of the Lunacy Acts.

and Treatment of Lunatics, and the said Applicant for the Warrant shall have the same Powers, Rights, and Liabilities as if he had signed an Order for the Reception of the Lunatic under the said Acts, upon which such Lunatic had been lawfully received into such Asylum, registered Hospital, or licensed House, or by the Person into whose Care or Charge he is removed.

CAP. LXI.

An Act for taking the Census of *England*. [6th *August* 1860.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient to take the Census of *England* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one:' Be it enacted by the Queen'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:

Secretary of State to superintend the taking of the Census.

I. One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State shall have the Care of superintending the taking of the Census, and shall cause to be prepared and printed, for the Use of the Persons to be employed in taking it, such Forms and Instructions as he shall deem necessary; and the Registrar General shall issue all such Forms and Instructions to the Persons for whose Use they shall be intended; and all the Expenses which shall be incurred by Authority of such Secretary of State under this Act shall be paid out of such Monies as shall be provided by Parliament for that Purpose.

Registrars Sub-districts to be formed into Enumerators Divisions.

II. Every Registrar's Sub-District in *England* shall be formed into Enumerators Divisions according to Instructions to be prepared by or under the Direction of such Secretary of State, who shall cause a sufficient Number of Copies of such Instructions to be sent to every Registrar of Births and Deaths in *England*; and the Registrars, with all convenient Speed, shall divide the several Sub-districts into Enumerator's Divisions according to such Instructions, and subject in each Case to be revised by the Superintendent Registrar, and to the final Revision and Approval of the said Registrar General.

Enumerators to to be appointed.

III. The several Registrars of Births and Deaths in *England* shall make and return to their respective Superintendent Registrars a List containing the Names and Places of Abode of a sufficient Number of Persons, duly qualified according to Instructions to be prepared by or under the Direction of such Secretary of State, to act as Enumerators within their several Sub-districts, and such Persons, when approved of by the Superintendent Registrar, shall be appointed by him Enumerators for taking the Census, subject nevertheless to the Approval of the said Registrar General; and the Registrar, with the Approval of the Superintendent Registrar, shall assign a Division to each Enumerator, and shall distribute to the several Enumerators in his Sub-district the Forms and Instructions which shall have been issued for that Purpose by the Registrar General, and shall personally ascertain that each Enumerator thoroughly understands the Manner in which the Duties required of him are to be performed.

Householders Schedules to be left at Dwelling Houses.

IV. Schedules shall be prepared by or under the Direction of such Secretary of State for the Purpose of being filled up by or on behalf of the several Occupiers of Dwelling Houses as herein-after provided, with Particulars of the Name, Sex, Age, Rank, Profession, or Occupation, Condition, Relation to Head of Family, and Birth-place of every living Person who abode in every House on the Night of *Sunday* the Seventh Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and also whether any were blind, or deaf and dumb; and the Registrars in *England* shall in the course of the Week ending on *Saturday* the Sixth Day of *April* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one leave or cause to be left at every Dwelling House within their respective Sub-districts One or more of the said Schedules for the Occupier or Occupiers thereof or of any Part thereof, and upon every such Schedule shall be plainly expressed that it is to be filled up by the Occupier of such Dwelling

Dwelling House (or where such Dwelling House is let in different Stories or Apartments, and occupied distinctly by different Persons or Families, by the Occupier of each such distinct Story or Apartment), and that the Enumerator will collect all such Schedules within his Division on the *Monday* then next following; and every Occupier of any Dwelling House, or of any distinct Story or Apartment in any Dwelling House, with or for whom any such Schedule shall have been left as aforesaid, shall fill up the said Schedule to the best of his or her Knowledge and Belief, so far as relates to all Persons dwelling in the House, Story, or Apartment occupied by him or her, and shall sign his or her Name thereunto, and shall deliver the Schedule, so filled up, or cause the same to be delivered, to the Enumerator, when required so to do; and every such Occupier who shall wilfully refuse or without lawful Excuse neglect to fill up the said Schedule to the best of his or her Knowledge and Belief, or to sign and deliver the same as herein required, or who shall wilfully make, sign, or deliver, or cause to be made, signed, or delivered, any false Return of all or any of the Matters specified in the said Schedule, shall forfeit a Sum not more than Five Pounds nor less than Twenty Shillings.

Occupiers to fill up the Schedules and sign and deliver them to the Enumerator.

Penalty for Neglect.

V. The Enumerators shall visit every House in their respective Divisions, and shall collect all the Schedules so left within their Division from House to House, so far as may be possible, on *Monday* the Eighth Day of *April* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and shall complete such of the Schedules as upon Delivery thereof to them shall appear to be defective, and correct such as they shall find to be erroneous, and shall copy the Schedules, when completed and corrected, into Books to be provided them for that Purpose, and shall add thereunto an Account, according to the best Information which they shall be able to obtain, of all the other Persons living within their Division who shall not be included in the Schedules so collected by them.

