(2.) The Treasury may, in the manner and subject to the limitations provided by Part Two of the Public Works Loans (Ireland) Act, 1877, borrow the sum authorised by this section to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund, or any part of that sum.

PART III.

Grant of Money for Irish Land Commission.

Grant of 500,000*l.* to Land Commission. 44 & 45 Vict. c. 49. 46 & 47 Vict. c. 43.

4. (1.) For the purpose of advances or of purchases of estates by the Irish Land Commission under the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, and under the Tramways and Public Companies (Ireland) Act, 1883, any sum or sums, not exceeding in the whole the sum of five hundred thousand pounds, may be issued out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom, or the growing produce thereof, in manner provided by the said Acts, and such sums may be issued during the period ending on the day on which a further Act providing money for the purpose of such advances or purchases comes into operation.

(2.) The Treasury may, in the manner and subject to the limitations provided by the said Acts, borrow the sum authorised by this section to be issued out of the Consolidated Fund, or any part of that sum.

CHAPTER 50.

An Act further to amend the Acts relating to the raising of Money by the Metropolitan Board of Works; and for other purposes. [7th August 1884.]

WHEREAS by the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1875, (in this Act referred to as "the Act of 1875,") the raising of money by the Metropolitan Board of Works (in this Act referred to as "the Board") for the purposes therein specified was regulated, and provision was made requiring that the borrowing powers granted to the Board by Parliament for the purposes therein named, should for the future be limited both in time and amount:

And whereas by the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Act, 1883, (in this Act referred to as "the Act of 1883,") the Board were empowered to raise certain sums of money for the purposes in the said Act mentioned, and limits of time and amount within which the powers by the said Act granted might be exercised were fixed:

And whereas the powers for the raising of money by the Act of 1383 conferred upon the Board have been partially exercised, but it is expedient that the Board should have power to raise certain further sums of money specified in the First Schedule to this Act annexed for the purposes, upon the terms, and subject to the limitations herein-after mentioned, and that the Act of 1883 should be amended:

And whereas it is expedient that the Board should be empowered to apply for the purpose of certain Loans by the Board under this Act, any moneys for the time being forming part of the Consolidated Loans Fund, and not required for the payments of the dividends on Consolidated Stock:

And whereas it is expedient that the Board should be empowered to raise any of the moneys which they are by this Act authorised to raise, and which it may be convenient to raise for a temporary period by the issue of bills, with the consent of the Treasury, for not less than three and not more than twelve months to be repaid out of moneys raised by the creation of Consolidated Stock under this Act:

And whereas the payments by the Board, up to the 31st December 1883, for the purposes of the Fire Brigade Act, 1865, exceeded by the sum of seven thousand two hundred and twenty-two pounds nineteen shillings and eight pence, the amount of the moneys authorised to be raised by means of the Consolidated Rate, under the authority and subject to the limitations of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1869, and of the moneys received by the Board towards their expenses for the said purposes and the said sum was advanced by the Board out of other moneys in hand and it is expedient that such payments be sanctioned and confirmed and that the Board should be authorised to transfer to the Fire Brigade Account a sum of seven thousand two hundred and twenty-two pounds nineteen shillings and eight pence from the balance in their hands of rate raised for general purposes:

And whereas it is expedient to amend the Acts regulating the sale of superfluous lands by the Board, and to make such provisions with respect to the sale of such lands by the Board as are in this Act contained:

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:

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Act, 1884, and the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Acts, 1875 to 1883, and this Act, may be cited together as the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Acts, 1875 to 1884.

Construction of Act.

2. This Act shall be read and have effect as one with the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Acts, 1869 to 1871, and the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Acts, 1875 to 1883.

Interpretation.

3. The expression "Parks and Open Spaces Acts" in this Act shall mean the enactments specified in the Second Schedule to this Act annexed.

The expression "Main Drainage Acts" in this Act shall have the same meaning as is assigned to the same term in the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1869.

Amendment of 46 & 47 Vict. c. 27. s. 11.

4. Section eleven of the Act of 1883 shall be read and construed as if the sums which the Board was thereby authorised to lend to Boards of Guardians had been limited to a sum not exceeding three hundred thousand pounds instead of two hundred thousand pounds.

