shall not be entitled to recover from him any costs in respect of any proceedings in an arbitration under this Act, or to claim a lien in respect of such costs on, or deduct such costs from, the sum awarded or agreed as compensation.

(11.) Any arbitrator or County Court may, subject to the regulations, submit to a medical referee for report any matter which seems material to any question arising in the proceedings.

(12.) A Judge of a County Court may, in relation to any proceedings in the Court, exercise all the jurisdiction and powers of a County Court under this Schedule.

## POST AND TELEGRAPH.

## No. 30 of 1912.

An Act to amend the Post and Telegraph Act 1901–1910.

Assented to 24th December, 1912.

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

1.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the Post and Telegraph Act Short title and

- (2.) The Post and Telegraph Act 1901-1910 is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.
- (3.) The Principal Act, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the Post and Telegraph Act 1901-1912.
  - 2. Section eighty-five of the Principal Act is amended—

Amendment of

- (a) by omitting the word "twenty" from the proviso to sub-section (1.) thereof, and by inserting the word "eighteen" in its stead; and
- (b) by inserting after the words "from the surface" the words " and that when along any such road track or water such wire or cord shall, except at a crossing, be at least twelve feet from the surface".