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GEORGII III. REGIS.

Cap. 58.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of Two Acts of His present Majesty, for repairing, widening, and altering the Road from *Crickhowell*, in the County of *Brecon*, to the *Cross Hands* beyond *New Inn*, in the Turnpike Road between the City of *Hereford* and *Ross*, and other Roads therein described. [18th *May* 1814.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, entitled, *An Act for amending, widening, and altering the Roads leading from* Crickhowell, *in the County of* Brecon, *to the* Cross Hands *beyond* New Inn, *in the Turnpike Road between the City of* Hereford *and* Ross; *and from a Place called* The Lower Crossways, *in the Parish of* Saint Maughan's, *to the Town of* Grosmount, *in the County of* Monmouth, *and from a Smith's Shop at* Stanton, *in the Parish of* Llanvihangell, *to* Chapel a Fine, *in the same County, and from the Turnpike Road on the Parish of* Welch Newton, *in the County of* Hereford, *to* Ponttanast, *in the Parish of* Cluddock, *in the said County*: And whereas another Act was passed in the Thirty-third Year of His present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for continuing the Term and varying the Powers of an Act of the Twelfth Year of His present Majesty, for amending, widening, and altering the Road from* Crickhowell *in the County of* Brecon, *to the* Cross Hands *beyond* New Inn, *in the Turnpike Road between the City of* Hereford *and* Ross, *and other Roads therein described, with respect to certain Parts of the Roads comprized in the said Act*: And whereas considerable Sums of Money have been borrowed, and are now due and owing on the Credit of the Tolls authorized to be col-

12 G. 3. c. 105.

33 G. 3. c. 154.

lected upon the said Roads, by virtue of the said recited Acts, and the Term granted and continued by the said Acts is near expiring, and the said Sums of Money cannot be paid off, nor can the said Roads be effectually amended, improved, and kept in Repair, unless the Term and Powers of the said Acts are enlarged: 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 recited Acts, and all the Clauses, Powers, Authorities, Trusts, Provisions, Directions, Rules, Exemptions, Penalties, Forfeitures, Remedies, Articles, Matters, and Things whatsoever therein respectively contained, and now in Force (except such as are varied, altered, or repealed,) shall be and are hereby further continued in full Force and Effect, and, together with this present Act, shall be put in Execution for the several Purposes hereby and thereby intended, for and during the Term hereinafter mentioned, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as if the said Acts, and every Part thereof respectively, were repeated and re-enacted in this Act; but subject, nevertheless, to the Alterations and Additions herein contained, and that this Act, and the additional Term hereby granted, shall be, and is, and are hereby declared to be subject and liable to the Payment of all Monies due on the Credit of the said recited Acts or either of them, or that shall hereafter be borrowed or become due on the Credit of the said recited Acts, or either of them, and this Act, and of all Interest due and to grow due thereon respectively.

Term continued.

