or out of moneys provided by Parliament for the service of the British Museum, and if and so far as those net rents and profits and those moneys are insufficient, shall be charged on and payable out of the Consolidated Fund or the growing produce thereof.

Management of property purchased.

2. The said property, when purchased, shall be managed in such manner as the Treasury may direct, and the net rents and profits accruing therefrom shall be paid into the Exchequer.

Short title.

3. This Act may be cited as the British Museum (Purchase of Land) Act, 1894.

CHAPTER 35.

An Act to amend the Charitable Trusts Acts.

[17th August 1894.]

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 :

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Charitable Trusts (Places of Religious Worship) Amendment Act, 1894.

Extent of Act.

2. This Act shall not extend to Scotland or Ireland.

Construction.

3. This Act, so far as consistent with the tenor thereof, shall be construed as one with the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1891, and with the Places of Worship Registration Act, 1855, and this Act and the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1891, may be cited as the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1894.

Extension of exemption in 16 & 17 Vict. c. 137. s. 62, 18 & 19 Vict. c. 81. s. 9, of places of meeting for religious worship.

4. The exemption of any building registered as a place of meeting for religious worship with the Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, or Marriages in England and Wales, and bonâ fide used as a place of meeting for religious worship, contained in the sixty-second section of the Charitable Trusts Act, 1853, and in the ninth section of the Places of Worship Registration Act, 1855, shall extend, and shall, without prejudice to any order of the Charity Commissioners made before the passing of this Act, be deemed to have always extended to—

(*a*) any forecourt, yard, garden, burial-ground, vestry, or caretaker's house, in respect of situation connected with, and held upon the same trusts as, any building registered and bonâ fide used as aforesaid ; and

(*b*) any Sunday-school house or other land or building which shall be certified by an order of the Charity Commissioners, made upon the application of one or more of the trustees or persons acting in the administration thereof, to be held upon the same trusts as any building registered and used as aforesaid or upon like trusts, and to be in respect of situation so connected with or held or used in connexion with such building that it cannot conveniently be separated therefrom :

Provided always that so much of the Charitable Trusts Acts, 1853 to 1891, as by virtue of the fifteenth section of the Charitable Trusts Act, 1869, extends to buildings registered and used as aforesaid, shall also extend to the properties declared to be exempted by this Act in the same manner and subject to the same restrictions as the buildings registered and used as aforesaid. 32 & 33 Vict. c. 110. s. 15.

CHAPTER 36.

An Act to amend the Valuation of Lands (Scotland) Acts in regard to the duties of the Assessor of Railways and Canals. [17th August 1894.]

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:

1. This Act shall be cited for all purposes as the Valuation of Lands (Scotland) Acts Amendment Act, 1894. Short title.

2. For the purposes of the valuation roll to be made up by the assessor of railways and canals (herein-after called the assessor) in terms of the following Acts, viz., the Lands Valuation (Scotland) Act, 1854, the Valuation of Lands (Scotland) Amendment Act, 1867, and the Valuation of Lands (Scotland) Amendment Act, 1887, (herein-after called the recited Acts) for the year ending Whitsunday one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six and subsequent years, in place of the fifteenth day of August, as provided by the twenty-first section of the first recited Act, there shall be substituted the fifteenth day of March as the day on or before which the assessor shall inquire into and fix in cumulo the yearly rent or value of all lands and heritages in Scotland belonging to or leased by each railway and canal company, and forming part of its undertaking; and in place of the fifteenth day of May, as provided in the twenty-third section of the said first recited Act, there shall be substituted the fifteenth day of November previously as the day on or before which intimations of the desire of any water company, or gas company, or other company having any continuous lands and heritages liable to be assessed in more than one parish, county, or burgh, to have such lands and heritages assessed, shall be made to the sheriff. Assessor to make up valuation roll of railways and canals annually by 15th March. 17 & 18 Vict. c. 91. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 80. 50 & 51 Vict. c. 51.

3. In place of the fifteenth day of August, as provided by the twenty-fourth section of the Act seventeen and eighteen Victoria, chapter ninety-one, there shall be substituted the fifteenth day of March as the day on or before which in each year the assessor shall, in terms of the recited Acts, transmit to each railway and canal and other company included in his valuation a copy of the entries in his roll; and in place of the eighth day of September Valuation roll to be transmitted by assessor by 15th March, &c.