Amendment of 46 & 47 Vict. c. 27. s. 12.

5. Section twelve of the Act of 1883 shall be read and construed as if the sums which the Board was thereby authorised to lend to the managers of the Metropolitan Asylum District had been thereby limited to sums not exceeding in the whole one hundred and fifty thousand pounds instead of fifty thousand pounds.

Power to expend moneys for purposes of

6. The Board may from time to time, up to the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five expend

for the purposes herein-after mentioned, such moneys as they may think fit, not exceeding the amounts limited in relation to such purposes respectively.

Metropolitan Board of Works (Bridges) Act, 1884, the Metropolitan Board of Works (Various) Powers Act, 1884, the Metropolitan Commons Supplemental Act, 1884, and the Metropolitan Board of Works (District Railway Ventilators) Acts, 1883 and 1884.

For the purposes of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Bridges) Act, 1884, if it becomes law, thirty-one thousand pounds;

For the purposes of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Act, 1884, if it becomes law, sixty-five thousand pounds;

For the purposes of the Metropolitan Commons Supplemental Act, 1884, one thousand pounds; and

For the purposes of the Metropolitan Board of Works (District Railway Ventilators) Act, 1883, and the Metropolitan Board of Works (District Railway Ventilators) Act, 1884, if it becomes law, fifteen thousand pounds:

Provided always, that the money to be raised and the consolidated stock to be created by the Board for the purposes mentioned in this section shall be raised and created by them from time to time in such amounts and at such times only as the Board shall actually require and as the Treasury shall approve for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the said Acts respectively in a proper and efficient manner.

Power to expend moneys for sundry purposes during year 1885.

7. The Board may from time to time during the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five expend for the purposes herein-after mentioned, such moneys as they may think fit, not exceeding the amounts limited in relation to such purposes respectively:

(*a.*) For the purposes of providing station-houses, fire-engines, fire-escapes, and permanent plant for the purposes of the Fire Brigade Act, 1865, thirty-five thousand pounds; 28 & 29 Vict. c. 90.

(*b.*) For the purposes of the Parks and Open Spaces Acts, fifteen thousand pounds;

(*c.*) For the purposes of the Metropolis Toll Bridges Act, 1877, including the cost of certain special works for the maintenance and repair of certain of the bridges acquired by the Board under the said Act, and the commutation of pensions, twenty thousand pounds; 40 & 41 Vict. c. xcix.

(*d.*) For the purposes of the Metropolitan Bridges Act, 1881, one hundred and seventy-two thousand pounds, provided that the moneys expended by the Board under the authority of this sub-section shall not, together with all moneys previously expended by the Board for the said purposes, exceed seven hundred and sixty thousand pounds; 44 & 45 Vict. c. cxcii.

(*e.*) For the purposes of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Bridges, &c.) Act, 1883, ninety thousand pounds, provided that the moneys expended by the Board under the authority of this sub-section shall not, together with all moneys previously expended by the Board for the said purposes, exceed one hundred and thirty-four thousand pounds;

(*f.*) For the purposes of the Thames River (Prevention of Floods) Act, 1879, five thousand pounds, or such further sum as the Treasury may approve; 42 & 43 Vict. c. cxcviii.

(*g.*) For the purposes of schemes made by the Board under the authority of the Artizans and Labourers Dwellings Improvement Act, 1875, or the Artizans and Labourers Dwellings 38 & 39 Vict. c. 36.

Improvement Acts, 1875 to 1882, and confirmed by Provisional Order and Act of Parliament, seventy thousand pounds, or such further sum as the Treasury may approve;

40 & 41 Vict. c. ccxxxv.

(*h.*) For the purposes of the Metropolitan Street Improvements Act, 1877, four hundred and ten thousand pounds, or such further sum as the Treasury may approve, provided that the moneys expended by the Board under the authority of this sub-section, together with all moneys previously expended by the Board for the said purposes, may exceed the amount of three millions seven hundred and twelve thousand five hundred and seven pounds, limited by the Act of 1883, but shall not exceed four million one hundred and ninety-three thousand five hundred and seven pounds;

46 & 47 Vict. c. clxxviii.

