

CHAP. 91.

An Act for amending the Law relating to the Salaries, Expenses, and Funds of Courts of Law in England. A.D. 1869.

[9th August 1869.]

WHEREAS it is expedient that the expenditure for the courts of justice should be (so far as may be) defrayed out of moneys to be provided for that purpose by Parliament, or out of the Consolidated Fund:

And whereas in the second part of the first and second schedules to this Act there are shown the stock and cash which on the several days mentioned in those schedules belonged to the Courts of Chancery and Bankruptcy (as distinguished from the stock securities and cash which are the property of the suitors therein):

And whereas the charges on such stock and cash are shown in the third and fourth schedules to this Act:

And whereas it is expedient that on the charges thereon being transferred to the Consolidated Fund or moneys provided by Parliament, the said stock and cash should be transferred to the public:

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:

Preliminary.

1. This Act may be cited as "The Courts of Justice (Salaries and Funds) Act, 1869." Short title.

2. This Act shall not come into operation until the first day of October one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, which date is herein-after referred to as the commencement of this Act. Commencement of Act.

3. In this Act—

The term "the Treasury" means the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for the time being, or any two or more of them: Definition of terms.

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The term "Court of Chancery" means the High Court of Chancery of England, and includes all offices mentioned in the third schedule to this Act:

The term "Court of Admiralty" means the High Court of Admiralty of England:

The term "Court of Bankruptcy" means, except where otherwise expressly mentioned, the Court of Bankruptcy in London as constituted at the passing of this Act and the District Courts of Bankruptcy, and includes any Court, whether constituted before or after the commencement of this Act, which for the time being exercises the powers of the late Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England, so far as relates to such late Court.

Court of Chancery.

Transfer of stock and cash to National Debt Commissioners.

4. As soon as may be after the commencement of this Act the Governor and Company of the Bank of England shall, upon an order of the Lord Chancellor to be made in that behalf, and without any draft from the Accountant General, or act done by him, transfer to the account of the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt all sums of stock and cash which on the commencement of this Act may be standing in the books of the Bank of England in the name of the Accountant General of the Court of Chancery to the credit of any of the accounts described in the second part of the first schedule to this Act, and all dividends which may then be or thereafter become due on such stock.

Indemnity out of Consolidated Fund to suitors of Court of Chancery.

5. After the commencement of this Act the Consolidated Fund shall, to the same extent as the stock and cash so transferred, be liable to make good to the suitors of the Court of Chancery the debts which at the commencement of this Act may be due to them in cash from the Court of Chancery in manner stated in the first part of the first schedule to this Act, and the Treasury shall in manner provided by this Act cause the sums required for the payment of such debts to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund.

Deficiency and excess of cash balance to credit of Accountant General.

6. Whenever the Lord Chancellor certifies in writing to the Treasury that the cash balance for the time being standing at the Bank of England to the credit of the Accountant General of the Court of Chancery is less than three hundred thousand pounds, or such other sum as may be from time to time fixed by the Lord Chancellor, with the concurrence of the Treasury (regard being had to the amount required for carrying on the business of the office of the Accountant General, and to the proper remuneration of the Bank of England), the Treasury shall forthwith cause to be paid

into the Bank of England to the credit and with the privity of the said Accountant General to be applied by him as part of the common and general cash of the suitors of the said court, such sum out of the growing produce of the Consolidated Fund as may be required to make up the said cash balance to the sum of five hundred thousand pounds, or such other sum as may from time to time be fixed in manner aforesaid, and the liability of the Consolidated Fund under this Act shall be diminished by the amount of the sum so paid. A.D. 1869.

Whenever the said cash balance exceeds the sum of five hundred thousand pounds, or such other sum as may be fixed in manner aforesaid, the Governor and Company of the Bank of England shall, upon an order of the Lord Chancellor (to be made on the written requisition of the Treasury), and without any draft from the Accountant General, or any act to be done by him, transfer such excess, or such part thereof as may be specified in the order, to the account of the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, and on such transfer being made the Consolidated Fund shall be further liable to the extent of any sum so transferred to make good to the suitors of the Court of Chancery any sum of cash due from the court to them.

The said Accountant General shall keep an account in his books showing the amount of the debts due from the Consolidated Fund to the suitors of the Court in respect of all sums of stock and cash transferred to the said Commissioners under this Act.

As to unclaimed dividends under sect. 3. of 16 & 17 Vict. c. 98.

7. Where the Lord Chancellor, in pursuance of section three of the Act of the session of the sixteenth and seventeenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter ninety-eight, "for the "further relief of the suitors of the High Court of Chancery," makes an order for carrying any dividends or cash to the credit of "the suitors unclaimed dividend account," the dividends and cash so carried over shall be paid into the receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer and carried to the Consolidated Fund. On any order made by the Court, under section two of the same Act, for paying to a suitor any dividends or cash so carried over, the Treasury shall, if required in writing by the Lord Chancellor, out of the growing produce of the Consolidated Fund, pay the same into the Bank with the privity of the Accountant General of the Court of Chancery to the credit of the account from which such dividends were carried.

Income of Court of Chancery to go to

8. After the commencement of this Act the rent of any of the Masters offices in Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane, all brokerage payable by the broker of the Court of Chancery to the

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Consolidated Fund.

credit of the suitors fee fund, and all sums for rent received by the solicitor to the suitors fund, and payable by him to the credit of any of the accounts or funds mentioned in part two of the first schedule to this Act, and all moneys which, but for the passing of this Act, would be payable to the credit of any of the said accounts or funds, shall be paid into the receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer at such times and in such manner as the Treasury may direct, and shall be carried to the Consolidated Fund.

Court of Bankruptcy.

Transfer of stock and cash to National Debt Commissioners.

9. As soon as may be after the commencement of this Act the Governor and Company of the Bank of England shall, upon an order of the Lord Chancellor to be made in that behalf, and without any draft from the Accountant in Bankruptcy, or act done by him, transfer to the account of the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt all sums of stock and cash which on the commencement of this Act may be standing in the books of the Bank of England in the name of the Accountant in Bankruptcy to the credit of any of the accounts described in the second part of the second schedule to this Act, and all dividends which may then be or thereafter become due on such stock.