Schedules to be collected from House to House and corrected if found to be erroneous.

VI. Every Enumerator shall also take an Account of the occupied Houses, and of the Houses then building and therefore uninhabited, and also of all other uninhabited Houses within his Division; and shall also take an Account of all such Particulars herein-before mentioned, and none others, as by the Forms and Instructions which may be issued under this Act they may be directed to inquire into; and in the Book into which he shall have copied the Householders Schedules and other Particulars, as herein-before directed, each Enumerator shall distinguish the several Parishes and Places maintaining their own Poor within his Division, or such Parts thereof as shall be within his Division, and shall also distinguish those Parishes and Places or Parts of Parishes and Places within his Division which are within the Limits of any City or Borough returning or contributing to return a Member or Members to serve in Parliament, or of any incorporated City or Borough, or of any Ecclesiastical District, and shall deliver such Book to the Registrar of the Sub-district, together with the Householders Schedules collected by him, and shall sign a Form or Declaration to the Effect that the said Book has been truly and faithfully filled up by him, and that to the best of his Knowledge the same is correct, so far as may be known; which Form of Declaration shall be prepared by or under the Direction of such Secretary of State, and issued by the Registrar General with the Forms and Instructions aforesaid.

Enumerators to take an Account of Houses, &c., and to distinguish the Boundaries of Parishes, Boroughs, &c.

Enumerators to deliver their Books with the Householders Schedules to the Registrar.

VII. The Registrar to whom such Enumeration Book shall be delivered shall examine the same, and shall satisfy himself that the Instructions in each Case have been punctually fulfilled, and if not shall cause any Defect or Inaccuracy in the said Book to be supplied, so far as may appear possible; and when the Books shall have been made as accurate as is possible the Registrar shall deliver them to the Superintendent Registrar of his Sub-district.

Registrars to verify the Enumerators Books.

VIII. The Superintendent Register shall examine all the Books which shall be so delivered to him, and shall satisfy himself how far the Registrars have duly performed the Duties required of them by this Act, and shall cause any Inaccuracies which he shall discover in such Books to be corrected, so far as may be possible, and shall return on or before the First Day of *May* One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one all the Books which shall have been delivered to him to the Registrar General, for the Use of such Secretary of State.

Superintendent Registrars to examine the Enumerators Books, and return them to the Registrar General.

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An Abstract of Returns to be printed and laid before Parliament.

IX. The Secretary of State shall cause an Abstract to be made of the said Returns; and such Abstract shall be printed, and laid before both Houses of Parliament within Twelve Calendar Months next after the First Day of *June* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, if Parliament be sitting, or if Parliament be not sitting then within the First Fourteen Days of the Session then next ensuing.

Masters, &c. of Gaols, &c. to be appointed Enumerators of the Inmates thereof.

X. The Master or Keeper of every Gaol, Prison, or House of Correction, Workhouse, Hospital, or Lunatic Asylum, and of every Public or Charitable Institution, which shall be determined upon by the said Registrar General, shall be the Enumerator of the Inmates thereof, and shall be bound to conform to such Instructions as shall be sent to him by the Authority of One of the said Secretaries of State, for obtaining the Returns required by this Act, so far as may be practicable, with respect to such Inmates.

Overseers, Peace Officers, and Relieving Officers of Unions formed under 4 & 5 W. 4. c. 76. bound to act as Enumerators.

XI. The Overseers of the Poor in every Parish, Township, and Place in *England*, and the Constables, Tithingmen, Headboroughs, or other Peace Officers for such Parishes, Townships, and Places, and the Relieving Officers in any Union formed under the Provisions of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of King *William* the Fourth, intituled *An Act for the Amendment and better Administration of the Laws relating to the Poor in* England *and* Wales, shall be bound to act as Enumerators under this Act within their respective Townships, Parishes, and Places, and Unions, if required so to act by One of the said Secretaries of State, and where they shall so act shall be entitled to Allowances as Enumerators under the Provisions of this Act; and every such Overseer, Relieving Officer, Constable, Tithingman, Headborough, and other Peace Officer who shall refuse or wilfully neglect so to act, and duly to perform the Duties required of the said Enumerators by this Act, shall for every such Offence forfeit a Sum not more than Ten Pounds nor less than Five Pounds.

Returns of houseless Poor and of Persons travelling or on Shipboard.

XII. The Secretary of State shall obtain, by such Ways and Means as shall appear to him best adapted for the Purpose, Returns of the Particulars required by this Act with respect to all houseless Persons, and all Persons who during the said Night of *Sunday* the Seventh Day of *April* were travelling or on Shipboard, or for any other Reason were not abiding in any House of which Account is to be taken by the Enumerators, and other Persons as aforesaid, and shall include such Returns in the Abstract to be made by him as aforesaid.

