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ANALYSIS.

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- 2. Imposition of income tax.
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AN ACT to impose an Income Tax. [18 October, 1926.]

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BE it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of Tasmania, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in Parliament assembled, as follows:—

1 This Act may be cited as "The Income Tax Act, 1926," and Short title and shall be incorporated and read as one with the Land and Income incorporation Taxation Act, 1910, in this Act referred to as "the Principal Act." with 1 Geo. V

2 For the year ending on the thirty-first day of December, One Imposition of thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, income tax is hereby imposed income tax. at the rates declared in this Act

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Rates of income tax for 1927.

3—(1) The rate of the income tax in respect of the dividends of any company on which income tax is payable under the provisions of Sections Thirty-six or Thirty-seven of the Principal Act shall be One Shilling and Seven Pence for every pound sterling of such dividends.

(2) The rate of the income tax in respect of the taxable amount of the income of any company shall be One Shilling and Seven Pence for every pound sterling of such taxable amount.

(3) The rate of the income tax on all income of any person represented by prizes in any lottery authorised by law in this State shall be Four Shillings and Threepence for every pound sterling of such income.

(4) The rates of the income tax in respect of all other income of any person (not being a company) shall be such as are respectively equal to the rates set forth in the schedule to this Act multiplied by 1.535.

(5) The rate of the additional income tax payable under the provisions of Section 54h of the Principal Act in respect of income derived from the profits on the manufacture or sale of liquor as defined by the Licensing Act, 1902, by persons coming within the provisions of that section, shall be One Shilling for every pound sterling of such income.

2 Ed. VII. No. 32,

SCHEDULE.

Section 3.

Rate of Tax (subject to the operation of Subsection (4) of Section Three of this Act) upon Income from Business.

For so much of the whole taxable amount as does not exceed £3000, the average rate of tax per pound sterling shall be Threepence and Three eight-hundredths of One Penny where the taxable amount is One Pound sterling, and shall increase uniformly with each increase of One Pound sterling of the taxable amount by Three eight-hundredths of One Penny.

Where the taxable amount does not exceed £3000 the average rate of tax per pound stering of such taxable amount may be calculated from the following formula:-

R = average rate of tax in pence per pound sterling.

I = taxable amount in pounds sterling. $R = \left\{ 3 + \frac{3}{800} \text{ I} \right\} \text{ pence.}$

For every pound sterling of taxable amount in excess of £3000 up to £5000, the rate of tax shall be $\frac{26}{1.535}$ pence.

For every pound sterling of taxable amount in excess of £5000, the rate of tax shall be $\frac{25}{1.535}$ pence.

Rate of Tax (subject to the operation of Subsection (4) of Section Three of this Act) upon Income from Property.

I. Where the taxable amount does not exceed £546, the average rate of tax per pound sterling of such taxable amount shall be that given by the following formula:-

R = average rate of tax in pence per pound sterling.

I = taxable amount in pounds sterling.
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$$\left\{3 + \frac{I}{181 \cdot 058}\right\}$$
 pence.

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- II. Where the taxable amount exceeds £546, the average rate of tax shall be as A.D. 1926.
 - (a) For such part of the taxable amount as does not exceed £546, the average rate of tax per pound sterling shall be the same average rate as that payable where the taxable amount is £546.
 - (b) For such part of the taxable amount as exceeds £546, but does not exceed £2000, the additional tax for each additional pound of the taxable amount above £546 shall increase continuously with the increase of the taxable amount in a curve of the second degree in such a manner that the increase of tax for One Pound increase of the taxable amount shall be—

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- (c) For every pound sterling of the taxable amount in excess of £2000 up to £5000 the rate of tax shall be $\frac{32}{1.535}$ pence.
- (d) For every pound sterling of the taxable amount in excess of £5000 the rate of tax shall be $\frac{35}{1.535}$ pence.
- Rates of Tax (subject to the operation of Subsection (4) of Section Three of this Act) upon Income which is Partly Income from Business and Partly Income from Property.
- I. For every pound sterling of the taxable amount of the income from business, the rate of tax shall be ascertained by dividing the total amount of the tax that would have been payable under this schedule if the total taxable amount of the taxpayer had been exclusively income from business, by such total taxable amount.
- II. For every pound sterling of the taxable amount of the income from property, the rate of tax shall be ascertained by dividing the total amount of the tax that would have been payable under this schedule if the total taxable amount of the taxpayer had been exclusively income from property (other than dividends), by such total taxable amount.