Indemnity out of Consolidated Fund to suitors of Court of Bankruptcy.

10. After the commencement of this Act the Consolidated Fund shall be liable to make good the debts due in cash from the Court of Bankruptcy in respect of the estates of bankrupts, in manner stated in the first part of the second schedule to this Act, and the debts due in cash from the late Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England in respect of estates of insolvent debtors, in manner stated in the first part of the same schedule, and the Treasury shall in manner provided by this Act cause the sums required for the payment of such debts to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund.

Deficiency and excess of cash balance to credit of Accountant in Bankruptcy.

11. Whenever the Lord Chancellor certifies to the Treasury that the cash balance for the time being standing at the Bank of England to the credit of the Accountant in Bankruptcy is less than fifty thousand pounds, or such other sum as may from time to time be fixed by the Lord Chancellor, with the concurrence of the Treasury, (regard being had to the amount required for carrying on the business of the office of the Accountant and to the proper remuneration of the Bank of England,) the Treasury shall forthwith cause to be paid into the Bank of England to the credit of the Accountant to be applied by him as part of such cash balance, such sum out of the growing produce of the Consolidated Fund as may

be required to make up the said cash balance to the sum of one hundred thousand pounds, or such other sum as may from time to time be fixed in manner aforesaid.

Whenever the said cash balance exceeds the sum of one hundred thousand pounds, or such other sum as may from time to time be fixed in manner aforesaid, the Governor and Company of the Bank of England shall, on an order of the Lord Chancellor to be made on the written requisition of the Treasury, and without any draft from the Accountant, or act done by him, transfer such excess, or such part thereof as may be specified in the order, to the account of the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, and on such transfer being made the Consolidated Fund shall be further liable to the extent of the sum so paid to make good any sum of cash due from the Court of Bankruptcy in respect of estates of bankrupts and insolvents.

If under any Act passed in the present session any of the duties previously performed by the Accountant in Bankruptcy are transferred to any other officer, the provisions of this section shall apply in the same manner as if they had been separately enacted with respect to such officer and his office and the duties to be performed by him, and such officer had been named herein instead of the said Accountant.

Salaries, Pensions, &c.

Salaries of judges charged on Consolidated Fund.

12. After the commencement of this Act the salaries and pensions of the judges mentioned in the first parts of the third and fourth schedules to this Act shall be paid out of the Consolidated Fund.

Compensations, pensions, salaries, &c. charged on annual votes.

13. After the commencement of this Act all compensations, pensions, retiring annuities, and superannuation allowances, at that date charged on any of the stock or cash standing to any of the accounts mentioned in the first and second schedules to this Act, or on the interest of any such stock, and the salaries, charges, and payments described in the second parts of the third and fourth schedules to this Act, and the salaries of and all pensions and superannuation allowances which may be granted to existing and future officers, clerks, and persons employed in the Court of Chancery or the Court of Bankruptcy, and the expenses and contingencies of those courts and of the offices therein, and all other sums payable under any Act relating to such courts, out of any of the stock and cash transferred under this Act, or the interest of such stock, including sums payable in pursuance of section sixteen of The Courts of Justice Building Act, 1865 (which relates to the purchase of compensation allowances), and also all arrears of such

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compensations, pensions, annuities, allowances, salaries, charges, and payments accrued before the commencement of this Act, shall be paid out of moneys provided by Parliament for the purpose.

All compensations, pensions, annuities, allowances, and salaries payable under this section shall be deemed to accrue from day to day, but shall be payable on such days as the Treasury may from time to time appoint.

If the moneys provided by Parliament are at any time insufficient for the purposes mentioned in this section, the Consolidated Fund shall be liable to make good such deficiency to the same extent to which the stock and cash, and the interest of such stock, transferred under this Act, or the income thereof, are liable at the commencement of this Act.

Nothing in this Act shall deprive any person who at the commencement of this Act enjoys any compensation, pension, retiring annuity, superannuation allowance, or salary mentioned in this section, of his right to continue to receive the same compensation, pension, retiring annuity, superannuation allowance, or salary, or of any right he may have to receive any progressive or prospective increase of salary or to obtain any promotion or succession, or any pension, retiring annuity, or superannuation allowance, and nothing in this Act shall affect or diminish any such right.

Officers of Court.

Appointment of officers.

14. The Treasury may from time to time, by order made with the concurrence of the Lord Chancellor, and also with the concurrence of the Master of the Rolls in the case of officers who are appointed or whose salaries are fixed by the Master of the Rolls, either solely or jointly with the Lord Chancellor, and with the concurrence of the Judge of the Court of Admiralty in the case of the officers of that court, increase or diminish the number of officers in the Courts of Chancery, Bankruptcy, and Admiralty, and the amounts of the salaries of such officers, and determine the conditions on which they are to hold their offices, and regulate the expenses and contingencies incurred in respect of the said courts or the officers belonging thereto.

Any officer appointed after the commencement of this Act shall take his office subject to any order that may thereafter be made under this section in relation to the abolition or modification of his office, but no order made under this section shall, without his consent, apply to any officer holding office at the date of the commencement of this Act, and when the conditions on which any officer is to hold his office, and the salary to be paid to him, have

been determined by any order under this section for the time being in force, no subsequent order under this section shall apply to such officer without his consent.

Any order made under this section shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within fourteen days after it is made, if Parliament be then sitting, or if not, within fourteen days after the commencement of the next session. It shall also be published in the London Gazette, and when so published shall be of the same force as if it were enacted in this Act, but subject to being varied or repealed from time to time by other orders made in like manner under this Act, and any enactment inconsistent with such order shall be repealed from and after the date of any such publication.

The term "officer" in this section means all officers, clerks, messengers, and persons who are mentioned in the second parts of the third and fourth schedules to this Act, or are for the time being employed in the said Courts of Chancery, Bankruptcy, and Admiralty, or any of them, or the offices connected therewith.

Buildings.

