, 18, s. 1,}$ had not fully recovered from the effect of giving birth to such child, and by reason thereof the balance of her mind was disturbed, she shall, notwithstanding that the circumstances were such that but for this section the offence would have amounted to murder, be guilty of infanticide, and may for such offence be dealt with and punished as if she had been guilty of the offence of manslaughter of such child.

(2) Where upon the trial of a woman for the murder of her newly-born child, the jury are of opinion that she by any wilful act or omission caused its death, but that at the time of the act or omission she had not fully recovered from the effect of giving birth to such child, and that by reason thereof the balance of her mind was then disturbed, the jury may, notwithstanding that the circumstances were such that but for the provisions of this section they might have returned a verdict of murder, return in lieu thereof a verdict of infanticide.

(3) Nothing in this section shall affect the power of the jury upon an indictment for the murder of a newly-born child to return a verdict of manslaughter or a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity, or a verdict of concealment of birth.

(4) Where upon the trial of a woman for infanticide the jury are not satisfied that she is guilty thereof, but are satisfied that she is guilty of concealment of birth, they may acquit her of the offence charged, and find her guilty of concealment of birth, and she shall be liable to punishment accordingly.

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(c)

(c) by inserting at the end of section 78c the follow- Sec. 78c. ing new subsection :---

(3) The rule of law that neither a husband cf. R. v. nor a wife is permitted to give evidence of non-Seaton intercourse after marriage to bastardise a child N.Z.L.R. born in wedlock shall not apply upon the hearing 548. of a charge under section 78A or section 78B, and such evidence shall be admissible to prove the paternity of any child by whom or with respect to whom any offence under either of those sections is alleged to have been committed.

- (d) by inserting in section eighty after the words Sec. 80. "with intent to commit the same" the words (Attempt, etc., "with or without the consent of such person "; <sup>buggery.</sup>)
- (e) (i) by inserting after section eighty-one the News. 81A. following new section:---

81A. Any male person who, in public or Outrages on private, commits, or is a party to the commission of, or procures or attempts to 49 Vict., c. procure the commission by any male person 69, s. 11. of, any act of gross indecency with another male person, shall be liable to penal servitude for *two* years.

- (ii) by omitting from the matter relating to Sec. 1. Part III in section one the figures "81" (Conseand by inserting in lieu thereof the figures quential.) and letter "81A";
- (f) by omitting from section one hundred and fifty- sec. 155. five the words " within the meaning of the two (Definition of next following sections ": next following sections '';
- (g) by inserting next after section one hundred and News. 179A. seventy-nine the following new section:----

179A. Whosoever incurring any debt or lia- Obtaining bility obtains credit under false pretences or by credit by fraud means of any other fraud whatsoever shall be Act No. liable to imprisonment for *one* year.

(h) by omitting from section one hundred and sec. 186. eighty-six the words "helping any person to (Taking reward for any property" and inserting in lieu thereof the helping to recover stolen words "helping any person to recover any property.) property "; (i)

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- (i) by omitting from section three hundred and Sec. 336. thirty-six the words "such person being bound (Tampering with by recognizance or subpœna so to attend "; witness.)
- (j) by omitting from section three hundred and forty Sec. 340. all the words after the words "direct such (Directing person to be prosecuted for perjury in respect for perthereof " and by inserting in lieu thereof the jury.) words " and may commit him, or admit him to cf. 1 and 2 Geo. V, c. 6, bail, to take his trial at the proper court, and  $\frac{1}{8}$ , 9. may require any person then present to enter into a recognizance to give evidence against the person whose prosecution is so directed ";
- (k) by inserting at the end of section three hundred Sec. 354. and fifty-four the following new subsection:---

(2) Where any credible person on oath before cf. Crimes a justice shows reasonable cause to believe that Act, 1914. there is in any premises, vessel or place anything (Cwealth), which will afford evidence as to the commission s. 10. of any such offence as is referred to in the foregoing provisions of this section such justice may grant a warrant to search for the same, which warrant may be executed as in the case of a warrant to search for stolen goods.

