Mathew Morrison, of Bachelor's Walk in the City of Dublin, Esquire;
Edward Thos. Stapleton, of College Green in the City of Dublin, Esquire;
Abraham Colles, of Ballyfallen in the County of Meath, Esquire;
Nathaniel Hone Dyas, of Athboy House in the County of Meath, Esquire:

That the First Meeting of the said Board shall be summoned by Notice under the Hands of any Two or more of the said Board published in the Dublin Gazette, and some Newspaper generally circulated in the said District, at least Fourteen Days next before the Day of meeting:

That the Qualification of any subsequent Member of the said Board shall be, that he shall be the Proprietor (as defined by the said Act, and the Acts referred to therein or incorporated therewith,) of not less than Twenty Acres of Land situate within the Area of the said District, or the Land Agent for the Time being of a Person being a Proprietor as aforesaid of not less than One hundred Acres of Land situate within the Area of said District, and acting as Receiver of the Rents and Profits of such Lands:

That the Members of the First Board shall vacate their Offices on the First Thursday in September in the Year following the Date of this Provisional Order:

That the Electors for Members of the Drainage Board shall be the Persons in that Behalf mentioned in the said Act: Provided always, that no such Elector shall be entitled to vote or exercise any Privilege as such unless the Land of which he is the Proprietor, or some Portion thereof, shall be rateable on account of the Works in the District, and he shall have previously paid all Rates or Arrears of Rates which may be payable by him in respect of any Drainage Rate for the aforesaid District.

In witness whereof, we, the said Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, have hereunto caused our Common Seal to be affixed this Fourth Day of July One thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

E. HORNSBY. (L.S.)

Office of Public Works,
Dublin.

CAP. CVIII.

An Act to amend "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Acts."

[29th *July* 1864.]

'WHEREAS it is contemplated that "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Acts, 1854, 1858, 1862," should, in so far as such Acts or any Provisions thereof are temporary in their Duration, be continued by an Act of the present Session of Parliament for a further Period to be named in such Act, and it is expedient that the same Acts should be amended:' 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:

Short Title.

1. This Act may for all Purposes be cited as "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Act, 1864."

Definition of Principal Act, &c.

2. "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Act, 1854," herein-after called the Principal Act, "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Act, 1858," herein-after called the First Amendment Act, and "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Act, 1862," herein-after called the Second Amendment Act, and this Act, shall, so far as is consistent with the Context and Objects of such Acts, be construed as One Act; and the Principal Act, the First Amendment Act, the Second Amendment Act, and this Act may for all Purposes be cited as "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Acts, 1854, 1858, 1862, 1864."

Provision as to Acts coming into operation.

3. Where Her Majesty, by Order in Council, has directed or shall direct the Principal Act, or the Principal Act and the First Amendment Act, or the Principal Act and the First

First and Second Amendment Acts, to come into operation in any of the Colonies mentioned in the Schedule to the Principal Act, or where any of such Colonies has presented or shall present an Address to Her Majesty praying Her Majesty to issue such Order, then and in every such Case such Order and such Address respectively shall apply and be construed to apply as well to this Act, and to any Act of the present Session of Parliament continuing "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Acts, 1854, 1858, 1862," as aforesaid (so far as regards the said Acts), as to the Principal Act, or as to the Principal Act and the First Amendment Act, or as to the Principal Act and the First and Second Amendment Acts (as the Case may be).

Power to include Stock in Sales.

4. Where any Land shall be sold under the aforesaid Acts or any of them, the Commissioners shall have Power to include in such Sale all or any Horses, Mules, Cattle, live or dead Stock, Plant, Carts, Carriages, Implements, duplicate and other unfixed Machinery, Utensils, and other Chattels and Effects used or employed in or about the Cultivation of such Land or any Part thereof, and which may be subject to any Incumbrance affecting such Land or any Part thereof, and all or any other Horses, Mules, Cattle, live or dead Stock, Plant, Carts, Carriages, Implements, duplicate and other unfixed Machinery, Utensils, and other Chattels and Effects used or employed in or about the Cultivation of such Land, and the Owner or part Owner or any Mortgagee of which shall apply for or consent to such Sale, and to apply the Monies arising from the Sale of such Chattels and Effects in the same Manner in all respects as if such Chattels and Effects had been Land sold under these Acts, or otherwise according to the Rights and Interests of the Parties entitled thereto; and such Monies shall be subject to the Payment of the same Commissions or Per-centages and Fees as they would have been subject to if they had arisen from Land sold under these Acts.

Power to appoint Receiver of Lands and Stock after Conditional Order for Sale.

5. The Commissioners shall have the same Powers of appointing a Receiver or Receivers of any Lands for the Sale of which a Conditional Order has been made by them under these Acts, and likewise of the Horses, Mules, Cattle, live or dead Stock, Plant, Carts, Carriages, Implements, duplicate and other unfixed Machinery, Utensils, and other Chattels and Effects used or employed in or about the Cultivation of such Land or any Part thereof, which may be subject to any Incumbrance affecting such Land or any Part thereof, and all or any other Horses, Mules, Cattle, live or dead Stock, Plant, Carts, Carriages, Implements, duplicate and other unfixed Machinery, Utensils, and other Chattels and Effects used or employed in or about the Cultivation of such Land, and the Owner or part Owner or any Mortgagee of which shall apply for or consent to the Appointment of such Receiver or Receivers, as they have under "The *West Indian* Incumbered Estates Act, 1862," over any Land for the Sale of which an Absolute Order has been made by them.

CAP. CIX.

An Act for providing a further Sum towards defraying the Expenses of constructing Fortifications for the Protection of the Royal Arsenals and Dockyards and the Ports of *Dover* and *Portland*, and of creating a Central Arsenal.

[29th *July* 1864.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* in Parliament assembled, having further considered the State, Condition, and Sufficiency of the Fortifications existing for the Defence of the United Kingdom, and being desirous to provide forthwith for the Construction of certain Works for the Defence of Your Royal Arsenals and Dockyards and the Ports of *Dover* and *Portland*, and for the Creation of a Central Arsenal, have cheerfully granted to Your Majesty the further Sum of Six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds, to be paid out of the Consolidated Fund, towards defraying the Expenses incurred or to be incurred for