

An Act to amend the Mounted Police Pension Act, 1889.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts a follows:—

1. Section 3 of *The Mounted Police Pension Act, 1889*, is 5 repealed and the following is substituted therefor:— 1889, c. 26, new s. 3.

“3. Subject to the provisions of this Act, every constable 10 who became a member of the force on or after the twenty-third day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, or who becomes a member of the force after the passing of this Act,—

“(a.) If he has completed not less than twenty years’ service, 10 shall be entitled to retire and receive a pension for life; and— For service.

“(b.) If he has completed not less than ten years’ service, 15 and is incapacitated for the performance of his duty by infirmity of mind or body, shall be entitled to retire and receive a pension for life.” For service and infirmity.

2. Section 4 of the said Act is repealed and the following is 20 substituted therefor:— New s. 4.

“4. The pension to a constable on retirement shall be 20 according to the following scale, that is to say:— Scale of pensions.

“(a.) If he has completed ten but less than sixteen years’ 25 service, an annual sum equal to *one-fiftieth* of his annual pay for every completed year of service;—

“(b.) If he has completed sixteen but less than twenty years’ 25 service, an annual sum equal to *twenty-fiftieths* of his annual pay, with an addition of two-fiftieths of his annual pay for every completed year of service above sixteen years;—

“(c.) If he has completed twenty years’ service, an annual 30 sum equal to *thirty-fiftieths* of his annual pay, with an addition of *one-fiftieth* of his annual pay for every completed year of service above twenty years, so, however, that the pension shall not exceed *two-thirds* of his annual pay at his retirement.”

3. Section 5 of the said Act is amended by adding thereto 35 the following paragraph:— Section 5 amended.

“(c.) In the case of the retirement of an officer who has 35 risen from the ranks, his service shall be reckoned from the date of his joining the force as a constable.” Computation of time of service.

4. Chapter 33 of the statutes of 1898 is repealed

1898, c. 33 repealed.