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Cap. xxxii.

An Act for more effectually amending, widening, and keeping in repair Two several Districts of Road leading from *High Bridges* to *Uttoxeter*, and from the *Newcastle* Road at *Spath*, near *Uttoxeter*, to the *Leek* Road at or near *Hanging Bridge* in the County of *Stafford*. [9th *May* 1828.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act for repairing and widening the Road from* High Bridges *in the County of* Stafford *to* Uttoxeter, *and from* Spath *to* Hanging Bridge, *and from* Tewnall's Lane *to* Yoxall Bridge, *in the said County*, whereby several Tolls, Powers, and Authorities were granted to the Trustees therein named, and their Successors respectively, for repairing, widening, and keeping in repair the Road leading from *High Bridges* to a certain Street or Lane in *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, called *Bradley Lane*, and which Road is by the said Act called the First District of the Roads thereby intended to be repaired and widened; and also for repairing, widening, and keeping in repair One full Moiety or Half Part in Length of the Road leading from the *Royal Oak* at *Spath* to *Hanging Bridge* aforesaid, and lying next to *Spath*, by the said Act called the Second District of the Roads thereby intended to be repaired and widened: And whereas an Act was passed in the Twenty-seventh Year of the Reign of His said late

6 G. 3. c. 88.

27 G. 3. c. 88. Majesty, intituled *An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of an Act passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King* George *the Third, for repairing and widening the Road from* High Bridges *in the County of* Stafford *to* Uttoxeter, *and from* Spath *to* Hanging Bridge, *and from* Tewnall's Lane *to* Yoxall Bridge, *in the said County, so far as the same relates to the Two Districts of Road therein described:* And whereas an Act was passed in the Forty-eighth
48 G. 3. c. 34. Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty, intituled *An Act to continue the Term and alter and enlarge the Powers of Two Acts of His present Majesty, so far as the same relate to the Two Districts of Roads therein described, leading from* High Bridges *to* Uttoxeter, *and from* Spath *to the Halfway from thence to* Hanging Bridge *in the County of* Stafford: And whereas the Trustees appointed under or by virtue of the said recited Acts, as relates to the said Two Districts of Roads, have made great Progress in the Execution of the said Acts within their respective Districts, and therein have borrowed considerable Sums of Money upon the Credit of the Tolls and Duties respectively arising within the same, which are now due and owing; but the said Roads cannot be effectually amended and kept in repair, nor the said Monies be paid off, unless a further Term and Powers, so far as relates to the said Two Districts, are granted for those Purposes: And whereas by the said Act of the Sixth Year of His said late Majesty, the Trustees for executing a certain Act passed in the Second Year of His said late Majesty, for repairing and widening the High Road leading from *Ashborne* in the County of *Derby* to the Town of *Leek* in the County of *Stafford*, and from *Ryecroft Gate* upon *Rushton Common* to *Congleton* in the County of *Chester*, and other Roads therein mentioned, were authorized and required to amend and repair so much of the Road leading from *Hanging Bridge* towards the *Royal Oak* at *Spath* aforesaid as would make One Half thereof in Length; and the Trustees for executing the said last-mentioned Act, and also Two several Acts of the Twenty-second and Forty-fourth Years of the Reign of His said late Majesty, for continuing and enlarging the Term and Powers of the said last-mentioned Act, did amend and keep in repair the said Road between *Hanging Bridge* and the Halfway from thence to the *Royal Oak* at *Spath*, and the same was united to and made Part of the said District of Road from *Ashborne* to *Congleton*, until about Two Years since, when, upon Application for a Renewal of the said last-mentioned Acts, the said Moiety of the said Road between the *Royal Oak* at *Spath* and *Hanging Bridge* was left out of an Act then passed for more effectually repairing the said District of Road from *Ashborne* to *Congleton*, and discontinued as a Turnpike Road, and to be amended and kept in repair as theretofore, and the same is in consequence becoming decayed and ruinous, and incommodious to Travellers: And whereas it is desirable, and for the Public Benefit, to continue the said Moiety of Road next to *Hanging Bridge* as Turnpike Road, and that the said Two Moieties of Road, comprising the whole Length of the present Road between the *Newcastle* Road at *Spath* aforesaid and the *Leek* Road at or near *Hanging Bridge* aforesaid, should be made One District, and under One and the same Trust: And whereas it is convenient that the said Three recited Acts of the Sixth, Twenty-seventh, and Forty-eighth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty should be repealed, so far as the same relate

