CHAPTER 3.

An Act to provide for raising further Money for the purpose of the Telegraph Acts, 1863 to 1899.

[29th March 1904.]

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, as follows:

Grant of 3,000,000*l.* for the purpose of the Telegraph Acts.

1. The Treasury may, without prejudice to the exercise of any powers previously given for the like purpose, issue out of the Consolidated Fund, or the growing produce thereof, such sums, not exceeding in the whole the sum of three million pounds, as may be required by the Postmaster-General for the purpose of the Telegraph Acts, 1863 to 1899, according to estimates approved by the Treasury, and subsections two and three of section one of the Telegraph Act, 1892 (which relate to the mode in which money may be raised), shall apply with respect to the sums so authorised to be issued.

55 & 56 Vict. c. 59.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Telegraph (Money) Act, 1904, and may be cited with the Telegraph Acts, 1863 to 1899.

CHAPTER 4.

An Act to amend the Wild Birds Protection Acts.

[28th April 1904.]

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, as follows:

Offences and penalties.

1. From and after the passing of this Act every person who, on any pole, tree, or cairn of stones or earth, shall affix, place, or set any spring, trap, gin, or other similar instrument calculated to cause bodily injury to any wild bird coming in contact therewith, and every person who shall knowingly permit or suffer or cause any such trap to be so affixed, placed, or set, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty not exceeding forty shillings, and, for a second or subsequent offence, to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

Prosecution of offences. 43 & 44 Vict. c. 35.

2. Every offence under this Act may be prosecuted under the provisions of section five of the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880.

Short title and construction.

3. This Act may be cited as the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1904; and shall be construed with the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1902, and those Acts and this Act may be cited collectively as the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1904.