

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 6.—1908.

6th January.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Prisons Ordinance, No. 27.

[L.S.]

H. M. JACKSON,

GOVERNOR.

17th January, 1908.

BE it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Prisons Ordinance Short title. 1908. It shall be read as one with the Prisons Ordinance No. 27, hereinafter called the principal Ordinance.

2. The following shall be read at the end and as part of Interpretation of terms. Section 3 of the principal Ordinance:—

and the term “prohibited article” means any article declared to be a prohibited article by the Prison Rules for the time being in force; and the term “Prison Rules” means rules made by the Governor in Council under the provisions of the Imperial Act 1 and 2 Vict., cap. 67, or any Act repealing or amending the same.

Prisoners may
be employed
on roads, etc.

3. In lieu of the second paragraph of Section 6 of the principal Ordinance shall be read the following :—

Any person who may have been sentenced to imprisonment with hard labour may lawfully be kept and worked at hard labour on any highway, road, street or public place or in any other place beyond the precincts of any prison which the Governor may from time to time by writing under his hand authorize and appoint.

Publication
and evidence
of rules, etc.

4. All Prison Rules and all proclamations under Sections 4, 5 and 6 of the principal Ordinance, and all appointments under Section 3 hereof shall be published in the *Royal Gazette*. Production of a copy of the *Royal Gazette* purporting to contain any such Rule, Proclamation or appointment shall be *prima facie* evidence of the due making and tenor of such rule, proclamation or appointment.

Repeal.

5. Section 8 of the principal Ordinance is hereby repealed.

Passed in Council this sixth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

H. L. KNAGGS,
Clerk of the Council.