relate to the said Two Districts of Roads therein described, and that further Provisions be made for the Repair of the said Roads leading from *High Bridges* to *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, and from the *Newcastle* Road at *Spath* to the *Leek* Road at or near *Hanging Bridge* aforesaid: And whereas an Act was passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act to amend the General Laws now in being for regulating Turnpike Roads in that Part of* Great Britain *called* England: And whereas another Act was passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act to explain and amend an Act passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, to amend the General Laws now in being for regulating Turnpike Roads in that Part of* Great Britain *called* England: And whereas another Act was passed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act to enable Justices of the Peace for Ridings, Divisions, or Sokes, to act as Trustees for repairing and maintaining Turnpike Roads:* And whereas another Act was passed in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act to amend the Acts for regulating Turnpike Roads in* England: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the King'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, That the said Three several recited Acts passed in the Sixth, Twenty-seventh, and Forty-eighth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, shall, from and after the Third *Monday* next after the passing of this Act, be, and they and every of them are hereby declared to be repealed, and null and void, to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever, so far as the same relate to the said Two several Districts of Roads therein described, leading from *High Bridges* to *Uttoxeter*, and from the *Royal Oak* at *Spath* to the Halfway from thence to *Hanging Bridge*.

3 G. 4. c. 126.

4 G. 4. c. 95.

5 G. 4. c. 69.

7 & 8 G. 4. c. 24.

So much of recited Acts of 6, 27, and 48 G. 3. as relates to the First and Second Districts of the Roads repealed.

II. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be put in execution for and during the Term herein-after mentioned, for the Purpose of more effectually amending, widening, improving, and keeping in repair the said Road from *High Bridges* to the upper End of a certain Street or Lane in *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, called *Bradley Lane*, which shall be and herein-after is called the First District of Roads hereby intended to be repaired and widened, and the said Road from the *Newcastle* Road at *Spath* to the *Leek* Road at or near *Hanging Bridge* aforesaid, which shall be and herein-after is called the Second District of Roads hereby intended to be repaired and widened.

This Act to be put into Execution.

III. And be it further enacted, That this Act, and the Term and Tolls hereby granted, shall be and they are hereby made subject and liable to the Payment of all Monies which have been borrowed and which are now due and owing on the Credit of the respective Tolls authorized to be taken by the said recited Acts of the Sixth, Twenty-seventh, and Forty-eighth Years of the Reign of His said late Majesty King *George* the Third, upon the said Two several Districts of Roads therein mentioned and described, and also of such other Sum or Sums of Money as may be borrowed by virtue of, or become due or owing on

New Term and Tolls, liable to former Debts.

on the Credit of the said last-mentioned Acts and of this Act, or any of them, and of all Interest due and to grow due thereon respectively, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as if such Monies had been borrowed or become due and owing on the Credit or Security of the Tolls granted by this Act; and all and every Person and Persons who may owe or be subject or liable to the Payment of any Sum or Sums of Money to the Trustees for executing the said last-mentioned Acts and this Act, so far as the same relate to the said Two Districts of Roads, or to any other Person or Persons for the Benefit of the said Roads, shall be liable to the Payment of all such Sum and Sums of Money to the respective Trustees for executing this Act.

Bonds, &c. under recited Acts to be available.