Courts and buildings.

15. The building in Basinghall Street in the City of London known as the Court of Bankruptcy, and the buildings in Portugal Street, Lincoln's Inn Fields, formerly known as the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, (and occupied at the commencement of this Act by the officers of that Court, and by the Land Registry and the Courts of Justice Commission,) shall, with the sites thereof, continue vested in the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings, and shall be appropriated as the Lord Chancellor, with the concurrence of the Treasury, from time to time directs.

On the commencement of this Act all the rights and interest of the District Commissioners in the buildings then used for the District Courts of Bankruptcy, and in all other buildings vested in the District Commissioners as such, and in the sites thereof, and in all furniture and effects belonging to the District Courts, and the offices thereof, shall be transferred to and vest in the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings, and the same shall be appropriated as the Lord Chancellor, with the concurrence of the Treasury, from time to time directs.

Fees.

Alteration of fees in Court of Chancery.

16. After the commencement of this Act the Lord Chancellor, with the advice and consent of the Lords Justices of Appeal, Master of the Rolls, and Vice-Chancellors, or any three of them, and with

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the concurrence of the Treasury, may from time to time by order increase, reduce, or abolish all or any of the existing fees and per-centages (including the per-centage on estates of lunatics), and appoint new fees to be taken in relation to proceedings in the Court of Chancery, or in any of the offices mentioned in the third schedule to this Act.

Until any such order is made the fees existing at the commencement of this Act shall continue to be taken.

Fees in Court of Admiralty.

17. After the commencement of this Act, the Judge of the Court of Admiralty may from time to time by order, with the concurrence of the Treasury, increase, reduce, or abolish all or any of the existing fees, and appoint new fees to be taken in relation to proceedings in the Court of Admiralty.

Until any such order is made the fees existing at the commencement of this Act shall continue to be taken.

Fees in Court of Bankruptcy.

18. After the commencement of this Act the Lord Chancellor, with the concurrence of the Treasury, may from time to time by order increase, reduce, or abolish all or any of the existing fees, and appoint new fees to be taken in relation to proceedings in the Court of Bankruptcy.

Until any such order is made the fees existing at the commencement of this Act shall continue to be taken.

Fees to be taken by stamps.

19. After the commencement of this Act all fees whatever, or payments in the nature or lieu of fees, for the time being payable in the Courts of Chancery, Admiralty, and Bankruptcy, or any of the offices therein, including the per-centage payable out of estates of lunatics, shall, except so far as the Lord Chancellor may from time to time otherwise by order direct, be taken by means of stamps, and if taken in money in pursuance of any such order shall be paid into the receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer, and be carried to the Consolidated Fund.

Stamp to be impressed or adhesive.

20. All or any stamps to be used under this Act shall be impressed or adhesive, as the Treasury from time to time direct.

General rules to be made by Treasury.

21. The Treasury, with the concurrence of the Lord Chancellor, or, in the case of the Court of Admiralty, of the Judge of that Court, may from time to time make such rules as seem fit for regulating the use of stamps under this Act, and particularly for prescribing the application thereof to documents from time to time in use or required to be used for the purposes of such stamps, and for insuring the proper cancellation of adhesive stamps and keeping accounts of such stamps.

Documents not properly stamped to be invalid.

22. Any document which ought to bear a stamp under this Act shall not be of any validity unless and until it is properly stamped; but if any such document is through mistake or inadvertence received, filed, or used without being properly stamped, the Lord Chancellor or a judge of one of the said courts may, if he thinks fit, order that the same be stamped as in such order may be directed, and on such document being stamped accordingly the same and every proceeding relative thereto shall be as valid as if such document had been properly stamped in the first instance.

Receipts from stamps to be paid to Consolidated Fund.

23. The Commissioners of Inland Revenue shall keep a separate account of all money received in respect of stamps under this Act; and, subject to the deduction of any expenses incurred by those Commissioners in the execution of this Act, the money so received shall, under the direction of the Treasury, be carried to and form part of the Consolidated Fund.

Annual account and expenditure of Courts of Chancery and Bankruptcy.

24. The Treasury shall cause to be prepared annually (with respect to the Court of Chancery and the Court of Bankruptcy separately) an account for the year ending the thirty-first of March, showing on the one side the following receipts:

1. The dividends or interest which would have arisen from the stock transferred to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt under this Act, and from the stock and securities purchased with cash so transferred, if such stock and securities were not cancelled;
2. All unclaimed dividends, rents, brokerage, and other sums paid into the receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer under this Act in respect of the said courts respectively;
3. The amount received, after deducting the expenses, in respect of fees and per-centages taken in relation to proceedings in the said courts respectively, or in any of the offices thereof;

and showing on the other side the expenditure during such year for compensations, pensions, retiring annuities, superannuation allowances, salaries, charges, expenses, and payments incurred in respect of the said courts respectively.

Where any sum has been paid in pursuance of this Act out of the growing produce of the Consolidated Fund to the credit of the Accountant-General of the Court of Chancery, or the Accountant in Bankruptcy or other officer, such allowance shall be made in the said accounts as if on the day of such payment an amount of the three per centum consolidated bank annuities transferred under this Act had been sold sufficient to raise the sum so paid.

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The term "Court of Bankruptcy" in this section means the court as defined by this Act, or as constituted by any Act of the present session.

Application of sect. 3. of 30 & 31 Vict. c. 122. to Admiralty fees.

25. So much of the Courts of Law Fees Act, 1867, as relates to the account with respect to the High Court of Admiralty, shall be construed as if the fees therein referred to were the fees authorized under this Act.

Accounts to show surplus and deficit, and comparison for two years.

26. Each of the said annual accounts prepared in pursuance of this Act shall show the deficit or surplus of receipts as compared with expenditure, and the second of each such yearly accounts and every subsequent account shall show the items for two consecutive years, and the increase or decrease of any item in the second of those years as compared with the first.

The first of the said annual accounts shall be made up for the period between the commencement of this Act and the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

Accounts to be laid before Houses of Parliament.

