Person using any Bricks by or under any such Contract shall and he is hereby required, from and after the Twenty-seventh Day of *March* One thousand eight hundred and fifty, to make an Abatement from such Contract, equivalent to the Duty from which he will be relieved under or by virtue of this Act, in respect of all such Bricks which he shall send out and deliver or use under or in pursuance of any such Contract as aforesaid after the Twenty-seventh Day of *March* One thousand eight hundred and fifty, (that is to say,) for and in respect of all such Bricks, if any, which at the Period last aforesaid were in the Field, Yard, or Premises where the same were made and charged with Duty a Moiety of the said Duty charged thereon, and for and in respect of all such Bricks which shall be made at any Time after the said Twenty-seventh Day of *March* a Sum equal to the Duty of Excise which at the Time of making such Contract was payable on Bricks of the like Description.

1850 to be allowed by the Seller an Abatement from the Price thereof equivalent to the Duties from which the latter is relieved, and to allow the same to the Persons with whom they have contracted.

IV. And be it enacted, That this Act may be amended or repealed by any Act to be passed in this present Session of Parliament.

Act may be amended, &c.

CAP. X.

An Act for raising the Sum of Nine millions two hundred thousand Pounds by Exchequer Bills, for the Service of the Year One thousand eight hundred and fifty. [17th *May* 1850.]

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, towards raising the necessary Supplies which we have cheerfully granted to Your Majesty in this Session of Parliament, have resolved to give and grant unto Your Majesty the Sum herein-after mentioned; and do therefore most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and 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, That it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, at any Time or Times, to cause any Number of Exchequer Bills to be made out at the Receipt of the Exchequer at *Westminster*, for any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Nine millions two hundred thousand Pounds, in like Manner as is prescribed in an Act passed in the Forty-eighth Year of the Reign of King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act for regulating the issuing and paying off of Exchequer Bills*, and in another Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Fourth and Fifth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King *William* the Fourth, intituled *An Act to regulate the Office of the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer at* Westminster, and in another Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Fifth and Sixth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for further regulating the Preparation and Issue of Exchequer Bills.*

Treasury may raise 9,200,000*l.* by Exchequer Bills, in like Manner as is prescribed by 48 G. 3. c. 1. 4 & 5 W. 4. c. 15. 5 & 6 Vict. c. 66.

II. And be it enacted, That all and every the Clauses, Provisoes, Powers, Privileges, Advantages, Penalties, Forfeitures, and Disabilities contained in the said Acts shall be applied and extended to the Exchequer Bills to be made out in pursuance of this Act, as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if the said several Clauses or Provisoes had been particularly repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this Act.

The Clauses, &c. in recited Acts extended to this Act.

III. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to issue and apply from Time to Time all such Sums of Money as shall be raised by Exchequer Bills to be made out in pursuance of this Act to such Services as shall then have been voted by the Commons of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* in this present Session of Parliament.

The Treasury to apply the Money raised.

IV. And be it enacted, That the Principal Sum or Sums of Money to be contained in such Exchequer Bills shall be charged upon and shall be paid out of any Supplies to be granted in the next Session of Parliament.

Bills, how to be charged and paid.

Interest on Bills.

V. And be it enacted, That the Exchequer Bills to be made out in pursuance of this Act shall bear Date on the Days on which the same shall be respectively issued, and shall bear an Interest not exceeding the Rate of Threepence Halfpenny *per Centum per Diem* in respect of the whole of the Monies respectively contained therein, payable out of any Aids or Supplies in the Bank of *England* standing to the Credit of the Exchequer.

Bills charged on Supplies to be current in Payment of Public Revenue after Twelve Calendar Months from their Dates.

VI. And be it enacted, That all the Exchequer Bills to be made out by virtue of this Act, or so many of them as shall from Time to Time remain undischarged and uncancelled, shall, after Twelve Calendar Months from their respective Dates, be taken and shall pass and be current to all the Receivers and Collectors in *Great Britain* of the Customs, Excise, or any Revenue, Supply, Aid, or Tax whatsoever already granted or payable, or which shall hereafter be granted or payable, to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, and also at the Bank of *England* to the Account of Her Majesty's Exchequer, from the said Receivers or Collectors, or from any other Person or Persons, Bodies Politic or Corporate whatsoever, making any Payment there to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, upon any Account whatever.

Bank of England may advance 9,200,000*l.* on the Credit of Bills, notwithstanding 5 & 6 W. & M. c. 20.

VII. And be it declared and enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Governor and Company of the Bank of *England* to advance or lend to Her Majesty, upon the Credit of the Exchequer Bills to be made out in pursuance of this Act, any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Nine millions two hundred thousand Pounds; anything in an Act passed in the Fifth and Sixth Years of the Reign of King *William* and Queen *Mary*, intituled *An Act for granting to Their Majesties several Rates and Duties upon Tonnage of Ships and Vessels, and upon Beer, Ale, and other Liquors; and for securing certain Recompences and Advantages in the said Act mentioned to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of One million five hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the War against* France, or in any subsequent Act, to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

CAP. XI.

An Act to make better Provision for the Contributions of Unions and Parishes in School Districts to the common Funds of the respective Districts.

[17th *May* 1850.]

7 & 8 Vict. c. 101.

11 & 12 Vict. c. 82.

7 & 8 Vict. c. 101. s. 47.

‘ WHEREAS by the Act passed in the Eighth Year of Her Majesty, intituled *An Act for the further Amendment of the Laws relating to the Poor in* England, and by ‘ the Act passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, intituled *An Act to amend the Law for the Formation of Districts for the Education of Infant Poor*, Provisions ‘ are made for the Formation of School Districts for the Management of certain Infant ‘ Poor by the Combination of Unions and Parishes into such Districts: And whereas it is ‘ by the said first-recited Statute enacted, “ that the Expenses incurred by any District ‘ “ Board in the Purchase or Hire of any Building or Buildings to be used as a School, ‘ “ or in erecting, repairing, adding to, or fitting up any Building, and in the Purchase of ‘ “ Utensils and Materials for the Employment of the Inmates of such School, or of Books ‘ “ and other Objects and Things necessary for the Instruction of such Inmates, and the ‘ “ Salaries of the Officers and Servants of the Establishment, and all other Expenses ‘ “ incurred on the common Account of the Parishes or Unions, or Parishes and Unions, ‘ “ so united for the Management of any Class of Infant Poor, or incidental to the Dis- ‘ “ charge of the Duties of such District Board, shall be paid by such Unions in the Pro- ‘ “ portion of the Averages last declared for every such Union, and by such Parishes in the ‘ “ Proportion of the average Expenditure of every such Parish for the like Period and ‘ “ Purposes as those to which the declared Averages of such Unions shall relate; and the ‘ “ said Commissioners shall from Time to Time, by Order under their Hands and Seal, ‘ “ ascertain and declare the Proportion and Rates of Contribution in the above respects of

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