- (1) (i) by omitting from subsection one of section sec. 418. four hundred and eighteen the words (Unsworn " under sections sixty-seven to 78B inclusive, statement by child.) or under sections seventy-nine, eighty or eighty-one of this Act ";
  - (ii) by inserting at the end of the same section the following new subsection:-

(3) The evidence of the child tendered as a witness though not given on oath but otherwise taken and reduced into writing in accordance with the provisions of section thirty-six of the Justices Act, 1902, shall be deemed to be a deposition.

(m) (i) by omitting from section 419A the words sec. 419A. " or boat" wherever occurring and by (Pilfering inserting in lieu thereof the words "boat or of goods from vessel, train '': etc.)

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(Search warrant.)

- (ii) by omitting from the same section the words " or quay" wherever occurring and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "quay, railway goods yard, or other railway premises ":
- (n) by inserting next after subsection one of section sec. 457. four hundred and fifty-seven the following new (Direction subsection :---

(1A) Where a direction has been entered as enforceable prescribed by subsection one of this section the execution.) Comptroller-General of Prisons or any other officer of the Crown who holds money for or to the credit of the offender in respect of whose property the direction was made, may pay the whole or any part of such money in satisfaction or part satisfaction of the direction; and any payment so made shall be a valid discharge to the Comptroller-General or other officer as against such offender.

- (d) by omitting from subsection two of section four  $s_{ec. 463}$ . hundred and sixty-three the words "the remain- (Ticketsder of his sentence " and by inserting in lieu of-leave.) thereof the words " such portion of his sentence as had not been served at the time when the license which has been revoked was granted ";
- (p) (i) by omitting from subsection one of section Sec. 475. four hundred and seventy-five the words (Governor or ' judge may " of a prisoner" and by inserting in lieu <sup>juage</sup> direct thereof the words " of any person "; inquiry.)
  - (ii) by omitting from the same subsection the words " of the prisoner " and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the person convicted ";
  - (iii) by inserting in subsection four of the same section after the word "practicable" the words "together with his report as to the conclusions to be drawn therefrom ";
- (q) by omitting from paragraph two of section four Sec. 476. hundred and seventy-six the words "one (Indictable hundred pounds" and by inserting in lieu summarily thereof the words "two hundred and fifty by consent of the accused.) pounds." 3.

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3. The Crimes Act, 1900, as amended by subsequent Further amendment of Act No. 40, 1900. Acts, is further amended—

- (a) by omitting from section four hundred and Sec. 494. ninety-four the words "six months" and by (Aggravated inserting in lieu thereof the words "twelve assaults.) months ";
- (b) by inserting at the end of section five hundred sec. 501. and one the following new subsection:----

(3) The provisions of section fifty-six of the summarily Justices Act, 1902, shall not apply to proceedings without conunder this section.

- (c) (i) by inserting in section five hundred and two Sec. 502. after the word "found" the words "any (Possession cattle reasonably suspected to have been of skins, etc., stolen or ";
  - (ii) by inserting in the same section after the words "such skin or carcass may be" the words "taken by a constable before, or may be ";
  - (iii) by inserting in the same section after the words "that the same" the words "was stolen or ";
- (d) (i) by omitting from subsection one of section Sec. 547. five hundred and forty-seven the words " for (Recognia term not exceeding six months " and by  $\frac{zance to}{keep the}$ inserting in lieu thereof the words "for a peace.) term not exceeding three years ";
  - (ii) by omitting from subsection two of the same section the words "for a term not exceeding twelve months " and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "for a term not exceeding three years ";
- (e) by omitting from section five hundred and fifty- sec. 553. three the words " of this Act " and by inserting (Sentence may in lieu thereof the words " of any Act ";
  - be for less term, or fine for less amount than that fixed )
- (f) by omitting subsection three of section five Sec. 554. hundred and fifty-four and by inserting in lieu thereof the following subsection:----