IV. And be it further enacted, That all Bonds, Conveyances, Covenants, Agreements, Contracts, and Securities made to or by any Person or Persons, to or with the respective Trustees for executing the said Three first-recited Acts hereby repealed, so far as relate to the said Two Districts therein described respectively, shall remain in full Force and Effect, and be and continue available in all Courts of Law and Equity, until the same respectively shall be fully satisfied and performed; and all Bargains, Contracts, Agreements, or Notices, made, entered into, or given by the Trustees for executing the said recited Acts hereby repealed, with or to any Person or Persons, for any Purpose relating to the said Two Districts of Roads therein mentioned respectively, shall remain in full Force and Effect, and be observed and kept by the respective Trustees under this Act, and by the other Parties to such Contracts, Agreements, or Notices; according to the Terms, Stipulations, and the true and equitable Intent and Meaning thereof, notwithstanding the Repeal of the said Three first-recited Acts.

Books under former Acts to be Evidence, and shall be delivered to the Trustees under this Act.

V. And be it further enacted, That all and every Book and Books of the Proceedings of the respective Trustees in execution of the said Three first-recited Acts hereby repealed, relating to the said Two Districts of Roads therein described respectively, or of any Act then in force, and made Evidence thereby, shall be admitted in Evidence in all Courts, and by all Judges, Justices, and others; and all such Books, and all Books of Accounts of Receipts and Disbursements relating to the said Two Districts of Roads, kept, had, or made under the said Three first-recited Acts, and all Books for registering Mortgages or Assignments made in pursuance thereof, and all other Books, Papers, Writings, or other Things relating to the said Two several Districts of Roads, shall be delivered over by all and every Person and Persons having the Custody or Possession of the same to the respective Trustees for executing this Act, or as they shall direct; and the said Books, and every of them, shall at all seasonable Times be open to the Inspection of the respective Trustees and Creditors of the said Roads, without Fee or Reward; and the said Trustees and Creditors, or any of them, shall and may take Copies of or Extracts from the said Books, or any of them, or of any Part or Parts thereof, without paying for the same; and all and every Person and Persons who are, is, or have been employed, or who have or has received any Tolls or other Monies on account of the said Two Districts of Roads

Persons who have been employed under former

comprised

comprised in the said recited Acts hereby repealed, shall also account for and pay over the same and every Part thereof to the said Trustees for executing this Act, in like Manner and under the like Penalties as the several Collectors and other Persons receiving any Money by virtue of the said recited Acts of the Third and Fourth and Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of His said present Majesty, or this Act, are required to pay and account for the same.

Act to account to the Trustees under this Act.

VI. And be it further enacted, That each and every Treasurer who shall have been appointed consistently with the Provisions of the said recited Act passed in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, and each and every Clerk, Receiver, Collector, Surveyor, and other Officer appointed under or by virtue of the said Three first-recited Acts, for the said Districts respectively, shall hold and retain such their several and respective Offices and Employments until removed therefrom respectively by the said respective Trustees for executing this Act; and each and every such Treasurer, Clerk, Receiver, Collector, Surveyor, and other Officer, shall have the like Powers and Authorities for the Purposes of this Act, and for carrying the same into Execution, for the said respective Districts of Roads hereby directed to be amended and repaired, and shall be subject and liable to such Pains and Penalties, and to the like Powers of Removal, and to the like Rules and Regulations in all respects whatsoever, as if he or they had been appointed under or by virtue of this Act.

Former Officers to continue.

VII. And be it further enacted, That the said recited Act passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, and all and every the Powers, Provisions, Exemptions, Penalties, Forfeitures, Payments, Remedies, Matters, and Things therein contained, (save and except such Parts thereof as are varied, altered, or repealed,) and also the said recited Act passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, and all and every the Powers, Provisions, Exemptions, Penalties, Forfeitures, Payments, Remedies, Matters, and Things therein contained, (save and except such Parts thereof as are varied, altered, or repealed,) and also the said recited Act passed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, and the Power or Provision therein contained, and also the said recited Act passed in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, and all and every the Powers, Provisions, Directions, Penalties, Forfeitures, Payments, Remedies, Matters, and Things therein contained, (save and except such Parts thereof as are varied, altered, or repealed,) shall respectively be as good, valid, and effectual, for carrying this Act and the several and respective Purposes thereof into Execution, as if the same had respectively been repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this Act.