Table of Allowances to Enumerators in England.

XIII. One of the said Secretaries of State shall cause to be prepared a Table of Allowances to be made to the several Enumerators, Registrars, Superintendent Registrars, and other Persons in *England* employed in the Execution of this Act; and such Table when approved by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament on or before the First Day of *March* One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, if Parliament be sitting, or, if Parliament be not sitting, then within the First Fourteen Days of the Session then next ensuing.

Payments to be certified to the Registrar General.

XIV. The Superintendent Registrar of every District in *England* shall within One Calendar Month next after the taking of the Census certify to the said Registrar General the total Amount of the Allowances to which he and the Registrars, Enumerators, and other Persons in that District are respectively entitled, according to the said Table.

Manner in which the Payments shall be made to Persons employed in execution of this Act in England.

XV. The Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury shall through the Registrar General pay to each Superintendent Registrar out of the Monies provided by Parliament for that Purpose, the whole Amount of the Allowances to which the said Superintendent Registrar, and the Registrars, Enumerators, and other Persons in each District, are severally entitled according to the said Table; and each Superintendent Registrar shall pay over to the Registrars in his District the Allowances to which the said Registrars are entitled; and shall also pay over or cause to be paid over to the Enumerators and other Persons in his District the Allowances to which they are severally entitled, according to the said Table; and the Receipts to be given by the Enumerators and other Persons, and Registrars, for Payment of their said Allowances, shall be delivered to the Superintendent Registrar, who shall transmit the same together with the Receipt for his own Allowance, to the Registrar General: Provided always, that no such Payment shall be made to any Enumerator or other Person who shall be required to act as an Enumerator under this Act, but upon Production of a Certificate under

under the Hand of the Registrar that the Duties required of such Enumerator or other Person acting as Enumerator by this Act have been faithfully performed, and the like Certificate shall be required under the Hand of the Superintendent Registrar with respect to the Registrar before any Payment shall be made to the Registrar, and the like Certificate under the Hand of the said Registrar General with respect to the Superintendent Registrar before any Payment shall be made to the Superintendent Registrar.

Penalty on Persons for wilful Default.

XVI. Every Superintendent Registrar and Registrar, and every Enumerator and other Person who shall be required to act as Enumerator, in *England*, so appointed as aforesaid, making wilful Default in any of the Matters required of them respectively by this Act, or making any wilfully false Declaration, shall for every such wilful Default or false Declaration forfeit a Sum not exceeding Five Pounds nor less than Two Pounds.

Penalty for refusing Information or giving false Answers.

XVII. The Enumerators and other Persons employed in the Execution of this Act shall be authorized to ask all such Questions as shall be directed in any Instructions to be prepared by or under the Direction of the said Secretary of State, which shall be necessary for obtaining the Returns required by this Act; and every Person refusing to answer or wilfully giving a false Answer to such Questions or any of them, shall for every such Refusal or wilfully false Answer forfeit a Sum not exceeding Five Pounds nor less than Twenty Shillings.

Recovery and Application of Penalties.

XVIII. All Penalties imposed by this Act shall be recovered in a summary Manner before Two Justices of the Peace having Jurisdiction in the County or Place where the Offence is committed, in the Manner prescribed by Law in this Behalf; and shall be paid, One Half to the Informer, and the other Half to the Treasurer of the County or Place for which the Justices before whom the Forfeiture is recovered shall have acted, to be by him applied in aid of the Expenditure.

Interpretation of Terms.

XIX. In the Construction of this Act, the Words "Parish or Place, Parishes or Places," shall include the various Denominations of Townships, Tithings, Hamlets, Villages, Chapelries, Quarters, Wards, Parcels, Lordships, Manors, or Parts of any Parish, and all other Places, whether denominated Vills, Precincts, or otherwise, and whether connected with any Parish, or deemed to be Extra-parochial; and the Words "Dwelling House" shall include all Buildings and Tenements of which the whole or any Part shall be used for the Purpose of Human Habitation.

CAP. LXII.

An Act for taking the Census of *Ireland*. [6th *August* 1860.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient to take the Census of *Ireland* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one:' Be it enacted by the Queen'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:

Account of Population to be taken.

I. An Account of the Population of *Ireland* shall be taken at the Time and in the Manner herein-after directed.

Construction of Terms.

II. In the Interpretation of this Act, except where the Context or other Provisions of this Act require a different Construction, the Words "Lord Lieutenant" shall mean the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governors of *Ireland*.

By whom the Accounts shall be taken.

III. Such Officers and Men of the Police Force of *Dublin* Metropolis, and of the Constabulary Force as the Lord Lieutenant shall direct, together with such other competent Persons as the Lord Lieutenant shall appoint to assist therein, shall, upon the Eighth Day of *April* and One or more next consecutive Days in the Year One thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, as the said Lord Lieutenant shall fix, severally visit every House within such Districts