(3) Where a person is convicted of any D'amages offence by the said Court, the Court may, on such and com-pensation. conviction

(Offences sent of accused.)

conviction or at any time thereafter, upon notice given to the offender, direct that a sum not exceeding fifty pounds be paid by the offender to any person aggrieved by way of compensation for injury or loss sustained by reason of the commission of such offence, and unless the offender satisfies the Court that he is unable through want of means to pay the sum awarded, the Court may direct that in default of payment of the sum awarded the offender be imprisoned or further imprisoned for a period not exceeding six months, and the Court or any justice may grant any necessary warrant for his committal:

Provided that in no case shall the total term of such imprisonment and further imprisonment exceed *twelve* months.

(g) by inserting at the end of section 556A the follow- Sec. 556A. ing new subsection :---

(3) This section shall not apply where the offence charged is a breach or contravention of any of the provisions of the Stamp Duties Act, 1920–1933, the Income Tax (Management) Act, 1928, the Special Income and Wages Tax (Management) Act, 1933, or any other Act relating to taxation.

(h) by inserting next after section 556A the following  $_{New s. 556B.}$ new section :---

556B. If the Court before which an offender Proceedings has been required to enter into a recognizance on breach of to be of good behaviour or by which an offender condition of has been discharged conditionally on his enter- zance. ing into a recognizance to be of good behaviour and to appear for conviction and sentence when called upon, or any court of summary jurisdiction is satisfied by information on oath that the offender has failed to observe any of the conditions of his recognizance, it may issue a warrant for his apprehension, and the offender, when apprehended, if it is proved that he has failed to observe any of the conditions of his recognizance

(Power to permit con-ditional release of offenders.)

recognizance, may be dealt with for the offence with which he was originally charged as if he had not been released or discharged conditionally on his entering into a recognizance.

- (i) by inserting in the matter relating to Part XIV sec. 1. in section one after the figures and letter (Consequential.) "556A" the figures and letter "556B";
- (j) by omitting from paragraph five of section five sec. 555. hundred and fifty-eight all words after the word (Suspension of punishment " committal ";
- (k) by omitting from subsection one of section five sec. 561. hundred and sixty-one the words " or so much (Forfeiture thereof as remains to be performed, under the of recogprovisions hereinbefore contained."

4. The Crimes Act, 1900, as amended by subsequent Further Acts, is further amended—

- (a) by inserting next after section 547A the following New sec. 547B. subheading and new section:----
  - (H) PHOTOGRAPHS. PORTRAITS OR Sketches TAKEN OR MADE IN COURT.
    - 547B. (1) No person shall—

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- (a) take or attempt to take in any Court on taking any photograph, or with a view to etc., in court. publication make or attempt to make cf. 15 and in any Court any portrait or sketch, of <sup>16</sup>Geo. V any person, being a judge of the Court or a juror or a witness in or a party to any proceedings before the Court, whether civil or criminal; or
- (b) publish any photograph, portrait or sketch taken or made in contravention of the foregoing provisions of this section, or any reproduction thereof;

and if any person acts in contravention of this section he shall, on summary conviction, be liable in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding *fifty* pounds.

(2) For the purposes of this section—

(a) the expression "Court" means any Court of Justice including the court of a coroner; (b)

Prohibition photographs, c. 86, s. 41.

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amendment of Act No. 40, 1900.

- (b) the expression "judge" includes registrar, magistrate, justice or coroner:
- (c) a photograph, portrait or sketch shall be deemed to be a photograph, portrait or sketch taken or made in court if it is taken or made in the court-room or in the building or in the precincts of the building in which the court is held, or if it is a photograph, portrait or sketch taken or made of the person while he is entering or leaving the court-room or any such building or precincts as aforesaid.
- (b) by inserting in section one at the end of the Sec. 1. matter relating to Chapter III of Part XIV the (Consequential.) following words:-----
  - (H) Photographs, portraits and sketches taken or made in Court-s. 547B.

**5.** The Crimes Act, 1900, is further amended—

Further amendment of Act No. 40, 1900.

