

- (b) by omitting from sub-section (7.) all the words from and including the word "request" to the end of the sub-section and inserting in their stead the words "refer the matter to the Minister for decision";
- (c) by omitting from sub-section (8.) the words "an arbitrator, the arbitrator" and inserting in their stead the words "the Minister, the Minister"; and
- (d) by omitting from that sub-section the word "arbitrator" and inserting in its stead the word "Minister".

14. Section fifteen of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from the proviso to sub-section (4.) the word "thirty nine" and inserting in its stead the word "forty-seven".

15. Section twenty-six of the Principal Act is repealed.

Contracts relating to shipment and insurance of apples and pears.

Poll on question of continuance of Act.

THE SCHEDULE.

Apple and Pear Publicity and Research Act 1938.
Apple and Pear Tax Act 1938.
Apple and Pear Tax Assessment Act 1938.

APPLE AND PEAR EXPORT CHARGES.

No. 45 of 1947.

An Act to amend section four of the *Apple and Pear Export Charges Act 1938*.

[Assented to 12th June, 1947.]

[Date of commencement, 10th July, 1947.]

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Apple and Pear Export Charges Act 1947*.

Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Apple and Pear Export Charges Act 1938**, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Apple and Pear Export Charges Act 1938-1947*.

2. Section four of the *Apple and Pear Export Charges Act 1938* is amended by omitting from sub-section (2.) the words "Three farthings" and inserting in their stead the words "One penny".

Charges on the export of apples and pears.

* Act No. 59, 1938.