

capacity in the permanent Civil Service of the State, two years' service in an unhealthy place shall be reckoned as service for three years, and service in an unhealthy place for any greater or less period than two years shall be reckoned in the like proportion.

“ Provided that nothing in this section—

- “ (1) Shall alter so much of section 2 of ‘ The Superannuation Act, 1859,’ as requires a service of ten years before an annual superannuation allowance can be granted ; or,
- “ (2) Shall, without the consent of the Treasury, apply to a person who was residing in an unhealthy place when he entered the permanent Civil Service of the State.

“ *Supplemental.*

“ 3. Every order under this Act shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament, in accordance with section 13 of ‘ The Superannuation Act, 1859.’

“ 4. This Act shall apply to persons who have retired from the public service since the 17th day of February, 1875.

“ This Act may be cited as ‘ The Superannuation Act, 1876,’ and shall be construed as one with ‘ The Superannuation Act, 1859,’ and that Act and this Act may be cited together as ‘ The Superannuation Acts, 1859 and 1876.’ ”

2. The Kenya Colony and Protectorate, the Uganda Protectorate, the Nyasaland Protectorate, the Somaliland Protectorate, the Zanzibar Protectorate and the Tanganyika Territory are regarded as one for pension purposes, and officers who have served continuously under two or more administrations will be eligible for pension or gratuity in respect of their service based on their final salary. Temporary service under one administration, if continuous and followed immediately by permanent service under another administration, may, if decided by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury to have been rendered in a similar capacity to the permanent service, be allowed to count towards superannuation.

3. Service in any of the East African Dependencies shall, if continuous, count for pension or gratuity and not service in that Dependency only from which the officer is retired. An officer shall be allowed, and may be required, to retire on reaching the age of 50 years or on completion of 20 years' East African service, whichever is the earlier, without the necessity of producing a medical certificate, but he may be retained in the Service for such period as the Government with the officer's consent may think fit.

4. Pensions and gratuities payable in respect of service in the Dependencies which are subject to the financial