Provisions of General Turnpike Acts extended to this Act.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That all His Majesty's Justices of the Peace acting for the County of *Stafford* for the Time being, together with *Edward Anson*, *Frederick Anson* Clerk, *George Alsop*, *Henry Arnold*, the Honourable *William Bagot*, the Right Honourable Sir *Charles Bagot* Knight, the Honourable *Richard Bagot* Clerk, *Hugh Bailye* Clerk, *Richard Butler*, *James Bell*, *William Blurton*, *Robert Blurton*, *James Blair*, *Thomas Brindley*, *Thomas Bladon*, *Joseph Bladon*, *John*

Trustees for the First District.

John Bathew, the Honourable *Henry Manners Cavendish*, Sir *George Chetwynd* Baronet, *Francis Calvert*, *John Spurrier Calvert*, *Charles Chadwick*, *Hugo Malvesyn Chadwick*, *Charles Benjamin Charlewood* Clerk, *Henry Chinn*, *Michael Clewley*, *James Chapman*, *Thomas Earp*, *Henry Bond Fowler* Clerk, *Abraham Flint*, *William Flesher*, *Joseph Fox*, *John Fox*, *John French*, *Francis French*, *Thomas Godrich*, *William Godwin*, *Thomas Kirkpatrick Hall*, *John Hall*, *Robert John Harper*, *Thomas Hart*, *Thomas Hyde*, *John Hawthorn*, *Enoch Hand*, *Thomas Sneyd Kynnersley*, *Clement John Sneyd Kynnersley*, *Alexander Giles Kennedy* Doctor of Medicine, *Edward John Littleton*, *John Newton Lane*, *Richard Corbett Lawrence*, *Richard Levett* Clerk, *Charles Hugo Meynell*, *John Mott*, *William Towers Minors*, *Richard Minors*, *Henry Mountfort*, *Edward Lowndes Mallabar*, *Thomas Morley*, *Oldham Oldham*, *James Orton*, *Thomas Pickering*, *William Phillips*, *Thomas Phillips* the younger, of *Uttoxeter*, *Thomas Gnosall Parr*, *William Porter*, *Charles Barnes Robinson*, Sir *Thomas Cotton Sheppard* Baronet, *John Vere Smyth*, *William Summerland*, *John Salt*, the Right Honourable . . . *Talbot* commonly called Lord Viscount *Ingestrie*, *Herbert Taylor* Doctor of Medicine, *Michael Turner* the younger, the Honourable *George Charles Vernon*, the Honourable *Henry Vernon*, the Honourable *John Vernon* Clerk, *George Vernon*, Sir *Charles Wolsley* Baronet, Sir *Trevor Wheler* Baronet, *Mark Anthony Whyte*, *John Webb*, *George Webb*, and *Thomas Warner*, and their Successors, being duly qualified according to the Directions of the said recited Acts passed in the Third, Fourth, and Fifth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, shall be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for amending, widening, and keeping in repair the said Road from *High Bridges* to *Bradley Lane* in *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, called the First District, and for carrying this Act into Execution with respect to the said First District of Road.

Trustees for the Second District.