27. Each of the said annual accounts prepared in pursuance of this Act shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within one month after the thirty-first day of March in each year, if Parliament is then sitting, or if not, then within one month after the next meeting of Parliament.

Provision for deficit on accounts.

28. If in any year there is a deficit on either of the annual accounts as aforesaid, the amount of such deficit shall be debited to the same account in the next following year; provided that no such deficit shall be debited to any account unless and until there has been in some year a surplus on the same account, and after there has been such a surplus the deficit (if any) of every subsequent year shall be so debited, but not that of any year previous to that in which there first was a surplus.

Miscellaneous.

Saving for Act of present session.

29. The provisions of this Act with respect to the Court of Bankruptcy shall be subject to any provisions made with respect to that court by any Act passed in the present session.

Application of stock and cash transferred to Commissioners for Reduction of National Debt.

30. As soon as any sums of stock have been transferred in pursuance of this Act to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, the Treasury shall by warrant direct the Governor and Company of the Bank of England to cancel such sums in the books of the said governor and company. The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt shall apply all cash transferred to them in pursuance of this Act in reduction of the National Debt in

the same manner as if such cash were a surplus of the annual revenue.

Accounts.

31. The Treasury shall cause to be kept by such persons and in such manner as they may from time to time direct, accounts of the liability of the Consolidated Fund under this Act, and such accounts as may be necessary in order to admit of the preparation of the annual accounts required by this Act in respect of the Courts of Chancery and Bankruptcy.

Orders by Lord Chancellor.

32. The Lord Chancellor may from time to time make such orders as he may think necessary for carrying this Act into effect.

Treasury may make regulations.

33. The Treasury from time to time may make such rules and regulations and issue such order concerning the form and mode of transmission of certificates and vouchers, and otherwise for checking, controlling, and regulating the payment of the charges transferred by this Act to the Consolidated Fund or moneys provided by Parliament, and for enforcing and regulating the accounting for and due payment of the stock and moneys to be transferred to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, or to be carried to the Consolidated Fund under this Act, as they may think fit; and a return of any such rules and regulations which may be issued by the Treasury shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within six weeks from the date of the issue thereof, if Parliament be then sitting, and if it be not then sitting, within six weeks from the day of the next ensuing meeting of Parliament.

Repeal of Acts as in 5th schedule.

34. The enactments described in the fifth schedule to this Act are hereby repealed.

Provided that this repeal shall not affect anything already done or suffered, or any right acquired or order made, under the said enactments or any of them.

Nor shall this repeal affect the right of any person to receive such salary, compensation, retiring annuity, pension, superannuation allowance, or progressive or prospective increase of salary, or to obtain such promotion or succession, or pension, retiring annuity, or superannuation allowance as he might have received or obtained if this repeal had not been enacted.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

COURT OF CHANCERY.

Funds standing in Name of Accountant General.

PART I.

Belonging to Suitors, and not transferred by Act.

Moneys and stock as standing on the 1st of October 1868.	Title of credit to which moneys and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of funds, and remarks.	Acts.
£56,229,314 1*s.* 1*d.* stock.	Accounts of various suitors kept causewise.	Principal and interest belongs to suitors.		
£2,764,744 1*s.* 10*d.* book debt due in cash from the Court of Chancery to suitors. £382,157 9*s.* 10*d.* cash.	Accounts of various suitors kept causewise.	Belongs to suitors, being cash which they have not asked to have invested; no interest therefore is payable to suitors thereon.		
Book debt due from Court of Chancery to suitors of amount paid in by them, estimated as equal to value at commencement of this Act of stock on this account mentioned in Part II. £3,462 13*s.* 8*d.* cash.	Appeal deposit account - -	Belongs chiefly to suitors, being cash paid by them on appealing from courts of first instance; no interest is payable to suitors thereon.		15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. s. 41.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

Moneys and stock as standing on the 1st of October 1868.	Title of credit to which moneys and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of funds, and remarks.	Acts.
PART II.				
Belonging to Court, and transferred by Act.				
FUND (A.) called in this Act "The Suitors Fund."				
Bank £3 per cent. annuities, £1,588,215 17*s.* 6*d.* Reduced annuities, £1,571,894 3*s.* 6*d.*	"Account of moneys placed out for the benefit and better security of the suitors of the High Court of Chancery."	Principal belongs to Court, subject to the liability to make good to the suitors, without interest, the £2,764,744 1*s.* 10*d.* book debt due to them mentioned in Part I.	Arose from the investment by the court in pursuance of Acts of Parliament as a banker at its own risk of the £2,764,744 1*s.* 10*d.* described as a book debt in Part I.; some portion of which is unclaimed money, and will probably remain so. The price at which this stock must be sold to realize the above sum is 88⅛.	*See* Acts in fifth schedule.
£3,160,110 1*s.* stock.				
£14,652 9*s.* 5*d.* cash.	"Account of interest arising from moneys placed out for the benefit and better security of the suitors of the High Court of Chancery."	Belongs to Court; is charged with salaries and pensions of Accountant General, his clerks, and other officers. *See* below on Fund C. and third schedule.	Is interest on stock of Fund (A.) and rent of masters' offices.	
FUND (B.) called in this Act "The Surplus Interest Fund."				
Reduced annuities, £352,976 8*s.* 7*d.* New 3 per cent. annuities, £24 6*s.* East India stock, 4*s.* 11*d.*	"Account of securities purchased with surplus interest arising from securities carried to an account of moneys placed out for the benefit and	Principal belongs to the Court, subject to liability to make good by sale of principal and interest any deficiency in Fund (A.) to meet the	Arose chiefly from investment of interest on Fund (A.), that is of banking profits of the court after paying expenses. As the surplus of that interest is now	5 Vict. c. 5. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. s. 49.
£353,000 19*s.* 6*d.* stock.				

