CHAPTER 58.

An Act to make further provision respecting the contribution out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the expenses of the Police Force in the Metropolitan Police District, and elsewhere in Great Britain.

[7th August 1874.]

WHEREAS in pursuance of certain Acts annual sums, not exceeding the amount mentioned in those Acts, are contributed by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the expenses of the police force in the metropolitan police district, and elsewhere in Great Britain, and it is expedient to make further provision respecting such contributions: 19 & 20 Vict. c. 69. 20 & 21 Vict. c. 72. 31 & 32 Vict. c. 67.

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; (that is to say,)

1. This Act may be cited as the Police (Expenses) Act, 1874. Short title.

2. So much of any Act as limits the amount authorised to be contributed by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the expenses of any police force in Great Britain to a particular amount, or a particular proportion of any annual sum or charge specified in such Act, shall, during the continuance of this Act, be repealed. Repeal of limit on amount of contribution by Treasury to police force.

3. This Act shall continue in force until the first day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. Duration of Act.

CHAPTER 59.

An Act to facilitate the erection of Dwellings for Working Men on land belonging to Municipal Corporations. [7th August 1874.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to encourage the erection of dwelling-houses suitable for persons employed in manual labour, and to afford increased facilities for the acquisition of sites for such dwelling-houses:

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. This Act may be cited as The Working Men's Dwellings Act, 1874. Short title.

2. This Act shall not extend to Scotland or Ireland. Extent of Act.

3. In this Act— Interpretation of terms.

"Corporation" means a municipal corporation for the time being subject to the Act of the session of the fifth and sixth years of the reign of King William the Fourth (chapter seventy-six) "to provide for the regulation of Municipal Corporations "in England and Wales" (in this Act called the Municipal Corporations Act) acting by the council of the borough:

"Working-men's dwellings" means buildings suitable for the habitation of persons employed in manual labour and their families, but so that the use of part of a building for purposes of retail trade or other purposes, approved by a corporation, shall not prevent the building from being deemed a dwelling:

"The Treasury" means the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or two of them.