IX. And be it further enacted, That all His Majesty's Justices of the Peace acting for the County of *Stafford* for the Time being, together with *Frederick Anson* Clerk, *George Alsop*, *George Alsop* the younger, *William Arnold*, *Henry Arnold*, Sir *William Boothby* Baronet, *Ley Brooks* Clerk, *James Bell*, *William Blurton*, *Robert Blurton*, *James Blair*, *John Bill*, *German Buckston* Clerk, *Thomas Bingham* Clerk, *Paul Belcher* Clerk, *John Berresford*, *Richard Briddon*, *Thomas Bladon*, *Joseph Bladon*, the Honourable *Charles Butler Clarke*, the Honourable *Henry Manners Cavendish*, *John Douglas Cooper*, *Charles Benjamin Charlewood*, *Francis Calvert*, *John Spurrier Calvert*, *Michael Clewley*, *James Chapman*, *Davies Davenport*, *Thurstan Dale*, *Thomas Earp*, Sir *Henry Fitzherbert* Baronet, *William Fitzherbert*, *Richard Henry Fitzherbert*, *Henry Bond Fowler* Clerk, *Abraham Flint*, *Joseph Fox*, *John Fox*, *Francis French*, *Court Dewes Granville*, *William Greaves* Doctor of Medicine, *Charles Springel Greaves*, *Thomas Godrich*, *Thomas Kirkpatrick Hall*, *John Harrison*, *Charles Harland*, *Thomas Hart*, *John Hawthorn*, *Enoch Hand*, *Robert Hodgson*, *John Goodwin Johnson*, *Thomas Sneyd Kynnersley*, *Clement Sneyd Kynnersley*, *Godfrey Meynell*, *Henry Mountfort*, *Edward Lowndes Mallabar*, *Thomas Morley*, *Thomas Maskery*, *James Orton*, *John Phillips*, *John Burton Phillips*, *Robert Phillips*, *William Phillips*, *Thomas Phillips* the younger, of *Uttoxeter*, *William Porter*, *Jesse Watts Russell*, *Richard Riddlesden*,

Riddlesden, Sir *Thomas Cotton Sheppard* Baronet, *Daniel Smith*, *Herbert Taylor* Doctor of Medicine, the Honourable *George Charles Vernon*, the Honourable *Henry Vernon*, the Honourable *John Vernon* Clerk, *George Vernon*, Sir *Trevor Wheler* Baronet, *Mark Anthony Whyte*, *William Webster*, *William Webster* Clerk, *William Webb*, *William Webb* the younger, *John Webb*, *Robert Wood*, and *Thomas Warner*, and their Successors, being duly qualified according to the Directions of the said recited Acts passed in the Third, Fourth, and Fifth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, shall be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for amending, widening, and keeping in repair the said Road from the *Newcastle* Road at *Spath*, near *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, to the *Leek* Road at or near *Hanging Bridge* aforesaid, called the Second District, and for carrying this Act into Execution with respect to the said Second District of Road.

This Act not to interfere with new Line of Road at Hanging Bridge made under 7 G. 4. c. 79.

X. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall extend in anywise to hinder or interfere with a certain Deviation or new Line of Road directed to be made from or near *Hanging Bridge* aforesaid, under the Authority of an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act for more effectually repairing the Road from* Ashborne *in the County of* Derby *to* Leek *in the County of* Stafford, *and from* Ryecroft Gate *upon* Rushton Common *to* Congleton *in the County of* Chester.

Power to appoint additional Trustees.

XI. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the said respective Trustees, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, from Time to Time, at any of their Meetings to be holden in pursuance of this Act, to elect and appoint any Number of Persons, being duly qualified as directed by the said recited Acts of the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, not exceeding Three in the whole, in addition to the Number of Trustees herein respectively named and appointed for each of the said Districts, to be Trustees for the said respective Districts for the Purposes of this Act; and such Persons so elected and appointed shall be Trustees for the Purposes of this Act, and are hereby invested with the same Powers and Authorities for executing this Act as if they had been herein named.

First Meeting of Trustees for each District.

