6. This Act may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Colours) Act, 1889, and shall be construed as one with the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1887, and those Acts and this Act may be cited together as the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1889. Title and construction of Act.

CHAPTER 74.

An Act to enable the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries to prohibit Steam Trawling within a certain distance of the Coast of Ireland. [30th August 1889.]

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:

1. This Act may be cited for all purposes as the Steam Trawling (Ireland) Act, 1889. Short title.

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

3.—(1.) The Inspectors of Irish Fisheries may from time to time make, alter, and revoke byelaws in the manner and under the regulations in the Fisheries Act, 1842, mentioned, prohibiting the use in or from any steamer or steamship, or vessel propelled by steam, of the method of fishing known as beam trawling or other trawling within three miles of low water mark of any part of the coast of Ireland, or within the waters of any other defined areas specified in any such byelaw, and subject to any conditions or regulations contained in such byelaws. Prohibition of steam trawling within certain limits. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 106.

(2.) Each and every person who uses any trawl net, or any method of fishing in contravention of any byelaw of the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries made in pursuance of this section, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five pounds for the first offence, and not exceeding twenty pounds for the second or any subsequent offence, and every net used or attempted to be used in contravention of any such byelaw, and every rope, warp, tackle, beam, pole, iron, and other matter or thing fastened to or used with any such net, shall be forfeited, and may be seized by any person empowered to enforce the provisions of the Fisheries (Ireland) Acts, and shall when seized be dealt with in the manner prescribed by section one hundred and three of the Fisheries Act, 1842; and for the purpose of such seizure all persons empowered by section eighty-six of the said Act to go on board any vessel employed in fishing are hereby empowered to go on board any steamer or steamship or vessel propelled by steam employed in fishing. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 106.

4. It shall not be lawful for any person to land or sell in Ireland any fish caught in contravention of any byelaw of the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries made in pursuance of this Act, and each and every person who lands or sells any such fish shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five pounds for the first offence, Fish illegally caught not to be landed or sold.

and not exceeding twenty pounds for the second or any subsequent offence.

Recovery of fines.

5. All fines under this Act may be recovered in a summary manner.

Interpretation clause. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 106.

6. In this Act,—

"Fisheries Act, 1842," means the Act of the session of the fifth and sixth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and six, intituled "An Act to regulate the Irish fisheries."

"Fisheries (Ireland) Acts" means the said Act and all Acts amending the same.

CHAPTER 75.

An Act to amend the Law in regard to Annual Parliamentary Grants in the Counties of Caithness and Sutherland. [30th August 1889.]

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:

Conditions of parliamentary grant applicable to counties of Caithness and Sutherland.

1. With respect to the conditions to be fulfilled by schools in order to obtain annual parliamentary grants, the provisions which apply to schools in parishes within the counties of Inverness, Argyll, Ross, and Orkney and Shetland, are hereby declared to apply and to have been applicable to schools in parishes within the counties of Caithness and Sutherland as and from the thirtieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, being the date of the Minute of the Committee of Council on Education in Scotland amending the conditions of the Scotch Education Code applicable to schools in parishes within the last-mentioned counties.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Parliamentary Grant (Caithness and Sutherland) Act, 1889.

CHAPTER 76.

An Act to facilitate the Provision of Technical Instruction. [30th August 1889.]

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:

Power for local authority to supply or aid

1.—(1.) A local authority may from time to time out of the local rate supply or aid the supply of technical or manual instruc-