(a) by inserting next after section ninety-three the New Part following new Part:---

## PART IIIA

## PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION.

93A. In this Part unless the context or subject Interpretation. matter otherwise indicates or requires-

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- "Advantage" includes any office or dignity Vict., c. 69, and any forbearance to demand any <sup>s. 7</sup>. money or money's worth or valuable thing, and also includes any aid, vote, consent or influence, or pretended aid, vote, consent or influence, and also includes any promise or procurement of or agreement or endeavour to procure. or the holding out of any expectation of any gift, loan, fee, reward or advantage;
- "Person" includes a body of persons corporate or unincorporate;

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" Public body " means the Municipal Council of Sydney and any municipal or shire council, and any board, commission, or commissioners or other body constituted by or under any Act and which has power to act under and for the purposes of any Act, and includes local and public authorities of all descriptions, and also includes the Crown or any Government department;

"Public office" means any office or employ- 6 and 7 ment of a person as a member, officer, or employee of a public body.

93B. (1) Every person who shall by himself Corruption or by or in conjunction with any other person, corruptly solicit or receive, or agree to receive, Vict., c. 69, for himself, or for any other person, any advan- s. 1. tage whatever as an inducement to, or reward for, or otherwise on account of any member, officer, or employee of a public body doing or forbearing to do anything in respect of any matter or transaction whatsoever, actual or proposed, in which the public body is concerned, shall be liable to penal servitude for ten years, or to a fine not exceeding *five hundred* pounds or to both such penal servitude and such fine.

(2) Every person who shall by himself or by or in conjunction with any other person corruptly give, promise, or offer any advantage whatsoever to any person, whether for the benefit of that person or of another person. as an inducement to or reward for or otherwise on account of any member, officer or employee of any public body, doing or forbearing to do anything in respect of any matter or transaction whatsoever, actual or proposed, in which the public body is concerned, shall be liable to penal servitude for *ten* years, or to a fine not exceeding five hundred pounds or to both such penal servitude and such fine.

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93c. Any person convicted of an offence Penalty for offences. against a provision of this Part shall at the dis-52 and 53 Vict., c. 69, cretion of the Court before which he is convicted in addition to penal servitude and fines. 2.

- (a) be liable to be ordered to pay to such public body and in such manner as the Court directs the amount or value of any gift, loan, fee, or reward received by him or any part thereof; and
- (b) be liable to be adjudged incapable of being elected or appointed to any public office for seven years from the date of his conviction and to forfeit any office held by him at the time of his conviction; and
- (c) if such person is an officer or employee of any public body upon such conviction he shall at the discretion of the Court be liable to forfeit his right and claim to any compensation or pension to which he would otherwise have been or might have become entitled.

93D. (1) Where in any proceedings against a Presumpperson for an offence against any provision of this Part it is proved that any money, gift, loan, in certain fee, reward or other consideration has been paid or given to or received by a person in the  $\frac{6 \text{ and } 7}{6 \text{ cm}}$ employment of a public body by or from a person or agent of a person holding or seeking to obtain a contract from the public body the money, gift, loan, fee, reward or consideration shall be deemed to have been paid or given and received corruptly as such inducement or reward as is mentioned in section 93B of this Act unless the contrary is proved.

(2) Any proceedings for an offence Time for against any provision of this Part shall be commenced before the expiration of six months cf. Ibid. after the first discovery of the offence by the s. 3. prosecutor.

tion of corruption cases. Geo. V, c. 63, 64, s. 2.

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(3) A prosecution for an offence against Consent of Attorney-General. any provision of this Part shall not be instituted except by or with the consent of the Attorney-52<sup>°</sup>and 53 Vict..c. 69 Vict., c. 69, s. 4.

93E. (1) Where an offence against a provision savings. of this Part is also punishable under any other enactment or at Common Law such offence may be prosecuted and punished either under this Part or under the other enactment or at Common Law, but so that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

(2) A person shall not be exempt from 52 and 53 punishment under this Part by reason of the invalidity of the appointment or election of a person to a public office.

