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THE SAMOAN CROWN ESTATES AMENDMENT ORDER, 1920.

JELLICOE, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1920.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL. IS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, made by His Majesty on the eleventh day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, and further in pursuance of the Treaties of Peace Act, 1919, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Samoan Crown Estates Amendment Order, 1920, and shall be read with and form part of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920.

2. This Order shall come into force on the twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and twenty.

3. In lieu of directing that any balances in the Samoan Crown Estates Account shall be transferred to the Public Account of New Zealand, as provided in clause eleven of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920, the Minister of External Affairs may from time to time, under the authority of and in accordance with an authorizing Order in Council, direct that any one or more of such balances shall be transferred to the Samoan Treasury.

4. Clause nineteen of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920, is hereby revoked, and shall be deemed to have had no force or effect.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE SAMOA CUSTOMS AMENDMENT ORDER, 1920.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1920.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IIS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, made by His Majesty on the eleventh day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, and further in pursuance of the authority conferred upon him by the Treaties of Peace Act, 1919, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby order as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Samoa Customs Amendment Order, 1920, and shall be read with and form part of the Samoa Customs Order, 1920.

Order, 1920. 2. This Order shall come into force on the twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and twenty.

3. The First Schedule to the Samoa Customs Order, 1920, is hereby amended by adding, under the heading "Exemptions," the following additional exemption from Customs duty, namely :—

"11. Livestock of all descriptions imported for breeding purposes."

F. D. THOMSON.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE SAMOA CONSTITUTION AMENDMENT ORDER, 1920.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1920.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL. IS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, made by His Majesty on the eleventh day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, and further in pursuance of the Treaties of Peace Act, 1919, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby order as follows :---

1. This Order may be cited as the Samoa Constitution Amendment Order, 1920, and shall be read with and form part of the Samoa Constitution Order, 1920.

2. This Order shall come into force on the twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and twenty.

3. Clause two hundred and seventy-nine of the Samoa Constitution Order, 1920, is hereby amended—

(a.) By substituting the words "ten clear days" for the words "two clear days" in subclause one thereof.

(b.) By omitting all the words in subclause two thereof after the words "the same," and substituting the words "by posting it, in the form prescribed by the Administrator, on the church door or in some other recognized public place."

4. Notwithstanding anything in the Samoa Constitution Order, 1920, the Malietoa Law of the tenth day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety (concerning marriages in the Islands of Samoa and decree of divorce certificate), shall be and be deemed to have continued in force in Western Samoa until hereafter repealed by the Administrator by an Ordinance, and all marriages under the said law shall be deemed to be valid marriages for all purposes.

5. (1.) No Chinaman who has arrived in Samoa as an indentured agricultural labourer or otherwise in pursuance of any contract to serve as an agricultural labourer for any period or in pursuance of any scheme established by public authority for the importation of agricultural labourers shall marry a Samoan woman, or go through the ceremony of marriage with a Samoan woman.

(2.) Any such marriage or ceremony of marriage shall for all purposes be null and void.

(3.) No marriage officer or other person shall record or solemnize any such marriage.

(4.) If any person commits a breach of any of the provisions of this section he shall be guilty of an offence punishable by a fine of twenty pounds or by imprisonment for six months.

6. Part XIV of the Samoa Constitution Order, 1920 (relating to the Public Trustee), is hereby revoked.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE SAMOA IMMIGRATION AMENDMENT ORDER, 1920.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, 1920.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL. IS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, made by His Majesty on the eleventh day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, and further in pursuance of the authority conferred upon him by the Treaties of Peace Act, 1919, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby order as follows :---

1. This Order may be cited as the Samoa Immigration Amendment Order, 1920, and shall be read with and form part of the Samoa Immigration Order, 1920.

2. This Order shall come into force on the twenty-ninth day of November, nineteen hundred and twenty.

3. (1.) Part I of the Immigration Restriction Act, 1920, together with all Orders in Council and regulations made thereunder, shall, subject to the provisions of this Order, apply to Samoa in the same manner as if that territory was part of New Zealand. (2.) The term "New Zealand" as used in that Act shall both in

New Zealand and in Samoa be construed as including Samoa. (3.) The terms "the Minister of Customs" and "an officer of Customs" as used in that Act shall be construed as meaning the Administrator of Western Samoa.

F. D. THOMSON, Clerk of the Executive Council.

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