(*i.*) For the purposes of the Metropolitan Street Improvements Act, 1883, two hundred thousand pounds provided that the moneys expended by the Board under the authority of this sub-section shall not together with all money previously expended by the Board for the said purposes exceed seven hundred and eighty-two thousand seven hundred pounds;

18 & 19 Vict. c. 120. 25 & 26 Vict. c. 102.

(*k.*) For the purposes mentioned in section one hundred and forty-four of the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, and section seventy-two of the Metropolis Management Amendment Act, 1862, and for the purposes of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Act, 1882, one hundred thousand pounds:

Provided always, that the moneys to be expended and the consolidated stock to be created by the Board for the purposes mentioned in this section respectively shall be raised and created by them from time to time in such amounts and at such times only as the Board shall actually require and as the Treasury shall approve for the said purposes respectively.

Special power to expend money for purposes of main drainage and main sewers.

8. The Board may from time to time up to the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, expend, for the purpose of adding to, extending, enlarging, improving, and completing the works authorised by the Main Drainage Acts, and for rendering the same efficient in such manner as to them may seem proper, and for extending, enlarging, and improving the main sewers transferred to and vested in the Board under and by virtue of the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, and for making such other sewers and works, and such alterations and diversions of such existing main sewers, as may to them seem proper for the purpose of relieving, supplementing, and rendering such main sewers efficient, and for carrying into effect the several provisions in relation thereto mentioned in the said Acts, such moneys as they may think fit, not exceeding two hundred and ninety thousand pounds, in addition to any moneys which they are authorised to expend under any Acts passed previously to the passing of this Act; and all the provisions of the Main Drainage Acts and the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, and the Acts altering or amending the same, for the time being in force relating to the execution of works authorised by the said Acts respectively shall continue in force, and shall extend and apply respectively to the works executed by means of money raised for the purposes of this section; and all stock created under the

authority of this Act for such purposes shall be deemed to be created for the purposes of the above-mentioned Acts respectively.

Power to lend to vestries, district boards, corporations, burial boards, &c.

9. Where a vestry or district board constituted under the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, desire, in pursuance of authority vested in them by Act of Parliament, to borrow money for the purpose of any work, or for the purpose of paying off any loan or debt, or for any other purpose, and it appears to the Board and to the Treasury expedient that the repayment of the money to be borrowed shall be spread over a series of years, then from time to time during the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five the Board may lend to the vestry or district board, and the vestry or district board may borrow from the Board, such money as the Board think fit, and as the vestry or district board are authorised and desire to borrow, not exceeding two hundred thousand pounds; and

Where any corporation, body of commissioners, burial board, or other public body (not being a vestry or district board constituted under the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, a board of guardians, the Managers of the Metropolitan Asylum District, or the School Board for London), having power to levy directly or indirectly rates in respect of lands in the metropolis, as defined in the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, or to make charges on rates leviable in the metropolis as so defined, or to take within the metropolis as so defined dues or impositions in the nature of rates, desire, in pursuance of authority vested in them by Act of Parliament, to borrow money for the purpose of any work, or for the purpose of paying off any loan or debt, or for any other purpose, and it appears to the Board and to the Treasury expedient that the repayment of the money to be borrowed shall be spread over a series of years, then from time to time during the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five the Board may lend to the corporation, commissioners, burial board, or other public body, and they may borrow from the Board, such money as the Board think fit, and as the corporation, commissioners, burial board, or other public body are authorised and desire to borrow, not exceeding one hundred thousand pounds.

Money lent by the Board under this section shall, notwithstanding anything in any other Act, be repaid to them, with interest, within such time after the borrowing as the Board and the borrowers with the approval of the Treasury agree: Provided that the time after the borrowing within which such moneys shall be repaid to the Board shall not exceed in the case of a loan for purposes of improvements effected by the widening of streets or bridges, or for the purpose of purchase of land in fee simple, sixty years, and for any other purpose thirty years. Provided further that nothing in section twelve of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Act, 1879; in section eleven of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Act, 1880; in section fifteen of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Act, 1881; in section thirteen of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Money) Act, 1882; in section ten of the Act of 1883, or in this section, shall be deemed to have prevented or to prevent the Board from agreeing that any such loan as is in the said sections respectively mentioned, and which has been or may be made by the Board to any vestry

or district board, shall be repaid by such instalments or otherwise, and at such time or times (not exceeding the times by the said sections respectively prescribed) as the Board may think fit and the Treasury may approve.