(b) by inserting in section one at the end of the sec. 1. matter relating to Part III the following (Consequenwords :---

## PART IIIA.—PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION. ss. 93a-93e.

6. The Crimes Act, 1900, as amended by subsequent Further Acts, is further amended to the extent set out in the amendment of Act No. 40, Schedule to this Act.

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s. 3 (2).

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Sec. 5.

#### SCHEDULE.

Enactment of Åmendment. Act No. 40, 1900. Omit the words "the preceding sections" and Section thirty insert in lieu thereof the words "sections twenty-seven to twenty-nine both inclusive." (a) Omit the words "the last preceding section " Section thirty-four... and insert in lieu thereof the words "section thirty-three "; (b) omit the words "the next following section " and insert in lieu thereof the words "section thirty-five."

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Enactment of Act No. 40, 1900.	Amendment.
Section forty	<ul> <li>(a) Omit the words "the last preceding section 'and insert in lieu thereof the words "section thirty-nine";</li> <li>(b) omit the words "the next following section 'and insert in lieu thereof the words "section</li> </ul>
Section sixty	forty-one." Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section
Section seventy-five	fifty-nine." Omit the words "the last two preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section seventy-three or section seventy-four."
Section 78B	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the word and figures "section 78A."
Section 78c	Omit the words "either of the last two preceding sections" wherever occurring and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "section 78A or section 78B."
Section eighty-eight	Omit the words "either of the two last preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the word "section eighty-six or section eighty-seven."
Section ninety-two	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section ninety-two."
Section ninety-six	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section ninety-five."
Section one hundred and one.	
Section one hundred and two.	
Section one hundred and three.	After the words "infamous crime" insert the words "as is defined in section one hundred and four."
Section one hundred and four.	Omit the words "the three last preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections one hundred and one to one hundred and three both inclusive."

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Enactment of Act No. 40, 1900.	Amendment.
Section one hundred and five.	Omit the words "as aforesaid" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as is referred to in sections ninety-nine to one hundred and three both inclusive."
Section one hundred and fifteen.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and fourteen."
Section one hundred and twenty-seven.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "fection one hundred and twenty-six."
Section one hundred and thirty.	Omit the words "the next following section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and thirty-one."
Section one hundred and thirty-six.	Omit the words "cither of the two last preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and thirty-four or section one hundred and thirty-five."
Section one hundred and thirty-seven.	Omit the words "in the said two sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "in section one hundred and thirty-four or in section one hundred and thirty-five."
Section 154A	Omit the words "and the next succeeding scction" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "scction and in section 154B."
Section 154B	Omit the words "the next preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the word and figures "section 154A."
Section one hundred and sixty-four.	Omit the words "the seven next following sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections one hundred and sixty-five to one hundred and seventy-one both inclusive."
Section one hundred and sixty-seven.	Omit the words "the two last preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and sixty-five or section one hundred and sixty-six."
Section one hundred and seventy-one.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and seventy."

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#### Enactment of Amendment. Act No. 40, 1900. Omit the words "twelve last preceding sections" Section one hundred and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections and seventy-seven. from section one hundred and sixty-five to section one hundred and seventy-six both inclusive." Omit the words "the said twelve sections" and Section one hundred insert in lieu thereof the words "sections one and seventy-eight. hundred and sixty-five to one hundred and seventy-six both inclusive." Omit the words "the last preceding section" and Section one hundred and eighty. insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and seventy-nine." Section one hundred Omit the words "the two next following sections " and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections and eighty-seven. one hundred and eighty-eight and one hundred and eighty-nine.<sup>2</sup> Omit the words "the last preceding section" Section one hundred and ninety-one. and insert in lieu thereof the words "section one hundred and ninety." Insert after the words " any such act " the words Section one hundred and ninety-five. " as is referred to in section one hundred and ninety-four." Omit the words "not hereinbefore mentioned" Section two hundred and insert in lieu thereof the words "not mentioned in sections one hundred and ninetysix to one hundred and ninety-nine both inclusive." Section two hundred Omit the words "as aforesaid" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as is referred to in and two. sections one hundred and ninety-six to two hundred and one both inclusive." (a) Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section Section two hundred and six. two hundred and five "; (b) omit the words "the next following section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section two hundred and seven."

