An Act to amend "The Fire Brigades Act, 1904."

[Assented to, December 9th, 1905.]

Be it Enacted by the Governor of the State of South Australia, with the advice and consent of the Parliament thereof, as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as "The Fire Brigades Act Amendment Act, 1905," and shall be incorporated and read with "The Fire Brigades Act, 1904," hereinafter called the principal Act.

2. Sections 4, 30, 42, and 43 of the principal Act are hereby repealed.

3. Section 22 of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out the words "thirty-first day of January" in the first and third lines thereof and inserting the words "the last day of February" in lieu thereof.

Section 39 of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out the words "régulation of" in the second and third lines thereof.

Section 44 (1) of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out the words "January" in the first line and "current" in the third line thereof, and respectively inserting the words "December" and "succeeding" in lieu thereof.

Section 46 (1) of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out the word "annual" in the fourth line thereof and by adding the following
following words after the word “months” in the fifth line thereof:—
“Such return shall show the amount derived from insurance of property situated within the limits of the Municipalities and Districts for the time being subject to the provisions of this Act.”

4. The principal Act shall apply—

1. To the Municipality of Adelaide:

11. To the Municipalities and Districts proclaimed under the provisions of “The Fire Brigades Act, 1890”:

111. To every Municipality and District to which the Governor, upon the application of the Council of such Municipality or of the District Council of such District, and upon the recommendation of the Board, may, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, declare that the principal Act shall apply:

iv. To any fire in a Municipality or District not under the principal Act, to which a fire brigade proceeds under the provisions of section 40 of the said Act.

5. All Fire Brigades in South Australia, with the exception of the Volunteer Fire Brigades, shall be under the command of the Superintendent. In case of the absence or disability of the Superintendent, all his powers shall be exercised and are hereby conferred upon the Deputy Superintendent or senior officer or foreman for the time being acting in the place of the Superintendent.

6. Members of the Fire Brigades Board shall be paid One Pound per sitting per member present; the paid sittings to be limited to twenty-six per annum.

7. Section 10 of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out the words “in the State” in the second line of subsection (3).

8. Section 45 of the principal Act is hereby amended by striking out the words “within the State” in the fifth line of subsection (3).

In the name and on behalf of His Majesty, I hereby assent to this Bill.

GEORGE R. LE HUNTE, Governor.