1.—(1.) Upon the occurrence of a vacancy in the office of county surveyor in a county appearing to consist of two ridings or divisions in Schedule (A.) of the County Surveyors, &c. (Ireland) Act, 1861, the Lord Lieutenant may, subject to the approval of the grand jury of the county, appoint one person to hold the office of county surveyor for both ridings or divisions of the county. Appointment of county surveyors in certain counties. 24 & 25 Vict. c. 63.

(2.) The annual salary payable to any county surveyor holding such office shall be such as the grand jury may by resolution determine, not exceeding the sum of six hundred pounds, and the provisions of section five of the said Act of 1861 shall apply to any such resolution and to the presentment for and payment of such annual salary. 24 & 25 Vict c. 63.

2. This Act may be cited as the County Surveyors (Ireland) Act, 1893, and shall extend to Ireland only. Short title and extent.

CHAPTER 50.

An Act to amend the Provisions as to Payments for Light Railways in Ireland. [22nd September 1893.]

WHEREAS by the Light Railways (Ireland) Act, 1889, and the Acts amending the same, the Treasury are authorised to pay for the purpose of light and other railways in Ireland annual sums not exceeding in the aggregate twenty thousand pounds a year, in addition to the residue, if any, for the time being remaining unappropriated of the sum of forty thousand pounds a year mentioned in the ninth section of the Tramways and Public Companies (Ireland) Act, 1883, and by section four of the Public Accounts and Charges Act, 1891, provision is made for commuting these annual payments: 52 & 53 Vict. c. 66. 46 & 47 Vict. c. 43. 54 & 55 Vict. c. 24.

And whereas liabilities have been incurred under those Acts to an amount which, if payable in full, may exceed by not more than five thousand pounds per annum the payments which the Treasury were thereby empowered to make, and it is expedient to make provision for the discharge of those liabilities:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. Sub-section one of section six of the Light Railways (Ireland) Act, 1889, and section four of the Public Accounts and Charges Act, 1891, shall have effect as if the words "twenty-five thousand pounds" were therein substituted for the words "twenty thousand pounds." Increase of grant for light railways. 52 & 53 Vict. c. 66. 54 & 55 Vict. c. 24.

2. This Act may be cited as the Light Railways (Ireland) Act, 1893. Short title.