Now, therefore, the principal of the said loans shall, to the extent aforesaid, be extinguished and all arrears of interest thereon shall be remitted.

4. This Act may be cited as the Public Works Loans Act, 1928. Short title.

SCHEDULE.

LOANS BY PUBLIC WORKS LOAN COMMISSIONERS UNDER THE AGRICULTURAL CREDITS ACT, 1923. Sections 2 and 3.

Name of Borrower.	Amount of Loan.	Amount to be written off.
	£	£ s. d.
Joseph Harold Clark - - -	3,825	127 8 5
William Edward Dannatt - -	3,270	845 10 8
William Denson - - - -	6,750	242 10 2

CHAPTER 6.

An Act to enable a railway company to participate in the provision of mail cargo and passenger services in the Western Highlands and Islands of Scotland. [19th December 1928.]

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 :—

1.—(1) If there is incorporated, whether before or after the passing of this Act, a company having for its principal objects the provision of mail cargo and passenger services in the Western Highlands and Islands of Scotland, and the acquisition of the assets of any company which prior to such incorporation provided such services, it Authorisation of railway company to hold shares, &c., in company

providing transport services in the Western Highlands and Islands of Scotland.

shall be lawful for the Minister of Transport, after consultation with the Secretary of State, by order, to authorise any railway company therein specified to hold shares, stock or debentures in or of any such company so incorporated to such amount as may be specified in the order, and on any such order being made, the railway company so authorised may, notwithstanding anything contained in any enactment, subscribe for, take and hold such shares, stock or debentures to such amount as aforesaid, and may, with the assent of the Minister of Transport and of such company, provide in the Western Highlands and Islands of Scotland any such services as aforesaid by sea, air or land which it would have been competent for such company to provide, and may apply for or towards the purposes of any power conferred in pursuance of this subsection any sums of money which such railway company have raised or may raise in pursuance of any enactment and which are not required for the purposes to which they are by such enactment made specially applicable.

(2) Any order made under the foregoing subsection may, on application by the railway company, be amended or varied by a subsequent order.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Western Highlands and Islands (Transport Services) Act, 1928.

CHAPTER 7.

An Act to authorise the sale of the telegraph undertakings established under the Pacific Cable Acts, 1901 to 1924, and the West Indian Islands (Telegraph) Act, 1924, and of certain submarine telegraph undertakings in the possession of the Postmaster-General, and to make provision for certain matters incidental thereto.

[5th February 1929.]

WHEREAS by the Pacific Cable Acts, 1901 to 1924, which were consolidated with amendments by the Pacific Cable Act, 1927, the Pacific Cable Board (in this Act referred to as "the Board") was constituted

17 & 18 Geo. 5. c. 9.