II. And be it further enacted That, the Right Honourable the Lord *Southwell* of the Kingdom of *Ireland*, the Honourable *John Lindsay* late of *Blackbrook*, Sir *William Pilkington* late of *Hillston*, the Reverend Doctor *Trenchard*, the Reverend Doctor *Nicholas*, the Reverend *John Parry* of *Ewias Harrold*, the Reverend *Duncumb Davis* of *Monmouth*, the Reverend *John Morris* of *Rollstone*, the Reverend *John Rogers* of *Alterennis*, the Reverend *John George* of *Grossmont*, the Reverend *Adam Walker* of *Langua*, the Reverend *Probert* of *Langanen*, the Reverend *William Morgan* of *Lanvihangle*, the Reverend *John Williams*, the Reverend *John Duncumb* of *Abeydore* Clerks, *Thomas Croft* of *Lansaintfraed*, *Edward Bolton Clive* of *Whitfield*, *William Yanworth* of *Trerew*, *William Tompkins* of *Wormbridge*, *Thomas Hughes* of *Birches*, *James Jones* of *Hillston*, *Luntley Barnaby* late of *Lancilio*, *Thomas Raymond Symons* of the *Meend*, *Peter M'Kenzy* late of *Pontrylas*, *Daniel Davies* of *Graige*, *Joseph Pomfrey Austin* of *Pattyreal*, *William Robarts James* of *Grossmont*, *William Adams* of *Pontrylas*, *Charles Morgan* of the *Moors*, *Thomas Morgan* of *Garway*, *John Price* of *Corrass*, *Charles Trumper* of *Baynham*, *William Walwyn Trumper* of *Lawns*, *John Briggs* of *Blackbrook*, *William Jones* of *Corrass*, *John Adams* of *Pontrylas*, *Joseph Morgan of Norton*, *James Morgan* Junior, *George Augustus Scudamore*, *John Jones* of the *Park*, *Charles Powell* of *Pwllycwm*, *Michael James* of *Graige*, *Berrow* of *Tresemmy*, *John Gilbert* of *Poultlerount*, *William Gilbert* of *Poutlerount*, *John Catchmeid Rawlins* of the *Hill*, *Thomas Carter* of the *Brook House*, *John Powell* of the *Graige*, *Guy Hill* of *Wilton*, *William George*, *Leslie Morgan*, *Charles Patrick Thompson* of *Pontrylas*, *Canning*, *Thomas Wakeman Garway*, *Charles Edmonds* of *Lade*, *Edward Powel* of *Lower Dyffryn*, *John Lucy Scudamore* of *Kentchurch*, *Charles Pritchard*, *William Pritchard*, *Charles Henry Pritchard*, and *John Higley* of *Cefenlitha*, being qualified according

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according to the Directions of the ſaid ſeveral recited Acts, ſhall be, and they are hereby added to and joined with the ſurviving or remaining Truſtees appointed by or in purſuance of the ſaid recited Acts or either of them; and that the Truſtees hereby nominated, together with the ſurviving and remaining Truſtees appointed by or in purſuance of the ſaid recited Acts or either of them, and their Succeſſors, qualified as therein mentioned, ſhall be, and are hereby to all Intents and Purpoſes appointed Truſtees, and empowered to carry the ſaid recited Acts and this Act into Execution; and that all Acts and Proceedings of any Perſon or Perſons who already hath or have acted, or hereafter ſhall act as a Truſtee or Truſtees in the Execution of this or either of the ſaid recited Acts, though not duly qualified, ſhall before, and until ſuch time as ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſhall have been convicted of acting without ſuch Qualification, be as valid and effectual as if ſuch Perſon or Perſons had been at the time of acting actually qualified.

Power to appoint additional Truſtees.

III. And be it further enacted, That it ſhall be lawful for the ſaid Truſtees, or any Five or more of them, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, at any of their Meetings to be holden in purſuance of the ſaid recited Acts, or this Act, to elect any Number of Perſons, not exceeding Ten in the Whole, to be Truſtees for the Purpoſes of this Act, in addition to the Truſtees hereby appointed; and ſuch Truſtees ſo elected, and being duly qualified, ſhall be, and are hereby inveſted with the ſame Powers and Authorities for executing the ſaid recited Acts and this Act, as if they had been herein named and appointed.

Leſſening the Number of Truſtees required to do certain Acts.

IV. And be it further enacted, That in all Caſes where by the ſaid recited Acts Five Truſtees are directed to form a Meeting of Truſtees, if Three of the Truſtees appointed under the ſaid recited Act, or by this Act, ſhall aſſemble, they are hereby empowered to tranſact all ſuch Buſineſs as by the ſaid Acts requires the Preſence of Five of ſuch Truſtees: Provided always, that at any Meeting for aſſigning, leaſing, demiſing, letting, or farming out the Tolls ariſing on the ſaid Roads, there ſhall not be preſent leſs than Seven of the ſaid Truſtees.

Exemptions from Tolls in former Acts repealed, and others enacted.

