a Meeting summoned by Intimation from the Pulpit in usual Manner for the Purpose, to authorize the Chairman at the Meeting to convey and make over, to the Party or Parties who shall have endowed or undertaken to endow as a Parish *quoad sacra* a District within such United Parish, the one of such Parish Churches most convenient to such District, as the Church of such Parish *quoad sacra* in all Time coming, and the Chairman so authorized shall execute the Conveyance of such Church in favour of such Party or Parties, and the Conveyance of such Church by the Chairman of such Meeting of Heritors shall be a valid Title thereto in all Time coming.

2. This Act shall be deemed to be incorporated with the recited Act, and the recited Act shall be read and have Effect accordingly. This and recited Act incorporated.

CAP. LXXVIII.

An Act for removing Doubts respecting the Assessment of County Rates.

[6th *August* 1866.]

'WHEREAS by the Act of the Session of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Eighty-one, intituled *An Act to consolidate and amend the Statutes relating to the Assessment and Collection of County Rates in* England *and* Wales, the Justices of the Peace of every County of *England* and *Wales* assembled at their General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, or at any Adjournment thereof, are empowered to appoint a Committee for the Purpose of preparing in manner therein mentioned a Basis or Standard for fair and equal County Rates: 15 & 16 Vict. c. 81.

'And whereas by The Union Assessment Committee Act, 1862, Boards of Guardians are empowered to appoint Assessment Committees for the Purpose of making the Parochial Assessments therein mentioned:

'And whereas Doubts are entertained whether the Powers of the Justices under the first-mentioned Act are not impliedly interfered with or controlled by such last-mentioned Act:

'And whereas it is expedient to remove such Doubts:'

Be it therefore 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. Nothing contained in The Union Assessment Committee Act, 1862, shall apply to any Assessment which has been or shall be made by any Committee appointed by the Justices under the said Act of the Session of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Years of Her present Majesty, Chapter Eighty-one, and any Committee which has been or shall be appointed under the last-mentioned Act may prepare a Basis for County Rates, and do all other Things authorized to be done by them under the said Act, in the same Manner in all respects as if the Union Assessment Committee Act had not passed. Act of 25 & 26 Vict. c. 103. not to affect Act of 15 & 16 Vict. c. 81.

2. 'Whereas by the Twenty-sixth Section of the said Act of the Session of the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Eighty-one, printed Lists of the Parishes and Places assessed to the County Rate, and the Amount of the Rateable Value upon which such Parishes and Places have been assessed, are required to be sent to the Persons therein mentioned upon every Occasion when a County Rate is made: And whereas it is expedient to amend the said Section:' Be it enacted, That the said printed Lists shall, unless the Justices otherwise direct, be sent only on the Occasion when a new Basis or Standard for a County Rate or an Alteration in the existing Basis or Standard has been allowed and confirmed. Amendment of s. 26. of 15 & 16 Vict. c. 81.

3. This Act may be cited for all Purposes as "The County Rate Act, 1866." Short Title.