Reciprocity Acts.

subsequently to the Enactment of the said Act, or of any Treaty which may hereafter be made by His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, with any such Foreign Power, in which Treaty has been or shall be contained Provisions similar to those recited in the said recited Act, all and every the Provisions, Clauses, Matters, and Things in the said recited Act contained did and shall apply and extend to the Trade and Shipping of such Foreign Powers respectively, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as to the Trade and Shipping of the said United States and of the said Kingdom of *Portugal*.

Recited Act not to be construed as granting Powers beyond subsisting Treaties.

LXIII. Provided nevertheless, and be it further enacted and declared, That the said recited Act doth not extend and shall not be construed to extend to grant to or to confer upon the Trade or Shipping of the said United States or of the said Kingdom of *Portugal*, or of any other Foreign Power, or to the Subjects of such States or Kingdom, or of any such Foreign Power as aforesaid, any other or greater Advantage than such as shall have been stipulated for by and granted to the said United States, the said Kingdom of *Portugal*, or any such other Foreign Power, by the respective Treaties subsisting and in force between them respectively and His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors; but that the said Act shall be so construed and applied as to give full and complete Effect to such respective Treaties so long as the same shall respectively remain in force, and is to provide such and only such Indemnity as therein mentioned to such Bodies Politic and Corporate, and other Persons as are therein mentioned, for such Losses as they shall respectively sustain by the Execution, on the Part of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, of such respective Treaties.

His Majesty, with Advice of Privy Council, to declare the Powers with whom Treaties are subsisting.

LXIV. And for the Prevention of Uncertainty herein, be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, by any Order or Orders to be by Him or Them made with the Advice of His or Their Privy Council, and published in the *London Gazette*, from Time to Time to declare what are the Foreign Powers with which any such Treaty or Treaties as aforesaid is or are subsisting; and this present Act and the said recited Act shall apply, and shall be deemed, from the Time of the Ratification of any such Treaties, to have been applicable to the Trade and Shipping of such Foreign Countries as shall be so mentioned in any such Order or Orders in Council as aforesaid, so long as any such Order or Orders shall continue unrevoked, and no longer.

CAP. LXXXV.

An Act to make a better Provision for the Superintendence of Charitable Institutions in *Ireland* maintained in the whole or in part by Grand Jury Presentments; and for the more effectual Audit of the Accounts of the same.

[3d *August* 1832.]

'WHEREAS various Houses of Industry, Infirmaries, Hospitals, Lunatic Asylums, Dispensaries, and other Charitable Establishments in *Ireland*, are supported in the whole or in part by Grand Jury Presentment: And whereas it is expedient to provide for the more effectual Superintendence and Inspection of those

'those Establishments, and for the Audit and Examination of 'their Accounts:' Be it therefore 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, That from and after the Commencement of this Act it shall and may be lawful for the Grand Jury of any County, County of a City, or County of a Town in *Ireland*, save and except the Grand Jury of the City of *Dublin*, and each and every such Grand Jury is and are authorized, empowered, and required, at each and every or any Assizes or Presenting Term respectively, with the Consent and Approbation of the Court or Judge, to appoint not less than Eight or more than Twelve Persons, One Half of whom at the least shall be Justices of the Peace for the County, County of a City, or County of a Town wherein such Appointment shall take place, to be a Board of Superintendance of each and every Charitable Establishment supported in the whole or in part by Grand Jury Presentment within such County, County of a City, or County of a Town respectively; and that it shall and may be lawful for the Grand Jury, at any subsequent Assizes or Presenting Term for any such County, County of a City, or County of a Town, to appoint a new Board of Superintendence, or to remove any Member or Members of the existing Board, as they shall think proper, and as the Case may require, but so that there shall not be at any One Time more than Twelve Members of any such Board; and any Three or more of such Board of Superintendence, One of whom at the least shall be a Justice of the Peace, shall be in all Cases competent to do or perform any Matter or Thing whatsoever in execution of any Duty required to be done and performed by the whole Board of Superintendence in virtue of any Powers granted to them by this Act; and every Act and Thing done or performed by such Three Members of such Board of Superintendence, One of whom at the least shall be a Justice of the Peace, shall be as valid and effectual, to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever, as if done by the whole Board of Superintendence.