Power to lend to boards of guardians. 18 & 19 Vict. c. 120.

10. Where a board of guardians of a union or parish wholly or for the greater part in the metropolis as defined in the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, desire, in pursuance of authority vested in them, to borrow money for the purpose of any work, or for the purpose of paying off any loan or debt, or for any other purpose, and it appears to the Board and to the Treasury expedient that the repayment of the money to be borrowed shall be spread over a series of years, then from time to time during the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five the Board may lend to the board of guardians, and the board of guardians may borrow from the Board, such money as the Board think fit, and as the board of guardians are authorised and desire to borrow, not exceeding two hundred thousand pounds.

Money lent by the Board under this section shall, notwithstanding anything in any other Act, be repaid to them, with interest, within such time after the borrowing as the Board and the borrowers with the approval of the Treasury agree, not exceeding thirty years.

Extension of amount of loans to the Managers of Metropolitan Asylum District.

30 & 31 Vict. c. 6.

11. The Board may from time to time during the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five lend to the Managers of the Metropolitan Asylum District, in addition to the sums heretofore authorised to be lent by the Board to the said Managers, such sums as the said Managers are from time to time authorised by the Local Government Board to borrow in pursuance of the Metropolitan Poor Act, 1867, and any Acts altering or amending the same for the time being in force, not exceeding in the whole one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, as though the said sums were included in the amount authorised to be lent for such purposes by section thirty-seven of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1869, and the Acts amending the same.

Power to lend to School Board for London. 33 & 34 Vict. c. 75. 36 & 37 Vict. c. 86.

12. The Board may from time to time during the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five lend to the School Board for London, in accordance with the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and any Act or Acts altering or amending the same for the time being in force, such sums as the said School Board are from time to time authorised to borrow by the Education Department in pursuance of the said Acts, not exceeding in the whole the sum of seven hundred thousand pounds.

The moneys so lent by the Board shall be repaid to them by the said School Board, with interest, within such period not exceeding fifty years as may be agreed upon between the Board and the said School Board with the sanction of the Education Department, subject to the approval of the Treasury.

Power to raise consolidated stock.

13. In order to raise money for the several purposes for which the Board are by this Act authorised to expend or lend money, the Board may from time to time create consolidated stock. Provided always, that—

Where the Board under the authority of this Act create consolidated stock to raise money for the purpose of the Fire Brigade Act, 1865, or to enable them to make a loan repayable within thirty years from the date of such loan, the Board shall from time to time carry to the consolidated loans fund such sums as the Treasury approve as being in their opinion sufficient to redeem within the period of thirty years from the date of the creation of such stock, or in the case of any such loan within any lesser period for which the same may be made, an amount of consolidated stock equal to that so created; and

Where the Board are by this Act authorised to make a loan, the Board, instead of raising money for any such loan by the creation of consolidated stock, may use for any such loan any moneys for the time being forming part of the consolidated loans fund, and not required for the payments of the dividends on consolidated stock. Provided that no such moneys shall be used for any such loan which shall be repayable at any date later than the date at which such moneys will be required by the Board to pay off consolidated stock; and

Where the Board raise consolidated stock for the purpose of any scheme made by the Board under the authority of the Artizans and Labourers Dwellings Improvement Act, 1875, or the Artizans and Labourers Dwellings Improvement Acts, 1875 to 1882, and confirmed by Provisional Order and Act of Parliament, there shall be repaid (as provided by the Artizans and Labourers Dwellings Improvement Act, 1875,) to the consolidated rate out of the local rate as defined by the said last-mentioned Act, all moneys required for payment of dividends on and the redemption of all consolidated stock created for such purpose.

Ratification of Board's expenditure for fire brigade purposes.

