INVALID AND OLD-AGE PENSIONS APPROPRIATION.

No. 6 of 1945.

An Act to grant and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund a sum for Invalid and Old-age Pensions.

[Assented to 27th June, 1945.]

B E it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows :— *Preamble.*

1. This Act may be cited as the *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Appropriation Act* 1945. Short title.

2. This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent. Commencement

3. There shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, which is hereby appropriated accordingly, for the purposes of the Trust Account established under the *Audit Act* 1901–1934 and known as the Invalid and Old-age Pensions Fund, the sum of Twenty-seven million pounds for invalid and old-age pensions. Appropriation of £27,000,000 for invalid and old-age pensions.

INVALID AND OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

No. 7 of 1945.

An Act to amend the *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act* 1908-1944.

[Assented to 27th June, 1945.]

B E 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 *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act* 1945. Short title and citation.

(2.) The *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act* 1908–1944* is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.

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* Act No. 17, 1908, as amended by Nos. 3 and 21, 1909 ; No. 27. 1912 ; No. 32, 1916 ; No. 22, 1917 ; No. 22, 1919 ; No. 53, 1920 ; No. 15, 1923 ; No. 27, 1925 ; No. 44, 1926 ; No. 31, 1928 ; Nos. 10 and 46, 1931 ; Nos. 35 and 64. 1932 ; Nos. 17 and 56, 1933 ; No. 4, 1935 ; No. 29, 1936 ; No. 11, 1937   No. 97, 1940 ; No. 48, 1941 ; No. 3, 1942 ; No. 14, 1943 ; and No. 16, 1944.

(3.) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act* 1908–1945.

Commencement.   **2.** This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Limit of pension.   **3.** Section twenty-four of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (1.) the words " Seventy pounds four shillings " and inserting in their stead the words " Eighty-four pounds ten shillings ".

Recommendation by Magistrate.   **4.** Section thirty-one of the Principal Act is amended by omitting from sub-section (2.) the words " Nine shillings and sixpence " and inserting in their stead the words " Eleven shillings and sixpence ".

Benevolent asylum inmates.   **5.** Section forty-seven of the Principal Act is amended by omitting the words " Nine shillings and sixpence " and inserting in their stead the words " Eleven shillings and sixpence ".

Application of amendments.   **6.** The amendments effected by this Act shall apply in relation to the instalment of pensions falling due on the fifth day of July, One thousand nine hundred and forty-five, and to all subsequent instalments.

APPROPRIATION (No. 2) 1944-45.

No. 8 of 1945.

An Act to grant and apply an additional sum out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty-five, and to appropriate such sum.

[Assented to 27th June, 1945.]

Preamble.   BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, for the purpose of appropriating the grant originated in the House of Representatives, as follows :—

Short title.   **1.** This Act may be cited as the *Appropriation Act (No. 2) 1944–45.*

Commencement.   **2.** This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

Issue and application of £20,000,000   **3.** The Treasurer may issue out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and apply towards making good the supply hereby granted to His Majesty for the service of the year ending the thirtieth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty-five, the sum of Twenty million pounds.