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#### Enactment of Amendment. Act No. 40, 1900. Omit the words "in the three last preceding Section two hundred sections mentioned " and insert in lieu thereof and fourteen. the words " mentioned in sections two hundred and eleven to two hundred and thirteen both inclusive." Section two hundred Omit the words "the last preceding section " and insert in lieu thereof the words "section two and seventeen. hundred and sixteen." Omit the words "as in the last preceding section mentioned" and insert in lieu thereof the Section two hundred and twenty-two. words "as is mentioned in section two hundred and twenty-one." (a) Omit the words "the last preceding section" Section two hundred and insert in lieu thereof the words "section and thirty-one. two hundred and thirty." (b) omit the words "the next following section " and insert in lieu thereof the words "section two hundred and thirty-two." Omit the words "in the last preceding section Section two hundred mentioned "and insert in lieu thereof the words and thirty-four. " mentioned in section two hundred and thirtythree." Omit the words "hereinbefore provided" and Section two hundred insert in lieu thereof the words "provided in and forty-one. sections two hundred and thirty-five to two hundred and forty both inclusive.<sup>3</sup> Omit the words "hereinbefore provided" and Section two hundred insert in lieu thereof the words "provided and forty-seven. in this Chapter of this Part.' Omit the word " herein " and insert in lieu thereof Section two hundred the words "by any provision in this Part." and fifty-two. Insert after the words "such share or interest" Section two hundred where firstly occurring the words "as is and fifty-seven. referred to in section two hundred and fiftysix." Omit the words " in the last section mentioned " Section two hundred and sixty-two. and insert in lieu thereof the words is mentioned in section two hundred and sixty-one."

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Section two hundred and sixty-three.	Omit the words "in the last two preceding sections mentioned" and insert in lieu thereof the words "mentioned in sections two hundred and sixty-one and two hundred and sixty- two."
Section two hundred and sixty-eight.	Omit the words "the two last preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections two hundred and sixty-six and two hundred and sixty-seven."
Section two hundred and seventy-four.	Omit the words "as aforesaid" and insert in lieu thereof the words "as is referred to in section two hundred and seventy-three."
Section two hundred	Omit the word "herein" and insert in lieu thereof
and seventy-six. Section two hundred and seventy-nine.	the words " by any provision of this Part." Omit the words " the five next following sections " and insert in lieu thereof the words " sections two hundred and eighty to two hundred and eighty-four both inclusive."
Section two hundred and eighty-eight.	Omit the words "in the last preceding section mentioned" and insert in lieu thereof the words "mentioned in section two hundred and eighty-seven."
Section two hundred and ninety-two.	Omit the word "herein" and insert in lieu thereof the words "by any provision of this Part."
Section three hun- dred and five.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section three hundred and four."
Section three hun- dred and nineteen.	Omit the words "in the last preceding section mentioned" and insert in lieu thereof the words "is mentioned in section three hundred and eighteen."
Section three hun- dred and twenty.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section three hundred and nineteen."
Section three hun- dred and twenty- two.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section three hundred and twenty-one."
Section three hun- dred and twenty- nine.	Omit the words "the next following section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section three hundred and thirty."