14. The payment by order of the Board for the purposes of the Fire Brigade Act, 1865, up to the thirty-first December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, of sums amounting in the whole to the sum of seven thousand two hundred and twenty-two pounds nineteen shillings and eightpence, in excess of the amount of the moneys authorised to be raised and raised by means of the consolidated rate under the authority and subject to the limitations of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1869, and of the moneys received by the Board towards their expenses for the said purposes is hereby sanctioned and confirmed; and the Board is authorised to transfer to the Fire Brigade account a sum of seven thousand two hundred and twenty-two pounds nineteen shillings and eightpence from the balance in their hands of rate raised for general purposes.

Board may raise money by bills.

15. Notwithstanding anything in this Act or in any other Act relating to the Board contained, the Board, with the consent of the Treasury, may from time to time as they think fit raise any part of the moneys which they are by this Act authorised to raise, not exceeding in the whole the sum of five hundred thousand pounds, by the issue of bills under this Act.

Form and length of currency and interest on metropolitan bills.

16. A bill under this Act (in this Act referred to as a "metropolitan bill") shall be a bill in form prescribed by a regulation made in pursuance of this Act for the payment of the principal sum named therein, in the manner and at the date therein mentioned, so

that the date be not less than three nor more than twelve months from the date of the bill.

Interest shall be payable in respect of a metropolitan bill at such rate and in such manner as the Board with the consent of the Treasury may direct.

Payment and applications of proceeds of metropolitan bills and charge of bills on consolidated rate.

17. All moneys raised by the issue of any metropolitan bills shall be paid to the Board, and shall be expended by them for the purposes for which the same are by this Act authorised to be raised respectively. The principal money and interest expressed in any metropolitan bill to be payable shall be charged on the consolidated rate, and shall be payable out of the said rate, or as regards principal out of moneys raised by the creation of consolidated stock under this Act for the purpose for which such principal money has been expended, and as regards interest out of the consolidated loans fund.

Sections 18 & 19 and 21 & 22 of the Act of 1883 to apply to metropolitan bills under this Act.

18. The provisions contained in sections eighteen and nineteen and sections twenty-one and twenty-two of the Act of 1883, with respect to metropolitan bills as defined by that Act, shall extend and apply with respect to metropolitan bills as defined by this Act, and for the purpose of such application the expressions "Metropolitan Bill" and "this Act" in the said sections, shall be construed to mean respectively metropolitan bill as defined by this Act and this Act.

Power to create consolidated stock partially suspended while metropolitan bills authorised to be raised.

19. For the purpose of paying off the principal money payable in respect of metropolitan bills the Board may raise any sum which they are by this Act empowered to raise by the creation of consolidated stock for the purposes for which such principal money has been expended not exceeding the amount of such principal money, but save as aforesaid the powers given to the Board by this Act to raise moneys for any purposes by the creation of consolidated stock shall be suspended to the amounts and for the periods to and for which moneys are for the time being authorised by the Treasury to be raised for such purposes respectively by the issue of metropolitan bills.

32 & 33 Vict. c. 102. s. 38. not to extend to money raised under this Act.

20. The limitation on the borrowing power of the Board contained in section thirty-eight of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1869, shall not extend to moneys raised by the Board for purposes mentioned in this Act.

Repayments to be carried to consolidated loans fund.

21. All sums received by the Board in respect of interest on or principal of any loan made by them under this Act shall be carried to the consolidated loans fund.

Limit to exercise of borrowing powers.

22. During the year ending the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five the Board shall not (except for such temporary period, not exceeding six months, as the Treasury may from time to time sanction) raise otherwise than in conformity with and to the extent mentioned in this Act any money under any powers of borrowing conferred upon the Board either by this Act or any other Act whatsoever: Provided always, that the limitations contained in this section shall not extend to limit or control the raising of moneys under the authority of section thirty-four of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1869, or of section eight of the Metropolitan Board of Works (Loans) Act, 1875, for the purposes in the said sections respectively mentioned.

38 & 39 Vict. c. 65.

As to sale of superfluous lands.