V. And be it further enacted, That ſo much of the ſaid recited Acts as relate to the Exemption from Tolls, ſhall be, and the ſame is hereby repealed, and that no Toll ſhall be demanded or taken for any Horſe or Horſes, or other Beaſt or Cattle, or for any Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage employed in carrying or conveying, or going empty to fetch, carry, or convey, or returning empty from carrying or conveying, having been employed only in carrying or conveying on the ſame Day, any Stones, Bricks, Timber, Wood, Gravel, or other Materials for making or repairing the ſaid Roads, or any of the Roads in the Townſhips or Pariſhes in which any part of the ſaid Roads lie, or with Seed for ſeeding the Ground; or Hay, Turnips, Potatoes, Straw, or Corn in the Straw only, not ſold or diſpoſed of, but paſſing to be laid up or placed in the Houſes, Barns, Outhouſes, or Yards, or on the Lands of the Owners thereof, or for any Horſe, Beaſt, or other Cattle or Carriage employed in carrying or conveying, or going empty to fetch, carry or convey, or returning empty from carrying or conveying, having been employed only in carrying or conveying on the ſame Day any Ploughs, Harrows, or Implements of Huſbandry, or any Mould, Dung, Compoſt or Manure (Chalk and Lime only excepted) employed in Huſbandry for manuring or improving Land, or for any Horſes or other Beaſts going

going to or returning from Plough or Harrow, or to or from Paſture or Watering Place, or going to be or returning from being ſhoed or farried, (being rode or led with an Halter only); or from any Perſon or Perſons going to or returning from his, her or their proper parochial Church, Chapel, or other Place of Religious Worſhip, on Sundays or any other Day on which Divine Service is ordered to be celebrated; or going to or returning from attending the Funeral of any Perſon who ſhall die and be buried in any of the Pariſhes in which the ſaid Roads lie; or from any Clergymen going to viſit or returning from viſiting any ſick Perſon, or on other his parochial or miniſterial Duty; or for any Horſes or Carriages of whatever Deſcription, employed or to be employed in conveying the Mails of Letters and Expreſſes, under the Authority of His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter-General, either when employed in conveying or guarding ſuch Mails or Expreſſes, or in returning back from conveying the ſame; or for the Horſe or Horſes of any Officers or Soldiers, or Militia or Local Militia Men on their March, or on Duty, or for any Horſe or Horſes or other Beaſt, or any Cart, Carriage or Waggon employed in carrying or conveying or returning empty from carrying or conveying, having been employed only in carrying or conveying the Arms or Baggage of any ſuch Officers or Soldiers, or employed in carrying or conveying or returning empty from having been employed only in carrying or conveying any ſick, wounded, or diſabled Officers or Soldiers, or for any Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage whatſoever, or the Horſe or Horſes or other Cattle drawing the ſame, employed in conveying any Ordnance, or Barrack, or Commiſſariat, or other Public Stores, of or belonging to His Majeſty, or for the Uſe of His Majeſty's Forces, or returning empty from having been ſo employed, or for any Horſe, Mare or Gelding furniſhed by or for any Perſon belonging to any Corps of Yeomanry or Volunteer Cavalry or Infantry and rode by him in going to or returning from any Place appointed for, and on the Days of Exerciſe, Inſpection or Review, provided that ſuch Perſon ſhall be dreſſed in the Uniform of his Corps, and ſhall have his Arms, Furniture, and Accoutrements, according to the Regulations of ſuch Corps, at the Time of claiming the Exemption; or for Horſes, Carts, or Waggons travelling with Vagrants, ſent by Legal Paſſes, or returning empty after having been only ſo employed; or for any Horſe or Horſes, Coaches or other Carriages going to or returning from any Election of a Knight or Knights of the Shire to ſerve in Parliament for the Counties of *Brecon*, *Monmouth*, or *Hereford*, or either of them, on the Day or Days of ſuch Election, or the Day before or Day after ſuch Election ſhall begin or be concluded; and if any Perſon ſhall by any fraudulent or colluſive Means whatſoever claim or take the Benefit of any of the Exemptions aforeſaid, not being entitled to the ſame, every ſuch Perſon ſhall forfeit and pay for every ſuch Offence any Sum not exceeding Five Pounds, One Moiety whereof ſhall be paid to the Informer, and the other Moiety ſhall be applied to the Purpoſes of this and the ſaid recited Acts; and the ſame ſhall be recovered and levied in the ſame Manner as other Penalties and Forfeitures are by the ſaid recited Acts or either of them empowered or directed to be levied and recovered.

Paſſengers on Election Days for Knights of the Shire, exempted.

