Wokingham, New Bracknowl, and Sunninghill, to Virginia Water, in the Parish of Egham, in the County of Surrey.

4 G. 4. c. xlviii — An Act for more effectually repairing, widening, and improving the Roads from the West End of Toller Lane near Bradford through Haworth to Blue Bell near Colne, and from the Two Laws to Kighley, in the Counties of York and Lancaster.

4 G. 4. c. cx. — An Act for repairing and improving the Road leading from Skipton in the County of York to Colne in the County of Lancaster.

5 G. 4. c. xxxv — An Act for amending and improving the Road from Glossop to Marple Bridge in the County of Derby, and the several Branches of Roads leading to and from the same.

6 G. 4. c. lxxxvii. — An Act for more effectually repairing and improving the Roads from Sheet Bridge to Portsmouth and from Petersfield to the Alton and Alresford Turnpike Road near Ropley in the County of Southampton, and for making and maintaining a new Branch of Road to communicate therewith.

6 G. 4. c. cxlix. — An Act for repairing, widening, improving, and maintaining in repair the Turnpike Roads from Leeds to Halifax, and the several Branches and Roads therein mentioned, in the West Riding of the County of York.

7 G. 4. c. xvi. — An Act for more effectually repairing and improving the Roads from Manchester, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, to Salters Brook in the County Palatine of Chester, and for making and maintaining several Extensions or Diversions of Road, and a new Branch of Road to communicate therewith.

7 G. 4. c. lxxiii. — An Act for repairing the Road from the Thirty-three Milestone in the Parish of Ruscombe in the County of Berks towards Reading, to a Place called the Seven Mile Stone in the Parish of Beenham in the same County, and a certain other Road communicating therewith.

9 G. 4. c. lxx. — An Act for repairing the Roads from Horsham to Steyning, and from thence to the Top of Steyning Hill, in the County of Sussex, and from the Bottom of Steyning Hill to Slaughter's Corner in the Parish of Beeding, and from thence to Shoreham Bridge in the Parish of Old Shoreham in the said County.

1 Vict. c. xli. — An Act to alter, amend, and enlarge the Powers and Provisions of an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled an Act for repairing the Road from the Thirty-three Mile Stone in the Parish of Ruscombe in the County of Berks towards Reading, to a Place called The Seven Mile Stone in the Parish of Beenham in the said County, and a certain other Road communicating therewith.

CAP. LII.

An Act to amend the Laws relating to the Police District of *Dublin* Metropolis. [13th *August* 1859.]

6 & 7 W. 4. c. 29.

'WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Sixth and Seventh Years of the Reign of King *William* the Fourth, Chapter Twenty-nine, it was enacted, that it should be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* to appoint Two fit Persons as Justices of the Peace for and of the Police District of *Dublin* Metropolis, to execute such Duties as are in the said Act specified or referred to, and the said Act also empowered the said Lord Lieutenant to direct that an annual Salary not exceeding the Sum of Eight hundred Pounds should be paid out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* to each of the Justices to be so appointed; and by the said Act the Commissioners of the Treasury were empowered to appoint a Person to receive all Sums of Money applicable to the Purposes of the said Act, and to allow to him such yearly Salary as therein mentioned; and the Duties of such Receiver were in the said Act particularly set forth: And whereas by several subsequent Acts the Duties and Powers of the Justices appointed under the said first-recited Act, and which Justices are in such subsequent Acts denominated Commissioners of Police for the said District,

'District, have been extended and defined; and the Office of Secretary to the said Commissioners is recognized, and certain Notices are directed to be served upon him: And whereas by an Act passed in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Chapter Ninety-four, the Charge of the Salaries of the said Justices or Commissioners has been removed from the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom, and the said Salaries are now annually provided for by Parliament: And whereas by an Act passed in the First Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, Chapter Twenty-five, Power was given to the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* to divide the Police District of *Dublin* Metropolis into any Number not exceeding Four Divisions, and to define and declare the Limits thereof accordingly, and to establish Public Offices therein, One in each such Division, and to attach to each such Office any Number not exceeding Three Divisional Justices; and it was thereby further enacted, that whenever the Number of Divisional Justices at any Public Office in the said District should not exceed Two, or the Number of Offices be reduced below Four, it should be lawful for the said Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors to increase the Salary of each Divisional Justice at the said Office, or in case of the Reduction of the Number of Offices at the remaining Offices, to any Sum not exceeding Six hundred Pounds by the Year, to be charged on the Funds applicable to the Maintenance of the said Police: And whereas by another Act passed in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign, Chapter One hundred and three, it was enacted, that it should be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, by and with the Advice and Consent of Her Majesty's Privy Council in *Ireland*, to establish in any One or more of the Divisions of the said District such Number of Public Offices as should to him or them, with the Advice and Consent aforesaid, appear necessary: And whereas, in pursuance of the said recited Acts, the Divisions of the said District have been reduced to Three, and in One of such Divisions Two Public Offices are established, One in the City of *Dublin* and the other in the Town of *Kingstown*, and in the said last-mentioned Office Justice is administered by One of the Justices of the Division to which the same belongs: And whereas it is expedient that instead of Two Commissioners of Police there should be One Commissioner and One Assistant Commissioner of Police for the said District of *Dublin* Metropolis, and that Provision should be made for consolidating the Offices of Receiver of the said Police District, Secretary to the said Commissioners, and Supervisor of Taxes of the said District, and that Provision should be made for consolidating the Divisions of the said District, and administering Justice at One or more Police Courts in the said District, without reference to such Divisions:' 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:

17 & 18 Vict. c. 94.

1 Vict. c. 25.

3 & 4 Vict. c. 103.

Interpretation of Terms.

I. In the Interpretation of this Act the Words "Lord Lieutenant" shall mean Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, "Commissioners of Police" and "Receiver" shall mean respectively the Justices and the Receiver appointed under the first herein-before recited Act, "Justices" shall mean "Divisional Justices," or Justices appointed to administer Justice at the Police Office or Police Courts of the Police District of *Dublin* Metropolis.

When the Office of Commissioner of Police is vacant, Lord Lieutenant may appoint an Assistant Commissioner.

II. Whenever a Vacancy shall occur in the Office of Commissioner of Police, it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant, if he shall so think fit, to appoint an Assistant Commissioner to act with the remaining Commissioner, and from Time to Time to appoint Successors to such Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner; and such Assistant Commissioner shall take the Oath required to be taken by the Commissioners of Police, and shall thereupon, with the remaining Commissioner, who shall be styled henceforward "the Chief Commissioner," possess and be subject to all the Powers, Duties, and Provisions of or affecting the Commissioners of Police, but subject to the Provisions herein-after contained.

Salaries to be paid after such Vacancy shall take place.

III. The Salary of the Chief Commissioner of Police shall from and after the Occurrence of such Vacancy be One thousand Pounds by the Year, and the Salary of such Assistant Commissioner when so appointed as aforesaid shall be Six hundred Pounds by the Year,

and the Salaries of the said Commissioners, or Chief Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner, as the Case may be, shall from and after the passing of this Act be payable out of such Monies as shall be annually provided by Parliament for the Purpose.

One Commissioner to act in certain Cases.

IV. Anything authorized to be done by the Commissioners by any Act herein recited or by any other Act may be done by either of the Commissioners now holding Office, and after the Commissioners shall have become Chief Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner, as herein provided, may be done by the Chief Commissioner alone, or in his Absence by the Assistant Commissioner alone; provided that to establish the Validity of any Act or Thing done by the Assistant Commissioner it shall not be necessary to prove the Absence of the Chief Commissioner.

When the Offices of Receiver, Secretary, and Supervisor be vacant Lord Lieutenant may appoint One Person to hold the said Offices.

V. Whenever the Offices of Receiver, Secretary to the Commissioners of Police, and Supervisor of Taxes, or any of them, shall be vacant, it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant, with the Consent of the Commissioners of the Treasury, to appoint One and the same Person to hold the said Offices, or such of them as shall be vacant; and it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of the Treasury to assign to the Person to be appointed to the said Offices an annual Salary not exceeding Five hundred Pounds.

Offices may be consolidated if no Vacancy have occurred, and Compensation granted for Loss of Office.

VI. If the Commissioners of the Treasury shall be of opinion that it would be for the Advantage of the Public Service that the said Offices should be so consolidated as aforesaid, notwithstanding that no such Vacancy shall have occurred, it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of the Treasury, on the Recommendation of the Lord Lieutenant, to carry into effect such Consolidation, and to grant to the Holders of the said Offices of Receiver, Secretary, and Supervisor such Pension or Annuity by way of Compensation for the Loss thereof as to them may appear just, not exceeding Two Thirds of the respective Salaries of the said Receiver, Secretary, or Supervisor, when the Holders of the said Offices shall have served for a Period of less than Twenty Years, and an annual Sum not exceeding the whole of the Salary when such Service shall have exceeded the said Period of Twenty Years.

When Consolidation of Offices shall include Receiver, that Officer to be styled the Accountant, and Property to be vested in him, &c.

VII. Whenever the Consolidation of the Offices aforesaid shall include the Office of Receiver, the Person to be appointed to the consolidated Office shall be deemed and taken to be and shall be designated "the Accountant" of the said Commissioners of Police; and all Property belonging to, acquired, or purchased by the said Receiver in his public Capacity, and all Monies standing in his Name in the Books of the Governor and Company of the Bank of *Ireland*, and all Cash Balances in hand, shall be vested in the said Accountant; and all Proceedings, of what Kind soever, which if this Act had not been passed should have been taken or done by or in the Name of any of the Holders of the Offices so consolidated shall thereafter be taken or done by or in the Name of the said Accountant, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as if the Word "Accountant" had been used in the Act of Parliament, Lease, Contract, Licence, or other Instrument which authorized the taking or doing thereof, instead of the Words "Receiver," "Secretary," or "Supervisor," as the Case may be; and such Accountant shall give to the said Commissioners of Police Security for the due and faithful Application of all Monies paid to him or lodged to his Account under the Provisions of the Acts relating to the *Dublin* Police, in such Manner and Amount as shall be determined by the said Commissioners, with the Approval of the Commissioners of the Treasury.