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Section three hun- dred and forty- one.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" wherever occurring and insert in lieu thereou the words "section three hundred and forty."
Section three hun- dred and fifty-six.	Omit the words "either of the two last preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section three hundred and fifty-four or section three hundred and fifty-five."
Section four hundred and sixty-three.	<ul> <li>(a) Omit from subsection three the words "or the last preceding subsection" and insert in lieu thereof the words "subsection or sub- section two of this section";</li> <li>(b) omit from subsection four the words "the said subsections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "subsection two or subsection three of this section."</li> </ul>
Section four hundred and sixty-eight.	Omit the words "the two last preceding sections and of sections four hundred and thirty-sever and four hundred and fifty-seven" and inser- in lieu thereof the words "sections four hundred and thirty-seven, four hundred and and fifty-seven, four hundred and sixty-six four hundred and sixty-seven."
Section four hundred and seventy-six.	Omit the words "the next following section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section four hundred and seventy-seven."
Section four hundred and seventy-seven.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section four hundred and seventy-six."
Section four hundred and seventy-eight.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section four hundred and seventy-seven."
Section four hundred and eighty.	Omit the words "In any such case" and insert in lieu thereof the words "Where a charge is disposed of summarily under section four hundred and seventy-nine."

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Section four hundred and eighty-one.	<ul> <li>(a) Omit the words "in any such case" and insert in lieu thereof the words "upon a charge disposed of summarily under section four hundred and seventy-nine";</li> <li>(b) omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section four hundred and eighty."</li> </ul>
Section four hundred and eighty-two.	Omit the words "the nine next following sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections four hundred and eighty-three to four hundred and ninety-one both inclusive."
Section four hundred and eighty-four.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section four hundred and eighty-three."
Section four hundred and ninety.	Omit from subsection two the words "the preceding subsection" and insert in lieu thereou the words "subsection one of this section."
Section four hundred and ninety-eight.	Omit the words "such case of assault" and insert in lieu thereof the words "case of assault under sections four hundred and ninety-three to four hundred and ninety-six both inclusive."
Section four hundred and ninety-nine.	Omit the words "such certificate" and insert in lieu thereof the words "a certificate of dis- missal under section four hundred and ninety- eight."
Section five hundred	Omit the words "the preceding sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections four hundred and ninety-three to four hundred and ninety-nine both inclusive."
ection five hundred and six.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and five."
ection five hundred and eight.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and seven."
ection five hundred and fourteen.	Omit the words "the preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and thirteen."

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Section five hundred and sixteen. Section five hundred and nineteen.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and fifteen."
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ection five hundred and twenty-six.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and twenty-five."
Section 526B Section five hundred and thirty.	Omit from subsection two the words "the pre- ceding subsection" and insert in lieu thereof the words "subsection one of this section." Omit the words "the twelve sections next fol- lowing" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections five hundred and thirty-one to five hundred and forty-two both inclusive."
ection five hundred and thirty-one.	After the words "any such act" insert the words "as is referred to in section five hundred and thirty."
ection five hundred and thirty-three.	
ection five hundred and thirty-six.	
ection five hundred and thirty-eight.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and thirty-seven."
ection five hundred and forty.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and thirty-nine."
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Section five hundred and forty-two.	Omit the words "the last preceding section" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and forty-one."	
Section five hundred and fifty-seven.	<ul> <li>(a) Omit the words "the five next following sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "sections five hundred and fifty-eight to five hundred and sixty-two both inclusive";</li> <li>(b) omit the words "the said five sections" and insert in lieu thereof the words "the said sections."</li> </ul>	
Section five hundred and fifty-eight.	Omit from paragraph four the words "hereinafter specified" and insert in lieu thereof the words "specified in section five hundred and sixty- one."	
Section five hundred and sixty.	Omit the words "the foregoing provisions" and insert in lieu thereof the words "section five hundred and fifty-eight or section five hundred and fifty-nine."	
Section five hundred and sixty-one.	After the words "so discharged" in subsection one insert the words "under section five hundred and fifty-eight or section five hundred and fifty-nine."	
Section five hundred and sixty-two.	Omit the word "aforesaid" and insert in lieu thereof the words "mentioned in section five hundred and sixty-one."	
Section five hundred and seventy-three.	Omit the words and figures "Deserted Wives and Children's Act of 1840 as amended by the Act of 1858" and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Deserted Wives and Children Act, 1901-1931."	

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