23. Notwithstanding anything in any Act of Parliament contained the prescribed period within which the Board shall absolutely sell and dispose of any lands acquired by the Board for the purposes of any street improvement or widening, or for the purposes of any approach to any bridge, and not required for such purposes under any Act of Parliament passed before the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, shall be the sixth day of October one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine, and as to any Act of Parliament passed in or subsequently to the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one shall be the first day of February one thousand nine hundred and forty-one, being the respective dates at which the consolidated stocks raised to defray the expenses of the Board in carrying into effect the said purposes, are respectively by law required to be redeemed. Provided always, that the Board may sell and dispose of any such superfluous lands at any time within the respective periods herein-before prescribed. All moneys received by the Board from the sale or disposition of such superfluous lands shall (except where otherwise specially provided by any Act) be carried by the Board to the Consolidated Loans Fund.

GENERAL POST OFFICE SOLICITOR'S DEPARTMENT

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

NEW MONEY POWERS CONFERRED IN THIS ACT.

Section of Act.		Purpose.	Amount. £	s.	d.
		SUPPLEMENTAL UP TO 31ST DECEMBER 1884.			
4		Loans to Guardians (amount already sanctioned, 200,000*l.*)	100,000	0	0
5		Loans to Managers of Metropolitan Asylum District (amount already sanctioned, 50,000*l.*)	100,000	0	0
		UP TO 31ST DECEMBER 1885.			
6		Metropolitan Board of Works (Bridges) Act, 1884	31,000	0	0
		Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Act, 1884	65,000	0	0
		Metropolitan Commons Supplemental Act, 1884	1,000	0	0
		Metropolitan Board of Works (District Railway Ventilators) Acts, 1883 and 1884	15,000	0	0
		1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER 1885.			
7	(*a*)	Fire Brigade	35,000	0	0
	(*b*)	Parks, commons, and open spaces	15,000	0	0
	(*c*)	Bridges, including Commutation of Pensions (Act, 1877)	20,000	0	0
	(*d*)	Bridges (Act, 1881)	172,000	0	0
	(*e*)	Bridges (Act, 1883) including freeing of East and West Ferry Roads	90,000	0	0
	(*f*)	Thames River Prevention of Floods	5,000	0	0
	(*g*)	Artizans' Dwellings	70,000	0	0
	(*h*)	Streets under Act of 1877	410,000	0	0
	(*i*)	Streets under Act of 1883, including freeing footbridges over canal	200,000	0	0
	(*k*)	Improvements under the Metropolis Management Act, 1855, the Metropolis Management Amendment Act, 1862, and the Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Act, 1882	100,000	0	0

Section of Act.	Purpose.				Amount.		
					£	s.	d.
8	Main Drainage				290,000	0	0
9	Loans to vestries and district boards				200,000	0	0
	Loans to other public bodies				100,000	0	0
10	Loans to Guardians				200,000	0	0
11	Loans to Managers of Metropolitan Asylum District				150,000	0	0
12	Loans to School Board for London				700,000	0	0
	AMOUNTS included above which are re-grants of borrowing power previously granted:	£	s.	d.			
7 (*a*)	Fire Brigade	25,689	0	0			
(*b*)	Parks, commons, and open spaces	10,284	0	0			
(*c*)	Bridges Act, 1877	20,000	0	0			
(*d*)	Bridges Act, 1881	136,466	0	0			
(*e*)	Bridges Act, 1883	90,000	0	0			
(*f*)	Thames River, Prevention of Floods	5,000	0	0			
(*g*)	Artizans' Dwellings	11,675	0	0			
(*h*)	Streets Act, 1877	286,298	0	0			
(*i*)	Streets Act, 1883	200,000	0	0			
(*k*)	Improvements under Metropolis Management Act, 1855, Metropolis Management Amendment Act, 1862, and Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Act, 1882	73,020	0	0			
8	Main Drainage	69,598	0	0			
9	Loans to vestries and district boards	10,500	0	0			
	Loans to other public bodies	26,500	0	0			
10	Loans to Guardians	1,600	0	0			
11	Loans to Managers of Metropolitan Asylum District	14,500	0	0			
					981,130	0	0
	New borrowing powers—						
	For Board £ 590,970 0 0						
	For Loans 1,496,900 0 0				2,087,870	0	0

SECOND SCHEDULE.

PARKS AND OPEN SPACES ACTS.