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

Moneys and stock as standing on the 1st of October 1868.	Title of credit to which moneys and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of funds, and remarks.	Acts.
		FUND (B.)—*continued.*		
£353,000 19*s.* 6*d.* stock —*continued.*	better security of the suitors of the High Court of Chancery."	£2,764,744 1*s.* 10*d.* book debt in Part I.	carried to Fund (C.), this fund does not now increase. In 1865 the amount of this fund was £1,291,629 5*s.* 6*d.*, of which 1,000,000*l.* was authorized to be sold by "The Courts of Justice Building Act, 1865." The Consolidated Fund was by that Act charged to the extent of 1,000,000*l.* to meet any deficiency which this fund could be called upon to meet.	
£1,371 9*s.* 10*d.* cash.	"Account of interest arising from securities purchased with surplus interest arising from securities carried to an account of moneys placed out for the benefit and better security of the suitors of the High Court of Chancery."	Belongs to Court; is charged with certain salaries and with certain compensations in the nature of life annuities and other temporary charges. *See* third schedule.	Is interest on stock of Fund (B.)	
		FUND (C.) called in this Act "The Suitors Fee Fund."		
£217,106 7*s.* 1*d.* cash.	"The Suitors Fee Fund Account."	Belongs to Court. Charged with salaries and pensions of officers (except those charged on Funds (A.) and (B.), and those of Lord Chancellor, and Judges, and	Is only a receipt and expenditure account. The surplus interest on Funds (A.) and (B.), and the interest on Funds (D.) and (E.), and all fees and other revenues	2 & 3 Will. 4. c. 122. 3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 94. 1 & 2 Vict. c. 54. 5 Vict. c. 5.

FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

Moneys and stock as standing on the 1st of October 1868.	Title of credit to which moneys and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of funds, and remarks.	Acts.
		FUND (C.)—*continued.*		
£217,106 7*s.* 1*d.* cash —*continued.*		certain officers of Lord Chancellor whose salaries are charged on Consolidated Fund), and expenses of Court, and Compensations. *See* third schedule.	of the Court, and brokerage paid by broker of Court, are carried to this fund.	5 & 6 Vict. c. 10. s. 121. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. s. 51. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. ss. 18, 53. 16 & 17 Vict. c. 98.
		FUND (D.)		
£201,028 2*s.* 3*d.* Bank £3 per cent. annuities.	"Account of moneys placed out to provide for the officers of the High Court of Chancery."	Belongs to Court. Is liable to make good, by sale of the principal, the charges on Fund (C.)	Arose from surplus of Fund (C.)	
		FUND (E.)		
£1,517 9*s.* 5*d.* Bank £3 per cent. annuities.	"Account of money arising from sale of Six Clerks Offices."	Belongs to Court - -	Arose from sale of old Six Clerks Office.	14 Geo. 3. c. 43. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 103. s. 29.
		FUND (F.)		
£10,000. Bank £3 per cent. annuities. £4,486 5*s.* cash.	"Appeal deposit account" -	Belongs to Court. Is liable to make good debt to suitors as mentioned in Part I.	The stock represents the accumulated amount of deposits invested by registrars previously to the passing of 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. Cash arises from dividends on above stock.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. s. 41.
		FUND (G.)		
£4,559 13*s.* 9*d.* Bank £3 per cent. annuities.	Keeper or clerk of the Hanaper in Chancery.	Belongs to Court. Interest is payable in aid of revenues of Hanaper Office.	Accumulations from old sixpenny duty on sealing writs, converted by order of Court in 1753.	

SECOND SCHEDULE.

COURT OF BANKRUPTCY.

Funds in Name of Accountant in Bankruptcy.

PART I.

Belonging to Suitors, and not transferred by Act.

Money and stock standing on the 1st of January 1869.	Title of credit to which money and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of fund, and remarks.	Acts.
£22,145 1*s.* stock. £103,100 Exchequer bills.	General account of bankrupts estates.	Principal and interest the property of bankrupts and insolvents estates.	Consists of securities the property of bankrupts and insolvents estates.	5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 29. s. 4. 6 & 7 Will. 4. c. 27. 24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. ss. 127–8.
£1,091,663 9*s.* 3*d.* Book debt due from Court of Bankruptcy in respect of bankrupts and insolvents estates. £37,510 8*s.* 4*d.* cash.	Do. do.	Belongs to bankrupts and insolvents estates, being cash paid in as part of bankrupts and insolvents estates to the credit of those estates which has not been invested on account of those estates. No interest is payable thereon.	Portions of the unemployed cash are, in pursuance of Act of Parliament, from time to time invested at the risk of the Court, but with a Parliamentary guarantee, and carried to Bankruptcy Fund Account.	
£221,361 4*s.* 11*d.* Book debt due from Court of Bankruptcy to creditors of bankrupts.	Unclaimed dividend account -	Belongs to creditors or bankrupts, being cash due to creditors as dividends, or surplus from bankrupts estates. No interest is payable thereon.		
Book Debt due from Court of Bankruptcy to suitors of Insolvent Debtors Court of amount of unclaimed dividends, and undivided surplus of insolvents estates estimated as equal to value at commencement of this Act of stock on this account mentioned in Part II.	Purposes of the 26th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, account.	Belongs to suitors of late Insolvent Debtors Court. No interest is payable thereon.	Transferred to Bankruptcy Court in 1861, 24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. s. 26.; consists mainly of unclaimed dividends and undivided surplus.	24 & 25 Vict. c. 134.

Part II.
Belonging to Court, and transferred by Act.

Fund (A.)

Money and stock standing on the 1st of January 1869.	Title of credit to which moneys and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of fund, and remarks.	Acts.
£1,193,128 4*s.* stock.	The Bankruptcy Fund Account	Principal and interest belongs to Court, subject to liability to make good to bankrupts and insolvents estates the £1,091,663 9*s.* 3*d.* book debt shown in Part I. in respect of the general account of bankrupts and insolvents estates.	Arises from certain investments by the Court as a banker at its own risk of cash belonging to bankrupts estates and of unclaimed dividends before 6th August 1861. Interest carried to Chief Registrar's account. When the cash balances to the "General account of bankrupts estates" are too low, stock is sold from this account, and carried to that account. Any deficiency in the fund to answer any such demands to be made good by Parliament, 5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 29. s. 20., 6 & 7 Will. 4. c. 27. s. 7., and 12 & 13 Vict. c. 106. sec. 55.	5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 29. ss. 1, 6, 10, 14, 16, 20. 6 & 7 Will. 4. c. 27. ss. 1, 2. 12 & 13 Vict. c. 106. ss. 34, 55.

