# CHAPTER 9.

An Act to amend certain Provisions of the Local Government Act, 1888, with respect to the Determination of Differences by the Local Government Board.

[21st May 1896.]

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:

Amendment of 51 & 52 Vict. c. 44. s. 11 as to determination of differences.

**1.** The Local Government Act, 1888, shall have effect, as if in sub-sections three and four of section eleven of that Act for the words "be determined by arbitration of the Local Government "Board," and in sub-section nine of the same section for the words "be referred to the arbitration of the Local Government Board," were substituted the words "be determined by the Local Govern- "ment Board either as arbitrators or otherwise at the option of the "Board," and as if in section sixty-three of that Act for the words "are required in pursuance of this Act to decide," were inserted the words "determine as arbitrators."

Validation of past orders.

**2.** An order of the Local Government Board made before the passing of this Act and purporting to have been made for the determination of any matter under section eleven of the Local Government Act, 1888, shall not be invalid by reason only of the Board having determined the matter as arbitrators or otherwise, instead of appointing an arbitrator to determine it.

Short title.

**3.** This Act may be cited as the Local Government (Determination of Differences) Act, 1896.

# CHAPTER 10.

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Appointment of Members of Dispensary Committees in Ireland.

[2nd July 1896.]

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:

Local Government Board to fix qualification.

**1.** From and after the passing of this Act the Local Government Board for Ireland shall have power to fix the rating qualification of members of dispensary committees in Ireland.

Repeal of part of 14 & 15 Vict. c. 68. s. 7.

**2.** Section seven of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Act, 1851, is hereby repealed in so far as it relates to the rating qualification of members of dispensary committees.

Short title.

**3.** This Act may be cited as the Dispensary Committees (Ireland) Act, 1896.