The Finsbury Park Act, 1857, 20 & 21 Vict. c. cl.
„ Southwark Park Act, 1864, 27 Vict. c. iv.
„ Gardens in Towns Protection Act, 1863, 26 Vict. c. 13.
„ Leicester Square Act, 1874, 37 Vict. c. x.
„ Metropolitan Open Spaces Act, 1877, 40 & 41 Vict. c. 35.
„ Metropolitan Commons Act, 1866, 29 & 30 Vict. c. 122.
„ „ „ „ Amendment Act, 1869, 32 & 33 Vict. c. 107.
„ „ „ „ 1878, 41 & 42 Vict. c. 71.
„ „ „ Supplemental Act, 1871 (Blackheath), 34 & 35 Vict. c. lvii.
„ „ „ „ „ 1871 (Shepherd's Bush), 34 & 35 Vict. c. lxiii.
„ „ „ „ „ 1872 (Hackney Commons), 35 & 36 Vict. c. xliii.
„ „ „ „ „ 1873 (Tooting Beck Common), 36 & 37 Vict. c. lxxxvi.
„ Metropolitan Board of Works Act, 1874 (Finsbury Park), 37 & 38 Vict. c. xcvii.
„ Metropolitan Board of Works (Various Powers) Act, 1875 (Tooting, Graveney Common, and Finsbury Park), 38 & 39 Vict. c. clxxix. s. 14.
„ Hampstead Heath Act, 1871, 34 & 35 Vict. c. lxxvii.
„ Metropolitan Commons Supplemental Act, 1877 (Clapham Common and Bostall Heath), 40 & 41 Vict. c. cci.

The Plumstead Common Act, 1878, 41 & 42 Vict. c. cxlv.
„ Wormwood Scrubs Act, 1879, 42 & 43 Vict. c. clx.
„ Metropolitan Commons Supplemental Act, 1881 (Brook Green, Eel Brook Common, &c.), 44 Vict. c. xviii.
„ Metropolitan Board of Works (Hackney Commons) Act, 1881, 44 & 45 Vict. c. cxlvii.
„ Metropolitan Open Spaces Act, 1881, 44 & 45 Vict. c. 34.
„ Various Powers Act, 1882 (Peckham Rye and Tooting Beck), 45 & 46 Vict. c. lvi.

CHAPTER 51.

An Act to remove doubts as to the powers of the Secretary of State in relation to the altering, enlarging, rebuilding, and building of Prisons, and appropriating any Building for a Prison. [7th August 1884.]

WHEREAS under the Prison Act, 1865, every prison authority had power to alter, enlarge, or rebuild any of its prisons, and to build other prisons in lieu of or in addition to any subsisting prisons, if the necessity so to do was shown, and the approval of the Secretary of State obtained, and the other conditions complied with, and doubts have arisen as to whether the Prison Act, 1877, enables the Secretary of State to exercise the said power, and it is expedient to remove such doubts: 28 & 29 Vict. c. 126. 40 & 41 Vict. c. 21.

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:

Construction and short title.

1. This Act shall be construed as one with the Prison Act, 1877.

This Act may be cited as the Prison Act, 1884, and this Act and the Prison Act, 1877, may be cited together as the Prison Acts, 1877 and 1884.

Explanation as to power of Secretary of State to enlarge and build new prisons.

2.—(1.) The Secretary of State, with the approval of the Treasury, may alter, enlarge, or rebuild any prison, and build any new prison which appears to be necessary, and for that purpose shall have all the powers conferred by the Prison Act, 1865, for the like purpose on a prison authority who had obtained the sanction of a Secretary of State.

(2.) The Secretary of State, in lieu of building, may by such declaration as herein-after mentioned, appropriate as a prison any suitable building or part of a building vested in him or under his control, including any prison for convicts under the superintendence of the directors of convict prisons which is situate in England.

(3.) The Secretary of State may from time to time declare that any building or part of a building built for or appropriated as a prison in pursuance of this Act shall, and the same accordingly shall, be a prison under the Prison Act, 1865, and the Prison Act, 1877, and be within the jurisdiction of the Prison Commissioners, and be a prison for the county and prison jurisdiction named in the declaration; such declaration may be at any time revoked by the Secretary of State, but while in force shall have full effect.

Provided that nothing in any such declaration shall alter the legal estate in any building.