Exempting Carriages conveying King's Stores, &c. from

VI. And be it further enacted, That no Perſon owning or driving, or cauſing to be driven, any Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage, provided for the Service of His Majeſty's Forces, or conveying any Ordnance or Barrack, or Commiſſariat, or other public Stores of or belonging

ing to His Majeſty, or for the Uſe of His Majeſty's Forces, ſhall be ſubject to any Penalty or Forfeiture for Over-weight, nor ſhall any ſuch Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage, or the Horſe or Horſes drawing the ſame, while ſo employed, be ſtopped or detained by reaſon of any Weight in any ſuch Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage, or of being drawn by any Number of Horſes or Oxen; but it ſhall be lawful for the Owner or Driver of any ſuch Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage, to put any Number of Horſes or Oxen to ſuch Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage, any Thing in any Act or Acts of Parliament relating to Highways or Turnpike Roads or in this Act or the ſaid recited Acts contained to the contrary notwithſtanding. Penalties for Over-weight.

VII. And be it further enacted, That if any Money ſhall be agreed or awarded to be paid for any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments purchaſed, taken, or uſed by virtue of the Powers of the ſaid recited Acts or of this Act, for the Purpoſes thereof, which ſhall belong to any Body Politic, Corporate or Collegiate, or to any Feoffee in Truſt, Executor, Adminiſtrator, Huſband, Guardian, Committee, or other Truſtee, for or on Behalf of any Infant, Idiot, Lunatic, Feme Covert, or other Ceſtuique Truſt, or to any Perſon or Perſons under any other legal Diſability or Incapacity whatſoever, as in the ſaid recited Acts or either of them particularly mentioned, ſuch Money ſhall, in caſe the ſame ſhall amount to or exceed the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds, be paid with all convenient Speed, into the Bank of *England*, in the Name and with the Privity of the Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, to be placed to his Account there, *exparte* the Truſtees for executing the ſaid recited Acts and this Act, to the Intent that ſuch Money ſhall be applied, under the Direction and with the Approbation of the ſaid Court, to be ſignified by an Order made upon a Petition, to be preferred in a ſummary Way by the Perſon or Perſons who would have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the ſaid Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments, in the Purchaſe or Redemption of the Land-Tax, or Diſcharge of any Debt or Debts, or ſuch other Incumbrances or Part thereof, as the ſaid Court ſhall authorize to be paid, affecting the ſame Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, or affecting other Lands, Tenements, or other Hereditaments ſtanding ſettled therewith to the ſame or like Uſes, Truſts, Intents or Purpoſes; or where ſuch Money ſhall not be ſo applied, then the ſame ſhall be laid out and inveſted, under and with the like Direction and Approbation of the ſaid Court, in the Purchaſe of other Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, which ſhall be conveyed and ſettled to, for, and upon ſuch and the like Uſes, Truſts, Intents, and Purpoſes, and in the ſame Manner as the Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments which ſhall be ſo purchaſed, taken, or uſed as aforeſaid ſtood ſettled or limited, or ſuch of them as, at the Time of making ſuch Conveyance and Settlement, ſhall be exiſting undetermined, and capable of taking Effect; and in the mean Time, and until ſuch Purchaſe ſhall be made, the ſaid Money ſhall, by Order of the ſaid Court, upon Application thereto, be inveſted by the ſaid Accountant General in his Name in the Purchaſe of Three Pounds *per Centum* Conſolidated, or Three Pounds *per Centum* Reduced Bank Annuities; and in the mean Time, and until the ſaid Bank Annuities ſhall be ordered by the ſaid Court to be ſold for the Purpoſes aforeſaid, the Dividends and annual Proceeds and Produce of the ſaid Conſolidated or Reduced Bank Annuities, ſhall, from Time to Time, be paid by Order Application of Compenſation, if amounting to 200l.

of the ſaid Court, to the Perſon or Perſons who would, for the Time being, have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the ſaid Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, in caſe ſuch Purchaſe or Settlement were made.

Application of Compenſation, if leſs than 200l. and exceeds 20l.