Fund (B.)

£29,652 11*s.* 8*d.* cash. £315,153 2*s.* 11*d.* stock.	Chief Registrar's Account -	Is the property of the Court. Charged with salaries, pensions, compensations, and incidental expenses of the Court, 24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. ss. 33–36.	Formed chiefly from fees, but partly by the consolidation of several old accounts (12 & 13 Vict. c. 106. s. 32), partly from investments of the surplus cash of the Court, and from interest of stock standing to the Bankruptcy Fund Account and unclaimed Dividend Account.	1 & 2 Will. 4. c. 56. ss. 45, 48, 50, 52, 55. 5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 29. s. 16. 7 & 8 Vict. c. 96. s. 49. 12 & 13 Vic. c. 108. ss. 32, 48, 49. 24 & 25 Vic. c. 134. ss. 31, 32, 33, 36, 39, 41, 198.

SECOND SCHEDULE—*continued.*

Money and stock standing on the 1st of January 1869.	Title of credit to which moneys and stock stand.	To whom belonging, and charges thereon.	Origin of funds, and remarks.	Acts.
		FUND (C.)		
£244,387 19*s.* 1*d.* stock. £6,064 6*s.* 8*d.* cash.	Unclaimed Dividend Account -	Principal and interest the property of the Court. Liable to payment to creditors of the sum of £221,361 4*s.* 11*d.* cash described as a book debt in Part I., due from Court for dividends or ordered to be distributed.	Formed of dividends due to creditors and unclaimed by them, and of undivided surplus of bankrupts estates invested by the Court as a banker at its own risk. Interest carried to Chief Registrar's account.	5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 29. ss. 6, 7. 6 & 7 Will. 4. c. 27. ss. 7 & 8. 12 & 13 Vict. c. 106. secs. 191–193. 24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. s. 184.
		FUND (D.)		
£115,911 7*s.* 11*d.* stock. £3,296 7*s.* 3*d.* cash.	Purposes of the 26th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, account.	Principal and interest belong to the Court, transferred from Insolvent Debtors Court in 1861. Charged with payment of the sum in cash described as a book debt in Part I., due from Court to creditors or bankrupts in Insolvent Debtors Court in 1861, and of salaries of clerks and other matters mentioned in the 26th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861.	Formed of moneys and Government securities standing on the 11th October 1861 to the credit of the Account of the Commissioners of the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England.	24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. s. 26.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Salaries and Pensions charged on the Consolidated Fund.

Fund out of which Salaries are now payable.	Salaries.	Acts.
Consolidated Fund -	Lord Chancellor. Lords Commissioners of the Great Seal. Lords Justices of Appeal Master of the Rolls. Vice-Chancellors.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. s. 16.

PART II.

Salaries and Expenses of the Court of Chancery payable out of moneys provided by Parliament for the purpose.

Funds out of which Charges are now payable.	Charges, Expenses, and Contingencies of Offices.	Acts.
	Lord Chancellor.	
Suitors Fee Fund - Consolidated Fund.	Salaries of principal secretary, gentleman of the chamber, purse bearer, train bearer, porter, and messenger to Great Seal, and messenger to Lord Chancellor when out of town.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 84. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Consolidated Fund -	„ secretary of presentations and secretary of commissions.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 84. 3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	„ clerks to principal secretary.	3 & 4 Vict. c. 94.
Suitors Fund - - Surplus Interest Fund.	„ ushers, tipstaves, persons to keep order in court, stokers, and court keepers.	50 Geo. 3. c. 164. (Local and Personal). 3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. 3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 94.
Consolidated Fund -	Expenses of office of clerk of presentations.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 84.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Expenses and contingencies of the court and of above officers.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.

Fund out of which Charges are now payable.	Charges, Expenses, and Contingencies of Offices.	Acts.
	Court of Appeal.	
Suitors Fund. Surplus Interest Fund.	Salaries of secretaries, clerks of the chamber, ushers, train bearers, and persons to keep order in court.	14 & 15 Vict. c. 83. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Expenses and contingencies of court.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
	Master of the Rolls.	
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries of chief secretary, secretary of causes, gentlemen of the chamber, train bearer, clerks, ushers, &c.	7 Will. 4. & 1 Vict. c. 46. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 103. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Consolidated Fund -	Salaries of preacher and reader and clerk of Rolls Chapel, and expenses and contingencies of Rolls Chapel.	7 Will. 4. & 1 Vict. c. 46.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries of chief clerks - „ junior clerks and additional junior clerks.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. 18 & 19 Vict. c. 134. 27 & 28 Vict. c. 15. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fund and Surplus Interest Fund.	„ assistant clerks -	3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Expenses and contingencies of court and offices and chambers.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 87.
	Vice-Chancellors.	
Suitors Fund and Surplus Interest Fund.	Salaries of secretaries, clerks of the chamber, ushers, train-bearers, and porters of Vice-Chancellors.	53 Geo. 3. c. 24. 55 Geo. 3. c. 64. 5 Vict. c. 5. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries of chief clerks -	15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. 18 & 19 Vict. c. 134. 27 & 28 Vict. c. 15. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.

