to be under that age unless the contrary be proved, or unless the person charged shall satisfy the court that he had reasonable ground for believing otherwise.

(4) For the purpose of this section the word "street" shall include any highway and any public bridge, road, lane, footway, square, court, alley, or passage, whether a thoroughfare or not; and the words "public place" shall include any public park, garden, or seabeach, and any unenclosed ground to which the public for the time being have unrestricted access, and shall also include every enclosed place (not being a public park or garden) to which the public have a restricted right of access, whether on payment or otherwise, if at or near every public entrance there is conspicuously exhibited by the owners or persons having the control of the place a notice prohibiting betting therein.

Act not to apply to racecourse.

2. Nothing contained in this Act shall apply to any ground used for the purpose of a racecourse for racing with horses or adjacent thereto on the days on which races take place.

Application to Scotland.

3. In Scotland, "indictment" has the same meaning as in the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act, 1887, and "passage" includes common close or common stair or passage leading thereto; and, in the event of an offender failing to make payment of a fine imposed under section 1 (1), (*a*) or (*b*), of this Act, he shall be liable to imprisonment in accordance with the provisions of the Summary Jurisdiction Acts; an offence prosecuted summarily under this Act may be tried before the Sheriff or before any magistrate of any royal, parliamentary, or police burgh officiating under the provisions of any local or general Police Act.

Application to Ireland.

4. In Ireland, where in pursuance of this Act an order is made by a court of summary jurisdiction for a term of imprisonment not exceeding one month, without the option of a fine, the party against whom the order is made shall be entitled to appeal in like manner as if the term of imprisonment exceeded one month.

Short title.

5. This Act may be cited as the Street Betting Act, 1906.

CHAPTER 44.

An Act to amend the Law with respect to the consents required for the use of ground for burials and the construction of Cemeteries. [21st December 1906.]

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:

onsents under & 19 Vict. 128, s. 9.

1. The consent of the owner, lessee, and occupier of dwelling-house to the use for burials of any ground used appropriated for a burial ground or cemetery, mentioned section nine of the Burial Act, 1855, shall not be, and sha be deemed never to have been, required in any case where th dwelling-house is or was begun to be erected, or is or wa erected or completed, after any part of that ground has or ha been so used or appropriated:

Provided that nothing in this section shall affect any right acquired before the twenty-seventh day of November one thousan nine hundred and six under any judgment or order of a cou of competent jurisdiction or under any agreement in writing but if a dispute, one of the parties to which is a burial author & 61 Vict. 7. within the meaning of the Burial Act, 1900, arises under such a agreement as to any such right, the dispute shall, if either part so requires, be determined by the Local Government Board eithe as arbitrators or otherwise at the option of the Board, in like & 62 Vict. 41 manner as if it were a difference which the Board are authorise to determine under the Local Government Act, 1888, and sectio sixty-three and subsections (1) and (5) of section eighty-seven of that Act, as amended by any subsequent enactment, shall appl accordingly.

nsents under & 14 Vict. 65, & 43 Vict. 31.

2. In section ten of the Cemeteries Clauses Act, 1847, a incorporated with the Public Health (Interments) Act, 1879, "on hundred yards" shall be substituted for "two hundred yards" as the distance from a dwelling-house within which no part of cemetery may be constructed without the consent of the owner lessee, and occupier of the house.

ort title.

3. This Act may be cited as the Burial Act, 1906, and ma be cited with the Burial Acts, 1852 to 1900, as the Burial Act 1852 to 1906.

CHAPTER 45.

An Act to repeal the provisions of the Metropolitan Police Act, 1839, with respect to the removal of Offensive Matter in places within the Metropolitan Police District. [21st December 1906.]

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:

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1. Paragraph (4) of section sixty of the Metropolitan Police Act, 1839 (which paragraph relates to the emptying of privies and the removal of offensive matter), is hereby repealed.

2. This Act may be cited as the Removal of Offensive Matter