VIII. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That if any Money ſo agreed or awarded to be paid for any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments purchaſed, taken, or uſed for the Purpoſes aforeſaid, and belonging to any Corporation, or to any Perſon or Perſons under Diſability or Incapacity as aforeſaid, ſhall be leſs than the Sum of Two hundred Pounds, and ſhall exceed the Sum of Twenty Pounds, then, and in all ſuch Caſes, the ſame ſhall, at the Option of the Perſon or Perſons for the Time being entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments ſo purchaſed, taken, or uſed, or of his, her, or their Guardian or Guardians, Committee or Committees, in caſe of Infancy, Idiotcy, or Lunacy, to be ſignified in Writing under their reſpective Hands, be paid into the Bank of England, in the Name and with the Privity of the ſaid Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, and be placed to his Account as aforeſaid, in order to be applied in Manner hereinbefore directed, or otherwiſe the ſame ſhall be paid at the like Option to Two Truſtees to be nominated by the Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Option, and approved of by any Three or more of the ſaid Truſtees for executing the ſaid recited Acts and this Act, (ſuch Nomination and Approbation to be ſignified in Writing under the Hands of the nominating and approving Parties,) in order that ſuch Principal Money, and the Dividends ariſing thereon, may be applied in Manner hereinbefore directed, ſo far as the Caſe be applicable, without obtaining, or being required to obtain the Direction or Approbation of the High Court of Chancery.

Application of Compenſation, not exceeding 20l.

IX. Provided alſo, and be it further enacted, That where ſuch Money ſo agreed or awarded to be paid as next before mentioned, ſhall not be more than the Sum of Twenty Pounds, then, and in all ſuch Caſes, the ſame ſhall be applied to the Uſe of the Perſon or Perſons who would for the Time being have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments ſo purchaſed, taken, or uſed for the Purpoſes of the ſaid recited Acts or this Act, in ſuch Manner as the ſaid Truſtees, or any Three or more of them ſhall think fit; or in caſe of Infancy, Idiotcy, or Lunacy, then ſuch Money ſhall be paid to his, her, or their Guardian or Guardians, Committee or Committees, to and for the Uſe and Benefit of ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſo entitled reſpectively.

In caſe of not making out Titles;

X. And be it further enacted, That in caſe the Perſon or Perſons to whom any Sum or Sums of Money ſhall be awarded for the Purchaſe of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments to be purchaſed by virtue of the ſaid recited Acts, or this Act, ſhall refuſe to accept the ſame, or ſhall not be able to make a good Title to the Premiſes to the Satisfaction of the ſaid Truſtees, or any Three or more of them, or in caſe the Perſon or Perſons to whom ſuch Sum or Sums of Money ſhall be ſo awarded as aforeſaid cannot be found, or if the Perſon or Perſons intitled to ſuch Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments be not known or diſcovered; then, and in every ſuch Caſe, it ſhall be lawful for the ſaid Truſtees or any Three or more of them, to order the ſaid Sum or Sums of Money ſo awarded as aforeſaid to be paid into the Bank of *England* in the Name and with the Privity of the

or if Perſons cannot be found, Purchaſe Money to be paid into the Bank;

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Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, to be placed to his Account, to the Credit of the Parties intereſted in the ſaid Lands, Tenements, or Heriditaments, [deſcribing them] ſubject to the Order, Controul, and Diſpoſition of the ſaid High Court of Chancery; which ſaid Court, on the Application of any Perſon or Perſons making claim to ſuch Sum or Sums of Money, or any Part thereof, by Motion or Petition, ſhall be and is hereby empowered in a ſummary Way of proceeding, or otherwiſe as to the ſame Court ſhall ſeem meet, to order the ſame to be laid out and inveſted in the Public Funds, and to order Diſtribution thereof, or Payment of the Dividends thereof, according to the reſpective Eſtate or Eſtates, Title, or Intereſt of the Perſon or Perſons making claim thereunto, and to make ſuch other Order in the Premiſes as to the ſaid Court ſhall ſeem juſt and reaſonable; and the Caſhier or Caſhiers of the Bank of *England*, who ſhall receive ſuch Sum or Sums of Money, is and are hereby required to give a Receipt or Receipts for ſuch Sum or Sums of Money, mentioning and ſpecifying for what and for whoſe Uſe the ſame is or are received, to ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall pay any ſuch Sum or Sums of Money into the Bank as aforeſaid.

ſubject to the Order of the Court of Chancery, on Motion or Petition.

XI. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That where any Queſtion ſhall ariſe touching the Title of any Perſon to any Money to be paid into the Bank of *England*, in the Name and with the Privity of the Accountant General of the ſaid High Court of Chancery, in purſuance of the ſaid recited Acts or of this Act, for the Purchaſe of any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, or of any Eſtate, Right, or Intereſt in any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments to be purchaſed in purſuance thereof, or to any Bank Annuities to be purchaſed with any ſuch Money, or the Dividends or Intereſt of any ſuch Bank Annuities, the Perſon or Perſons who ſhall have been in Poſſeſſion of ſuch Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, at the Time of ſuch Purchaſe; and all Perſons claiming under ſuch Perſon or Perſons, or under the Poſſeſſion of ſuch Perſon or Perſons, ſhall be deemed and taken to have been lawfully entitled to ſuch Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, according to ſuch Poſſeſſion, until the contrary ſhall be ſhewn to the Satisfaction of the ſaid High Court of Chancery; and the Dividends or Intereſt of the Bank Annuities to be purchaſed with ſuch Money, and alſo the Capital of ſuch Bank Annuities ſhall be paid, applied, and diſpoſed of accordingly, unleſs it ſhall be made appear to the ſaid Court that ſuch Poſſeſſion was a wrongful Poſſeſſion, and that ſome other Perſon or Perſons was or were lawfully entitled to ſuch Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, or to ſome Eſtate or Intereſt therein.

Where any Queſtion ſhall ariſe, touching the Title to Money to be paid the Perſon who ſhall be in Poſſeſſion of the Lands, &c. at the Time of ſuch Purchaſe ſhall be entitled thereto, according to ſuch Poſſeſſion only, &c.

XII. Provided alſo, and be it further enacted, That when by reaſon of any Diſability or Incapacity of the Perſon or Perſons, or Corporation, entitled to any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, to be purchaſed under the Authority of the ſaid recited Acts or this Act, the Purchaſe Money for the ſame ſhall be required to be paid into the High Court of Chancery, and to be applied in the Purchaſe of other Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, to be ſettled to the like Uſes, in purſuance of this Act, it ſhall and may be lawful to and for the ſaid High Court of Chancery to order the Expences of all Purchaſes from Time to Time to be made in purſuance of the ſaid recited Acts or this Act, or ſo much of ſuch Expences as the ſaid Court ſhall deem reaſonable to be paid by the ſaid Truſtees,

The Court of Chancery may order reaſonable Expences of Purchaſes to be paid by Truſtees.

Truſtees out of the Monies to be received by virtue of this Act, who ſhall from Time to Time pay ſuch Sums of Money for ſuch Purpoſes as the ſaid Court ſhall direct.

Perſons chargeable to Statute Work to continue ſo.

XIII. And be it further enacted, That ſo much of the ſaid recited Acts as relates to the Performance of Statute Labour on the ſaid Roads, ſhall be, and the ſame is hereby repealed; and that from and after the paſſing of this Act, all Perſons who by Law are or ſhall be liable to do Statute Work, or who are or ſhall be chargeable towards repairing and amending the ſaid Roads or any part thereof, ſhall ſtill remain liable thereto in like Manner as heretofore; and it ſhall and may be lawful for any Two or more Juſtices of the Peace for the ſaid Counties of *Brecon*, *Monmouth*, and *Hereford* reſpectively, and they are hereby empowered and required (upon Application made to them for that Purpoſe by the ſaid Truſtees, or by their Clerk or Surveyor, by their Order,) yearly to adjudge and determine what Part or Proportion of the Statute Work ſhall every Year be done upon the ſaid Roads by the Inhabitants of the reſpective Pariſhes or Places wherein the ſaid Roads lie; and alſo what Proportion of the Money received by the Surveyor or Surveyors of the Highways of every ſuch Pariſh or Place, in lieu of, or as a Compoſition for ſuch Statute Work, ſhall be by him or them paid to the ſaid Truſtees or to their Treaſurer; and in order thereunto, it ſhall be lawful for ſuch Juſtices from Time to Time, to ſummon the Surveyor or Surveyors of the Highways for every ſuch Pariſh or Place, to bring in Liſts before ſuch Juſtices, at ſome Place to be expreſſed in ſuch Summons (within Fourteen Days after the ſerving of ſuch Summons), of the Names of the ſeveral Perſons who within ſuch Pariſh or Place are by Law ſubject and liable to do Statute Work for that Year, or the Payment of any Money in lieu of or as a Compoſition for ſuch Statute Work, diſtinguiſhing the Nature of the Work to be done, whether with Teams or Draughts, or otherwiſe; and alſo the Amount of the reſpective Sums to be paid; which Liſts of Names ſhall be made in ſuch Manner and under ſuch Regulations and Reſtrictions as is, are, or may be directed by any Law or Statute in force or effect, for the Repairs of the public Highways; and out of ſuch Liſts ſuch Juſtices ſhall and may allot, appoint, and order ſuch and ſo many of the Perſons who ſhall appear to be ſubject or liable to do Statute Work as aforeſaid, to do ſuch Number of Days Statute Work in every Year upon the ſaid Roads as the ſaid Juſtices ſhall think reaſonable, not exceeding Two-thirds of the whole Statute Work which each ſuch Perſon may be liable to do upon the whole of the public Roads within his or their Townſhip in the Courſe of ſuch Year; and the ſame ſhall be done on ſuch Days and at ſuch Times (not being Hay-time or Harveſt), and on ſuch Parts of the ſaid Roads as the ſaid Truſtees or their Surveyor or Surveyors (by their Order) ſhall from Time to Time order, direct, and appoint; and the ſaid Juſtices ſhall and may alſo order and direct the Perſons who by ſuch Liſts ſhall appear to be ſubject and liable to the Payment of any Money in lieu of, or as a Compoſition for Statute Work as aforeſaid, to pay ſuch Proportions thereof as the ſaid Juſtices ſhall think proper to the ſaid Truſtees or their Treaſurer, at ſuch Time or Times as the ſaid Juſtices ſhall direct; and in default of Payment thereof, the ſame ſhall and may be recovered and levied by Diſtreſs and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the reſpective Perſons liable to the Payment thereof, in like Manner as other Penalties and Forfeitures impoſed by this Act, or the ſaid

recited Acts, may be recovered; and each and every Perſon who ſhall neglect or refuſe to do ſuch Statute Work as aforeſaid (after Notice in Writing given to or left for him, her, or them, at his, her, or their laſt or uſual Place or Places of Abode for that Purpoſe, ſigned by the Surveyor or Surveyors to the ſaid Truſtees), ſhall, for every Day of his, her, or their Default, or the Default of any Labourer or Labourers, Team or Teams, Draught or Draughts, Horſe or Horſes, Beaſt or Beaſts, to be provided by him, her, or them, be ſubject and liable to ſuch Pains, Penalties, and Forfeitures, as ſuch Perſon or Perſons may be ſubject and liable to by any Law or Statute in force and effect for the Repair of the public Highways; and if any Perſon who ſhall come to work as a Labourer, or who ſhall be ſent with any Team or Draught to work on the ſaid Roads ſhall be found idle or negligent by any Surveyor to the ſaid Truſtees, ſuch Surveyor is hereby empowered to remove and turn off the Perſon who ſhall be found idle or negligent as aforeſaid; and in that caſe every ſuch Perſon ſhall be ſubject and liable to the reſpective Forfeitures and Payments as aforeſaid, as if he had neglected or refuſed to come, or ſuch Team or Draught had not been ſent to work on any Part of the ſaid Roads; all which Forfeitures ſhall be paid to the Treaſurer to the ſaid Truſtees, and applied towards amending the ſaid Roads; and in caſe the ſaid Surveyor or Surveyors of the Highways for any of the ſaid Pariſhes or Places ſhall refuſe or wilfully neglect to give in ſuch Liſts as aforeſaid, or ſhall knowingly or wilfully give in falſe or imperfect Liſts, every ſuch Surveyor ſo offending, ſhall, for every ſuch Offence, forfeit and pay any Sum not exceeding Five Pounds, to be recovered, levied, apportioned, and applied as other Penalties and Forfeitures impoſed by the ſaid recited Act or this Act, may be recovered and are directed to be apportioned and applied.

Truſtees may compound for Statute Work.

XIV. And be it further enacted, That it ſhall and may be lawful for the ſaid Truſtees, or their Clerk, or Surveyor or Surveyors (by their Order,) to compound and agree with any Perſon or Perſons, Bodies Politic or Corporate, for the Statute-work to be done by them on the ſaid Roads or any Part thereof, and alſo with the Inhabitants and Occupiers of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, of and in all or any of the Parishes or Places in which the ſaid Roads are ſituate, for a certain Sum of Money, by the Year or otherwiſe, as the ſaid Truſtees, or their ſaid Clerk or Surveyor or Surveyors (by their Order,) ſhall think reaſonable, in lieu of the whole or any part of the Statute or other Work to be by all or any of the ſaid Inhabitants and Occupiers done on the ſaid Roads (except the Bridges liable to be repaired by or at the Expence of the County at large, which ſhall concontinue to be reſpectively repaired by the County, as in the ſaid recited Acts, or one of them, is more particularly mentioned,) which Compoſition Money ſhall always be paid by the Surveyor or Surveyors of the Highways, or other Officer of the Pariſh, or by the Perſon or Perſons ſo compounding to the Treaſurer to the ſaid Truſtees, in advance, on or before the Firſt Day of *March* in each and every Year, or otherwiſe the Inhabitants and Occupiers of ſuch Pariſh or Place ſhall not be permitted to compound for that Year.

Subjecting Building Materials to Double Tolls in Winter.

XV. And be it further enacted, That all Waggons, Wains, Carts, and other Carriages, which ſhall be laden with Timber, Planks, Lime Stones, Brick, Stones, Tiles, Paving, or any other Materials whatſoever for building, and which ſhall paſs through any of the Turnpikes or Side Gates

Gates erected, or to be erected, by virtue of the ſaid former Acts, between the Firſt Day of October and the Firſt Day of April, in any Year, ſhall pay at each ſuch Toll Gate, for each and every Horſe, or other Beaſt of Draught, drawing ſuch Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage, double the Tolls payable for Horſes or Beaſts of Draught uſed in drawing any other Carriage whatſoever.

For Detection of Offenders.

XVI. And for the more eaſy Detection of Offenders againſt this and the ſaid recited Acts, be it further enacted, That it ſhall be lawful for any Surveyor or Surveyors of the ſaid Roads, or any Collector or Collectors of the Tolls, or other Perſons engaged in the Execution of this and the ſaid recited Acts, and for any other Perſon or Perſons, in Aid of ſuch Surveyor, or other Perſon, to apprehend any Perſon or Perſons who ſhall be ſeen by the ſaid Surveyors or others reſpectively, committing any Offence againſt this or the ſaid recited Acts, without any Warrant for that Purpoſe, and to cauſe him, her, or them, to be taken before any one of His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for the Counties of *Brecon*, *Monmouth*, or *Hereford*, for the Purpoſe of Conviction and Puniſhment.

For paying Expences of the Act.

XVII. And be it further enacted, That the Coſts, Charges, and Expences incident to and attending the obtaining and paſſing of this Act, ſhall be paid and diſcharged by the ſaid Truſtees out of any Money already collected or received by virtue of the ſaid recited Acts on the ſaid Roads, or out of the firſt Monies to ariſe by virtue of the ſaid recited Acts and this Act on the ſaid Roads, in Preference to all other Payments whatſoever.

Continuance.

XVIII. 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.

Public Act.

XIX. And be it further enacted, That this Act ſhall commence and take Effect upon the paſſing thereof; and that the ſaid recited Acts (ſubject to the Alterations and Amendments in this Act contained) and this Act ſhall continue and be in force, and be executed for and during the Reſidue now to come and unexpired of the Term granted and continued by the ſaid recited Acts, and from the Expiration thereof for and during the further Term of Twenty-one Years, and from thence to the End of the then next Seſſion of Parliament.

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