Grand Juries may appoint Boards of Superintendence of the Charitable Establishments supported by Presentment within the several Counties, &c. of Ireland.

II. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for such Board of Superintendence to visit and inspect each and every such charitable or public Establishment as aforesaid, from Time to Time as they shall think fit, and to inquire into and examine into the Management and Discipline thereof, and into the Mode in which the several Laws, Rules, and Directions for the Regulation of such Charitable Establishments are carried into effect, and to the Accounts of Receipts and Expenditure, the Attendance given by the several Officers and Attendants, and all such other Matters and Things as relate thereto, and also to examine into the State and Repair of the Buildings, the Conduct and Situation of the several Patients and Inmates, and of all Officers or Attendants, and to audit and examine the Accounts and Vouchers of such Establishments, as aforesaid; and such Board of Superintendence shall make a Report upon each such Establishment to the Grand Jury at each and every Assizes, such Report containing a Statement of Income and Expenditure, of the Salaries paid, and Attendance given by Officers, and the Number of Patients admitted and discharged; and Copies of such Reports shall be annually

Duties of the Boards of Superintendence.

Report upon each Establishment to be made to Grand Jury at Assizes.

nually printed by such Grand Jury with the List of Presentments made at each Assizes.

Provision for securing the Rights of Governors, &c.

III. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall limit or abridge the legal Powers and Authorities of the several Directors, Governors, Subscribers, Committees, or Managers, by whatever Name they may be called, to whom the Superintendence and Controul of their several Charitable Establishments is entrusted.

CAP. LXXXVI.

An Act to amend an Act of the Forty-fifth Year of His Majesty King *George* the Third, relating to Post Roads in *Ireland*. [3d *August* 1832.]

'WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Forty-fifth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled
45 G. 3. c. 43. 'An Act to amend the Laws for improving and keeping in repair the Post Roads in Ireland, and for rendering the Conveyance of Letters by His Majesty Post Office more secure and expeditious;' and by a certain other Act, passed in the Forty-sixth Year of the
46 G. 3. c. 134. Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act to provide for the Security and Expedition of the Conveyance of Letters by the Post in* Ireland; and by a certain other Act, passed in the Fifty-third Year of the Reign of His Majesty King
53 G. 3. c. 146. *George* the Third, intituled *An Act to amend an Act made in the Forty-fifth Year of His present Majesty, intituled* 'An Act to 'amend the Laws for improving and keeping in repair the Post 'Roads in Ireland, and for rendering the Conveyance of Letters 'by His Majesty's Post Office more secure and expeditious,' Provision was made for the Repair and Improvement of the several Lines of Post Roads throughout *Ireland*, and, amongst other Things, His Majesty's Postmaster General for *Ireland* was authorized and required to cause certain Surveys, Estimates, and Maps of such Lines of Road, and all advantageous Improvements of the same, by cutting off Angles or forming new Lines, and widening, to any Breadth not less than Forty-two Feet nor more than Fifty Feet, such Parts of any Road as might require widening: And whereas by an Act passed in the First Year of the Reign
1 W. 4. c. 8. of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act for enabling His Majesty to appoint a Postmaster General for the United Kingdom of* Great Britain *and* Ireland, it was amongst other Things enacted, that it should be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to appoint any One Person to be Postmaster General for the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, by the Name and Style of His Majesty's Postmaster General; and all the Powers, Authorities, Immunities, Rights, and Privileges theretofore belonging or appertaining to the Postmaster General for *Ireland* were by the said last-recited Act, together with other Powers and Authorities, transferred to and vested in the Person so to be appointed Postmaster General for the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, and other His Majesty's Dominions: And whereas all the Powers, Duties, and Authorities by the before-recited Acts of the Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth, and Fifty-

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