XII. And be it further enacted, That the said Trustees for the said First District shall hold their First Meeting at the Inn known by the Sign of the *White Hart and Star*, in the Town of *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, or in some other convenient House in *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, on the Third *Monday* next after the passing of this Act, or so soon after as conveniently may be; and the said Trustees for the said Second District shall hold their First Meeting at the Inn known by the Sign of the *Red Lion*, in the Town of *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, or at some other convenient House in *Uttoxeter* aforesaid, on the Third *Tuesday* next after the passing of this Act, or so soon after as conveniently may be; and the said Trustees respectively may then and from Time to Time afterwards adjourn themselves to meet at such Place or Places, upon or near such respective Districts of Roads, as

Power to adjourn Meetings.

as they the said Trustees shall from Time to Time think most convenient.

Toll Gates, &c. may be continued, erected, or removed.

XIII. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the said Trustees of the said respective Districts of Roads hereby directed to be amended and repaired, if they respectively shall think proper, to continue all and every or any of the Toll Gates or Turnpikes and Toll Houses now standing and being in or upon or across the Roads in the said respective Districts, or on the Sides thereof, or any Part thereof; and also to erect and set up or build, or cause to be erected, set up, and built, upon, in, or across the said respective Districts of Roads, or either of them, or on the Sides thereof, or any Part thereof respectively, when, where, and as they shall judge necessary, any Toll Gate or Toll Gates, Turnpike or Turnpikes, Weighing Machine or Weighing Machines, and also One or more Toll House or Toll Houses, with Outhouses and Conveniences suitable thereto, at or near each such Turnpike or Weighing Machine, and to take in and inclose on the Sides of the said respective Districts of Roads suitable Garden Spots for the same respectively, not exceeding One Eighth Part of a Statute Acre to each, as they shall think necessary; and also from Time to Time to alter or take down and discontinue the same, or any of them, as they the said respective Trustees shall think proper, and direct or appoint.

Power to take Tolls.

XIV. And be it further enacted, That (subject to the Provisions, Restrictions, and Exemptions in this Act, and in the said recited Acts passed in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, contained,) there shall be respectively demanded and taken at each and every such Toll Gate and Turnpike, Bar or Chain, now set up and continued, or which shall hereafter be set up or continued, upon, across, and by the Side of the said respective Districts of Roads hereby directed to be amended and repaired, or either of them, by each and every such Person and Persons as the said respective Trustees shall from Time to Time, by virtue of this Act, continue or appoint to receive the same, and on each and every Day (such Day to be computed from Twelve of the Clock at Night to Twelve of the Clock in the next succeeding Night), before any Horse, Cattle, Beast, or Carriage shall be permitted to pass through any such Toll Gate or Turnpike, the several and respective Tolls following; (that is to say,)

Tolls.

For every Horse, Pair of Oxen or Bullocks, and every other Beast, drawing any Coach, Stage Coach, Landau, Barouche, Chariot, Chaise, Landaulet, Phaeton, Hearse, Curricle, Chair, Gig, Caravan, Van, Taxed Cart, or other such Carriage, the Sum of Sixpence:

For every Horse, Pair of Oxen or Bullocks, and every other Beast, drawing any Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other such Carriage, with Wheels of the Breadth of Six Inches or more on the Soles thereof, the Sum of Four-pence; and with Wheels of the Breadth of Four and a Half Inches or more, and less than Six Inches, on the Soles thereof the Sum of Five-pence; and with Wheels of the Breadth of Three Inches or more, and less than Four and a Half Inches, on the Soles thereof, the Sum of Sixpence; and with Wheels of less

less Breadth than Three Inches on the Soles thereof, the Sum of Eight-pence:

For every Horse or other Beast of Burthen, laden or unladen, and not drawing, the Sum of One Penny:

For every Drove of Oxen, Cows, or other Neat Cattle, the Sum of Ten-pence *per* Score, and so in proportion for any less Number than a Score:

For every Drove of Calves, Swine, Sheep, or Lambs, the Sum of Five-pence *per* Score, and so in proportion for any less Number than a Score:

Which said several and respective Tolls or Sums of Money shall be and are hereby vested in the said Trustees respectively, and shall be applied for the Purposes of this Act in manner hereby directed.

