

[CONFIDENTIAL.]

(Rough Draft for Consideration Only.)

No. , 1921.

A BILL

To amend the law relating to early closing;
to amend the Saturday Half-holiday Act,
1910; and for purposes connected therewith.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty,
by and with the advice and consent of the Legis-
lative 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 “Early Closing Short title.
(Amendment) Act, 1921.”

2. Section three of the Saturday Half-holiday Act, 1910, is amended by—

- (a) omitting the words “one o’clock in the afternoon of” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “twelve o’clock noon on”;
- (b) omitting the words “ten o’clock in the evening” and inserting in lieu thereof the words “six o’clock in the afternoon.”

3. This Act shall not extend to and apply to any country shopping district to which the provisions of the Saturday Half-holiday Act, 1910, have been heretofore extended by proclamation :

Provided that this section shall not prevent the future exercise of the powers contained in section five of the said Act to extend the provisions of the said Act as amended by this Act to any classes or kinds of shops to which the said Act refers situated within any country shopping district.
