CHAPTER 6.

An Act for amending the Law with respect to the Time for holding Quarter Sessions. [1st June 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:

Power to alter time for holding quarter sessions.

1. The justices assembled in general quarter sessions, or at any adjourned or special meeting thereof (which special meeting they are hereby authorised to hold), may at any time when it may appear desirable for the purpose of not interfering with the assizes then next ensuing, fix or alter the time for holding the then next general quarter sessions so as the sessions be held not earlier than fourteen days before nor later than fourteen days after the week in which they would otherwise be held.

Repeal.

2. The Act of the session of the fourth and fifth years of the reign of King William the Fourth, chapter forty-seven, intituled "An Act for preventing the interference of the spring assizes with the April quarter sessions," is hereby repealed.

Short title.

3. This Act may be cited as the Quarter Sessions Act, 1894.

CHAPTER 7.

An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five. [1st June 1894.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in Parliament assembled, towards making good the supply which we have cheerfully granted to Your Majesty in this session of Parliament, have resolved to grant unto Your Majesty the sums herein-after mentioned; and do therefore most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and 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:

Issue of 12,117,630*l.* out of the Consolidated Fund for the service of the year ending 31st March 1895.

1. The Treasury may issue out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and apply towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the service of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, the sum of twelve million one hundred and seventeen thousand six hundred and thirty pounds.

Power to the Treasury to borrow.

2. The Treasury may borrow from any person, and the Bank of England may lend on the credit of the said sum, any sum or sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of twelve million one

hundred and seventeen thousand six hundred and thirty pounds, and shall repay the moneys so borrowed, with interest not exceeding five pounds per centum per annum, out of the growing produce of the Consolidated Fund at any period not later than the next succeeding quarter to that in which the said moneys were borrowed.

Any sums so borrowed shall be placed to the credit of the account of the Exchequer, and shall form part of the said Consolidated Fund, and be available in any manner in which such fund is available.

Short title.

3. This Act may be cited as the Consolidated Fund (No. 2) Act, 1894.

CHAPTER 8.

An Act to amend the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893, in so far as it relates to the Island of Jersey. [18th June 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 Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1894, and the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893, and this Act may be cited together as the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts, 1893 and 1894.

Substitution of constable for bailiff. 56 & 57 Vict. c. 39.

2. In sub-head (*d.*) of sub-section (1.) of section seventy-seven of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893, the words "constable of the parish" shall be substituted for "bailiff of the parish."

Powers of investment.

3. The following shall be added to sub-section (1.) of section seventy-seven of the last-mentioned Act as sub-head (*j.*): All industrial and provident societies within the said island shall be authorised to invest any part of their funds in the "Rentes Publiques" or in the States' Bonds of the said island, if they think fit.

Printing of future copies of principal Act.

4. All copies of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893, printed after the passing of this Act by any of the several printers to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty duly authorised to print the statutes of the United Kingdom, shall be printed with the substitution and addition required by this Act.

CHAPTER 9.

An Act to amend the provisions of the Solicitors Act, 1877, relating to the Examination of Persons applying to be admitted Solicitors of the Supreme Court in England. [18th June 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 and construction.

1. This Act may be cited as the Solicitors Act, 1894, and shall be construed together with the Solicitors Act, 1877.