Toll to be paid but at One Gate in each District on the same Day.

XV. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That no more than One full Toll in the whole shall be demanded or taken from any Person or Persons, for passing and repassing in each of the said Districts respectively, with the same Horses, Cattle, Beasts, or Carriages, through all the Toll Gates or Turnpikes erected or to be erected by virtue of the said recited Acts hereby repealed, or this Act, in one and the same Day (to be computed from Twelve of the Clock at Night to Twelve of the Clock in the next succeeding Night); but all and every Person and Persons, having paid the said One Toll, and producing a Note or Ticket, Notes or Tickets, denoting the Payment of such Toll, (and which Notes or Tickets the Collectors of the Tolls are hereby required to give *gratis* on the Receipt of such Toll,) shall be permitted to pass and repass during the same Day, to be computed as aforesaid, through all and every the said Toll Gates or Turnpikes within the same District, without being liable to pay any more or other Tolls, for or in respect of such Horses, Cattle, Beasts, or Carriages, than as aforesaid.

Lime for Land to pay Half Toll.

XVI. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That One Half of the said Tolls hereby authorized, and no more, shall be demanded or taken in either of the said Districts, for or in respect of the Carriage of Lime for the Improvement of Land; any Act or Acts of Parliament to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

Stage Coaches, &c. to pay every Time of passing.

XVII. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That the Tolls hereby made payable for and in respect of Horses or Beasts drawing any Stage Coach, Diligence, Van, Caravan, Cart, Stage Waggon, or other Stage Carriage, conveying Passengers or Goods for Hire or Reward, shall be payable and paid every Time of their passing or repassing along the said respective Roads.

Post Chaises, &c. on every new Hiring.

XVIII. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That the Tolls hereby made payable for and in respect of Horses or Beasts let out to hire, and drawing any Post Chaise or other Carriage, shall be payable and paid every Time of their passing along the said respective Roads, whenever any new Hiring thereof shall take place.

Application of Tolls and Money borrowed.

XIX. And be it further enacted, That the said several and respective Tolls, Duties, and other Monies collected and received, or to be collected

collected and received, under or by virtue of the said herein-before recited Acts, or any of them, or of this Act, together with the Monies which shall be borrowed on the Credit thereof, shall be applied by the Trustees of the said respective Districts, in the first place, in paying and discharging all the Costs, Charges, and Expences relative to the obtaining and passing of this Act, in equal Moieties, together with Interest for the same; and in the next place, in paying and discharging the floating Debt, and all Sums of Money (if any) which shall be due and owing for Land purchased or taken for widening and improving the said Roads respectively, and for Damages done in getting Materials, and for Rent of Quarries taken and used for the Repair and Improvement of the said Roads, and in the necessary Expences from Time to Time of erecting or repairing Toll Gates, Toll Houses, Mile Stones, and in Payment of the Salaries of Officers and other Expences incidental to the Execution of this Act; and afterwards in keeping down the Interest of the Principal Monies borrowed and now due and owing, and to be borrowed or become due and owing, on the Credit of the Tolls of the said Two Districts respectively; and then in repairing, widening, improving, and keeping in repair the said Roads respectively; and shall apply the Overplus of such Tolls and other Monies in and towards the Reduction of the said Principal Monies borrowed and to be borrowed, and which shall be due and owing on the Credit of the Tolls of the said Districts respectively, and that without Preference or Priority, except with the Consent of the Creditors waiving the same.

Not to repair Streets, &c. in Uttoxeter.

XX. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to empower the said Trustees to lay out or apply any of the Money raised by the Tolls hereby granted, or borrowed on the Credit thereof, in paving or repairing any Highway or Street in the Town of *Uttoxeter*.

Public Act.

XXI. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and others, without being specially pleaded.

Term of Act.

XXII. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall commence and take effect from the Third *Monday* next after the passing thereof, and shall continue and be in force for and during the Term of Twenty-one Years, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament.

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