Fund out of which Charges are now payable.	Charges, Expenses, and Contingencies of Offices.	Acts.
	Vice-Chancellors—continued.	
Suitors Fund, Surplus Interest Fund, and Suitors Fee Fund.	Salaries of junior clerks, additional junior clerks, and assistant clerks. ,, persons to keep order in courts. Expenses and contingencies of court and offices and chambers.	3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. 18 & 19 Vict. c. 134. 27 & 28 Vict. c. 15. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
	Chancery Offices.	
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of registrars and clerks, including clerks of entries and assistant clerks and bagbearers.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 94. 3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. 5 Vict. c. 5. 14 & 15 Vict. c. 83. 18 & 19 Vict. c. 134. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fund, Surplus Interest Fund, and Suitors Fee Fund.	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of Accountant General (including his salary as master), and of his officers.	12 Geo. 1. c. 32. 12 Geo. 2. c. 24. 4 Geo. 3. c. 32. 5 Geo. 3. c. 28. 9 Geo. 3. c. 19. 32 Geo. 3. c. 42. 46 Geo. 3. c. 128. 46 Geo. 3. c. 129. 55 Geo. 3. c. 64. 3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of examiners and clerks.	50 Geo. 3. c. clxiv. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 86. 16 & 17 Vict. c. 22.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of taxing masters and their clerks and messengers.	5 & 6 Vict. c. 103. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of clerks of records and writs and their clerks, and master of reports and entries, and clerks of report office.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 94. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 103. 18 & 19 Vict. c. 134. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of clerk of enrolments and clerks.	5 & 6 Vict. c. 103. 30 & 31 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.

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Funds out of which Charges are now payable.	Charges, Expenses, and Contingencies of Offices.	Acts.
	Chancery Offices—continued.	
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of clerk of petty bag and his clerk.	12 & 13 Vict. c. 109.
Suitors Fund and Surplus Interest Fund.	Salary, expenses, and contingencies of solicitor to suitors fund, including costs of contempts.	23 & 24 Vict. c. 149. and orders of Court of Chancery.
" "	Salary of surveyor to court.	Order of Court of Chancery.
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salary of stockbroker of court.	15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. and orders of Court of Chancery.
" "	Keeper of the records of late masters in ordinary.	Orders of Court of Chancery.
	Masters in Lunacy, Registrar in Lunacy, Visitors of Lunatics.	
Suitors Fee Fund -	Salaries of masters in lunacy and their clerks.	5 & 6 Vict. c. 84. 8 & 9 Vict. c. 100. 16 & 17 Vict. c. 70. and orders of Court of Chancery.
" "	" registrar in lunacy and clerks.	16 & 17 Vict. c. 70.
" "	" visitors of lunatics, and secretary and clerks to visitors.	25 & 26 Vict. c. 86. and orders of Court of Chancery.
" "	Expenses and contingencies of office.	
	Commissioners in Lunacy.	
Consolidated Fund -	Balance required to meet salaries, costs, charges, and expenses.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 84. 8 & 9 Vict. c. 100.
	Clerk of the Crown.	
Fees of office and dividend on Fund (G.) in second schedule.	Salary of and expenses and contingencies of office of clerk of the Crown in Chancery.	3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 84. 15 & 16 Vict. c. 87.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Salaries and Pensions of the Court of Bankruptcy charged on Consolidated Fund.

Fund out of which Salaries are now payable.	Salaries and Pensions.	Acts.
Chief Registrar's Account. " "	Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy in London. District Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy in the country.	12 & 13 Vict. c. 106. s. 56. 24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. s. 33.

PART II.

Salaries and Expenses of the Court of Bankruptcy payable out of Moneys to be provided by Parliament for the purpose.

Fund out of which Charges are now payable.	Charges, Expenses, and Contingencies of Office.	Acts.
Chief Registrar's Account.	Salaries and pensions of Chief Registrar, Registrars Accountant, Taxing Master, Official Assignees, Clerks, Ushers, Messengers, and other officers and clerks, and the expenses and contingencies of the London and District Courts of Bankruptcy and costs of prosecutions of bankrupts.	5 & 6 Vict. c. 122. 12 & 13 Vict. c. 106. 24 & 25 Vict. c. 134.
Chief Registrar's Account, the amount being repaid to that Fund out of moneys provided by Parliament.	Compensations and pensions to holders of abolished offices and former commissioners of bankrupts.	24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. s. 35.
Chief Registrar's Account, the amount being partly repaid to that Fund out of moneys to be provided by Parliament.	Salaries, expenses, and contingencies of officers of late Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors.	24 & 25 Vict. c. 134. s. 30.

FIFTH SCHEDULE.

A description of part of an Act is inclusive of the words and sections first or last mentioned or referred to as forming the beginning or end of the portion described.

Date of Act.	Title of Act.	
12 Geo. 2. c. 24. -	An Act to empower the High Court of Chancery to lay out upon proper securities any moneys not exceeding a sum therein limited out of the common and general cash in the Bank of England belonging to the suitors of the said court, for the ease of the said suitors, by applying the interest arising therefrom for answering the charges of the office of the Accountant General of the said court.	
4 Geo. 3. c. 32. -	An Act to empower the High Court of Chancery to lay out upon proper securities a further sum of money not exceeding a sum therein limited out of the common and general cash in the Bank of England belonging to the suitors of the said court, and for applying the interest arising therefrom towards answering the charges of the office of the Accountant General of the said court.	
5 Geo. 3. c. 28. -	An Act to empower the High Court of Chancery to lay out upon government securities a sum of money therein mentioned out of the common and general cash in the Bank of England belonging to the suitors of the said court, and to apply the interest arising therefrom towards augmenting the income of the masters of the said court.	
9 Geo. 3. c. 19. -	An Act to empower the High Court of Chancery to lay out upon government securities a further sum of money, not exceeding a sum therein limited, out of the common and general cash in the Bank of England belonging to the suitors of the said court, and to apply the interest arising therefrom towards answering the charges of the office of the Accountant General of the said court.	
14 Geo. 3. c. 43. -	An Act for rebuilding the office of the six clerks of the King's Court of Chancery, and for erecting offices for the Register and Accountant General of the said court for the better preserving the records, decrees, orders, and books of account kept in such offices.	
32 Geo. 3. c. 42. in part.	An Act to empower the High Court of Chancery to lay out a further sum of the suitors money upon proper securities, and for applying the interest towards discharging the expenses of the office of the Accountant General, and for building offices for the masters in ordinary in Chancery, and a publick office for the suitors of the said court, and offices for the secretaries of bankrupts and lunaticks, and for building repositories for securing the title deeds of the suitors of the said court, and the records and proceedings of the commissioners of bankrupts and lunaticks.	In part, namely; except section eight.

Date of Act.	Title of Act.	
46 Geo. 3. c. 128. -	An Act for making provision for such masters in ordinary of the High Court of Chancery as from age or infirmity shall be desirous of resigning their offices with the approbation of the said court, and for augmenting the income of the masters in ordinary of the said court.	
46 Geo. 3. c. 129. -	An Act to provide additional salaries to the present clerks in the office of the Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, and to provide additional clerks for the said office, with salaries; and to make other payments in respect of the said office.	
50 Geo. 3. c. clxiv. in part.	An Act for building certain offices for the examiners, cursitors, clerk of the Crown, and clerks of the petty bag of the High Court of Chancery; and for making certain regulations in the Examiner's office of the said court; and for making provision for such of the examiners, deputy examiners, and clerks as, from length of service, or from age or infirmity, are or shall be incapacitated from the due execution of their offices; and for making provision for other officers of the said court; and for making other payments in respect of the said offices.	In part, namely;—sections one, three, eight, fifteen to nineteen, twenty-one, and twenty-five to twenty-eight.
53 Geo. 3. c. 24. in part.	An Act to facilitate the administration of justice.	In part, namely;—sections seven to twelve.
2 & 3 Will. 4. c. 122. in part.	An Act for making provision for the Lord High Chancellor of England in lieu of fees heretofore received by him.	In part, namely;—except sections eight to ten.
3 & 4 Will. 4. c. 94. in part.	An Act for the regulation of the proceedings and practice of certain offices of the High Court of Chancery in England.	In part, namely;—sections thirty-five to thirty-eight and forty-three to forty-seven.
5 & 6 Will. 4. c. 29. in part.	An Act for investing in government securities a portion of the cash lying unemployed in the Bank of England belonging to bankrupts estates, and applying the interest thereon in discharge of the expenses of the Court of Bankruptcy, and for	In part, namely;—sections one to four, nine to eleven, fourteen to seventeen, nineteen and twenty.

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Date of Acts.	Title of Act.	
	the relief of the suitors in the said court, and for removing doubts as to the extent of the powers of the Court of Review and of the Subdivision Courts.	
6 & 7 Will. 4. c. 27.	An Act for investing in government securities further portions of the cash lying unemployed in the Bank of England belonging to bankrupts estates.	
7 Will 4. & 1 Vict. c. 46. in part.	An Act to vest the Rolls Estate in Her Majesty, and to provide for the future payment of the salary of the Master of the Rolls, and the expenses of the Rolls Chapel.	In part, namely;—sections six to nine and eleven to thirteen.
1 & 2 Vict. c. 54. -	An Act for making further investments from the money of the suitors of the Court of Chancery and the Court of Exchequer, and for providing for the payment into court of fees received by certain officers of the Lord Chancellor.	
3 & 4 Vict. c. 66. in part.	An Act to make provision for the judge, registrar, and marshal of the High Court of Admiralty of England.	In part, namely;—sections eight and thirteen to sixteen.
3 & 4 Vict. c. 94. -	An Act for facilitating the administration of justice in the Court of Chancery.	In part, namely;—sections two, three, and four.
5 Vict. c. 5. in part -	An Act to make further provision for the administration of justice.	In part, namely;—sections eleven, twelve, and fifty-eight to sixty-three.
5 & 6 Vict. c. 84. in part.	An Act to alter and amend the practice and course of proceeding under commissions in the nature of writs de lunatico inquirendo.	In part, namely;—except section ten.
5 & 6 Vict. c. 103. in part.	An Act for abolishing certain offices of the High Court of Chancery in England.	In part, namely;—sections twenty, twenty-one to twenty-seven, and section twenty-nine from "and further that all dividends" to end of section.
8 & 9 Vict. c. 100. in part.	An Act for the regulation of the care and treatment of lunatics.	In part, namely;—sections thirty-five, ninety-seven, and ninety-eight.
12 & 13 Vict. c. 109. in part.	An Act to amend an Act to regulate certain offices in the petty bag in the High Court of Chancery, the practice of the common law side of that court, and the enrolment office of the said court.	In part, namely;—sections six to eight, twenty-one, and twenty-three.

Date of Acts.	Title of Act.	
14 & 15 Vict. c. 83. in part.	An Act to improve the administration of justice in the Court of Chancery and in the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.	In part, namely;—section nineteen.
15 & 16 Vict. c. 80. in part.	An Act to abolish the office of Master in Ordinary of the High Court of Chancery, and to make provision for the more speedy and efficient dispatch of business in the said court.	In part, namely;—sections six, forty-eight, and forty-nine.
15 & 16 Vict. c. 87. in part.	An Act for the relief of the suitors in the High Court of Chancery.	In part, namely;—sections two, six to thirteen, forty-eight, fifty-one, fifty-three, fifty-four, and so much of section fifty-two as relates to the fund out of which the sums are to be payable.
16 & 17 Vict. c. 70. in part.	An Act for the regulation of proceedings under commissioners of lunacy, and the consolidation and amendment of the Acts respecting lunatics so found by inquisition on their estates.	In part, namely;—sections twenty-five, thirty, and thirty-one.
16 & 17 Vict. c. 98. in part.	An Act for the relief of the suitors of the High Court of Chancery.	In part, namely;—section two from "out of the fund" to the end of the section, and section four.
17 & 18 Vict. c. 78. in part.	An Act to appoint persons to administer oaths, and to substitute stamps in lieu of fees, and for other purposes, in the High Court of Admiralty of England.	In part, namely;—sections fourteen to twenty-one, both inclusive.
18 & 19 Vict. c. 134. in part.	An Act to make further provision for the more speedy and efficient dispatch of business in the High Court of Chancery, and to vest in the Lord Chancellor the ground and buildings of the said Court, situate in Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane, with powers of leasing and sale thereof.	In part, namely;—section fourteen, and sections seventeen to twenty-two.
25 & 26 Vict. c. 86. in part.	The Lunacy Regulation Act, 1862.	Section twenty-seven.

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