

I assent.

C. C. WOOLLEY,

Governor.

29th September, 1950.

ORDINANCE No. 43 of 1950.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the payment of increased pensions to the dependants of certain public officers who lose their lives in the course of carrying out their duties and to provide for the payment of increased pensions to certain public officers permanently injured in such circumstances.

[7th October, 1950.]

BE IT ENACTED by the Governor of British Guiana with A.D. 1950.
the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:--

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Pensions (Certain Public Officers) (Special Provisions) Ordinance, 1950. Short title.

Governor in Council may grant pensions to dependants of certain deceased officers.

2. Where any person to whom this Ordinance applies dies as a result of bodily injuries received —

(a) in the actual discharge of his duty; and

(b) without his own default; and

(c) on account of circumstances specifically attributable to the nature of his duty,

while in the public service of the Colony, the Governor in Council may, subject to the provisions of section four of this Ordinance, grant to such of the dependants of the deceased officer as he may think fit, such pension, in addition to any pension or grant to which they may be entitled under any Ordinance or enactment in respect of the public service of the deceased officer, as he may think fit.

Governor in Council may grant increased pensions to certain officers disabled in the course of their duty.

3. Where any person to whom this Ordinance applies has been permanently injured in the circumstances set out in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of the preceding section, and his retirement is thereby necessitated or materially accelerated, the Governor in Council may, subject to the provisions of section four of this Ordinance, if such person is qualified for any pension in respect of public service, grant to such person such additional pension as he may think fit.

Limitation of pension which may be awarded.

4. No pension granted under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be of such amount as when added to any other pension granted or to be granted in respect of the public service of the officer, shall cause the aggregate pensions awarded to exceed the aggregate pensions which may have been awarded in like circumstances to any officer to whom the provisions of the Pensions Ordinance, 1933 may apply.

No. 20 of 1933.

Applica-
tion of
Ordinance.
Cap. 204.

5. This Ordinance shall apply to any public officer to whom the provisions of the Pensions Ordinance apply.