relief that shall be granted to such person being a member of a friendly society as aforesaid, it shall be at the discretion of the board of guardians whether they will or will not take into consideration the amount which may be received by him from such friendly society.

Extent of Act.

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

Short title.

3. This Act may be cited as the Outdoor Relief Friendly Societies Act, 1894.

CHAPTER 26.

An Act to extend the Powers of Local Fisheries Committees with respect to Fisheries for Shell Fish.

[20th July 1894.]

BE it 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:

Extension of powers of local fisheries committees with respect to shell fish. 51 & 52 Vict. c. 54.

1.—(1.) The powers of a local fisheries committee to make byelaws in pursuance of section two of the Sea Fisheries Regulation Act, 1888, shall extend to making byelaws to be observed within their district for the regulation, protection, and development of fisheries for all or any specified kinds of shell fish, and any such byelaws may provide, amongst other things, for

(*a*) the fixing of the sizes and condition at which shell fish may not be removed from a fishery, and the mode of determining such sizes;

(*b*) the obligation to re-deposit in specified localities any shell fish the removal or possession of which is prohibited by or in pursuance of any Act of Parliament;

(*c*) the protection of shell fish laid down for breeding purposes;

(*d*) the protection of culch and other material for the reception of spat, that is to say, of the spawn or young of any kinds of shell fish; and

(*e*) the obligation to re-deposit such culch and other material in specified localities.

(2.) A local fisheries committee shall have power to stock or re-stock any public fishery for shell fish, and for that purpose to incur such expenses as may be sanctioned by the Board of Trade.

(3.) For the purposes of this Act the expression "shell fish" shall include all kinds of molluscs and crustaceans.

Short title. 51 & 52 Vict. c. 54. 54 & 55 Vict. c. 37.

2. This Act may be cited as the Sea Fisheries (Shell Fish) Regulation Act, 1894, and the Sea Fisheries Regulation Acts, 1888 and 1891, and this Act may be cited collectively as the Sea Fisheries Regulation Acts, 1888 to 1894.