Lord Lieutenant may abolish Divisions of Police District, and appoint Courts and Justices.

VIII. It shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant, if he shall so think fit, by and with the Advice and Consent of Her Majesty's Privy Council in *Ireland*, to abolish the Divisions of the said Police District, and from Time to Time to order that there shall be for the whole of the said District such Number of Public Offices or Police Courts for the Administration of Justice, to be held at such Place or Places, as he shall by and with such Advice and Consent as aforesaid deem proper; and the Lord Lieutenant may, if he shall so think fit, reduce the Number of Justices for the said District.

When Number of Justices reduced to Five, Lord Lieu-

IX. Whenever the Number of Justices of the said Police District shall not exceed Five, it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant, if he shall so think fit, to raise the Salary of each of the said Justices to any Sum not exceeding Nine hundred Pounds by the Year, provided

provided that the Amount of such increased Salaries shall not exceed the gross Amount now authorized by Law to be paid to all such Justices respectively.

tenant may raise the Salary of Justices.

X. It shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant to direct the regular daily Attendance at the Police Courts of the said Justices or any of them, or of any of the other Justices heretofore appointed, or hereafter to be appointed, and to make from Time to Time such Regulations in respect of the Number of Justices to attend each Police Court, and of the Attendance thereat of any of such Justices, and of the Officers belonging to any of the Police Courts, as may be deemed expedient.

Lord Lieutenant may direct daily Attendances at Police Courts.

XI. It shall be lawful for any One Justice to sign and execute any Warrant or other Instrument, or to do alone at any of the said Police Courts, or at any Place where for any special Purpose he may by Warrant under the Hand of the said Chief or Under Secretary be directed to attend and to act singly, any Act which by any Law now in force, or by any Law not containing an express Enactment to the contrary, hereafter to be made, is or shall be directed to be signed, executed, or done by more than One Justice.

One Justice may do any Act directed to be done by more than One Justice.

XII. It shall be lawful for the Commissioners of the Treasury, on the Recommendation of the Lord Lieutenant, to grant to any Magistrate, Clerk, or other Person belonging to any of the Offices of the Police Department whose Office shall cease or become unnecessary, or be abolished under this Act, and who shall not be reappointed or employed or retained in an Office of equal Value, such Compensation or Allowance, chargeable upon and payable out of any Monies provided by Parliament for the Maintenance of the Police of the said Police District of *Dublin* Metropolis, as under the Circumstances of each Case shall appear just: Provided always, that the Payment of any such last-mentioned Compensation or Allowance shall altogether cease and be suspended while the Person to whom such Compensation or Allowance shall be granted shall hold any Office in any Public Department the Salary or Profits of which shall be equal to or shall exceed the Salary which was enjoyed by such Person in such Office so ceasing or becoming unnecessary or being abolished; and in case the Salary or Profits of the Office to which such Person shall be appointed shall be less than the Salary which was enjoyed by such Person in such Office so ceasing or becoming unnecessary or being abolished, then only such Amount of Compensation or Allowance shall be paid to him as shall, together with the Salary and Profits of such new Office, be equal to the Amount of the Salary enjoyed by such Person at the Time of his Office so ceasing or becoming unnecessary or being abolished as aforesaid.

Compensation to Persons belonging to the Police Department whose Offices are abolished by this Act.

XIII. Nothing in this Act contained shall lessen, take away, or abridge any Power, Jurisdiction or Authority now possessed by the said Justices of the said District.

Act not to lessen, &c. Power of Justices.

XIV. This Act may be cited for all Purposes as "The *Dublin* Police Act, 1859."

Short Title.

CAP. LIII.

An Act to enable Charitable and Provident Societies and Penny Savings Banks to invest all their Proceeds in Savings Banks. [13th *August* 1859.]

'WHEREAS by the Acts now in force Friendly Societies legally established are entitled to invest their Funds to any Amount in a Savings Bank: And whereas Charitable Societies and Provident Institutions can only invest to the Amount of One hundred Pounds *per Annum*, and the Amount of the Sum to be invested by such Institution or Society cannot exceed the Sum of Three hundred Pounds in the whole, exclusive of Interest: And whereas it is expedient to place such Societies and Institutions, and also Penny Savings Banks, upon the same Footing in that respect as Friendly Societies legally established:' Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent