principal Act and this Act may be cited together as the Police Magistrates (Superannuation) Acts, 1915 and 1929.

(2) The words "metropolitan police magistrates or" in subsection (7) of section one of the principal Act are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 38.

An Act to declare the law with respect to the issue of process by justices for compelling the attendance of witnesses in bastardy proceedings. [10th May 1929.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Declaration of law with respect to witness process in bastardy proceedings. 17&18Geo.5. c. 14. 7 & 8 Vict. c. 101.

1. It is hereby declared that the repeal by the Poor Law Act, 1927, of section seventy of the Poor Law (Amendment) Act, 1844 (which is set out in the Schedule to this Act), did not operate to repeal the said section in its application to bastardy proceedings, and that accordingly the said section, notwithstanding the said repeal, always continued and continues in operation in its application to such proceedings.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Bastardy (Witness Process) Act, 1929.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 70 OF THE POOR LAW (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1844.

In any proceedings to be had before justices in petty or special sessions, or out of sessions, under the provisions of this Act or of any of the Acts required to be construed as one Act herewith, if any party to such proceedings request that any person be summoned to appear as a witness in such proceedings, it shall be lawful for any justice to summon such person to appear and give evidence upon the matter of such proceedings; and if any person so summoned neglect or refuse to appear to give evidence at the time and place appointed in such summons, and if proof upon oath be given of personal service of the summons upon such person, and that the reasonable expenses of attendance were paid or tendered to such person, it shall be lawful for such justice, by warrant under his hand and seal, to require such person to be brought before him, or any justices before whom such proceedings are to be had; and if any person coming or brought before any such justices in any such proceedings refuse to give evidence thereon, it shall be lawful for such justices to commit such person to any house of correction within their jurisdiction, there to remain without bail or mainprize for any time not exceeding fourteen days, or until such person shall sooner submit himself to be examined, and in case of such submission the order of any such justice shall be a sufficient warrant for the discharge of such person.

CHAPTER 39.

An Act to amend section thirty-two of the Salmon and Freshwater Fisheries Act, 1923.

[10th May 1929.]

BE it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present