

RULE OF SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO.

At a meeting of the Judges held on the 15th October, 1918, the following Rule was passed:—

Owing to the increased cost of living and office expenses due to the present War, it is ordered that until further order the total in any bill of costs of the fees prescribed by Tariff "A" (as distinct from payments), shall in respect of business done in any cause or matter in the Supreme Court or any County Court be increased by twenty per cent., and such increase shall be allowed upon any taxation of costs in respect of any such business as well between party and party as between solicitor and client.

(1) This Rule shall not apply to the allowance for commission and disbursements pursuant to Rule 653, nor shall it interfere with the power to allow a fixed sum for costs, nor shall it apply to counsel fees.

(2) This Rule shall apply only to fees for services rendered after this Rule goes into effect.

This Rule shall come into force on the 16th day of October, 1918.