the said Office subsequently to the Entry of such Memorandum as aforesaid whereon such Affidavit shall appear the Entry of such Memorandum shall be stated.

Act not to affect Execution by Fieri facias.

X. Provided always, and be it enacted, That all such Chattel Interests in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments as might have been taken in Execution under any Writ of Fieri facias if the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty had not been passed, may be taken in Execution and otherwise dealt with under any Writ of Fieri facias already issued or hereafter to be issued, anything in this Act contained notwithstanding.

Rights of Judgment Creditor in Administration of Assets preserved.

XI. And be it enacted, That in the Administration in Courts of Equity of the Assets of any Person against whom any Judgment, Decree, Order, or Rule has been or shall be entered up, obtained, or made, either before or after the passing of this Act, who shall die seised of or entitled to any Estate or Interest in Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, the Creditor under such Judgment, Decree, Order, or Rule shall have the same Rights upon and in respect of such Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments as if this Act had not been passed.

3 & 4 Vict. c. 105. s. 22. not to extend to Interests created by Securities for Money.

XII. 'And whereas Doubts have arisen whether under the recited Provision of the said 'Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty Judgments against Persons having Securities 'upon Land for Payment of Money may not operate as a Charge upon such Land, or affect 'the Title thereto; and it is expedient that such Doubts should be removed:' Be it therefore declared and enacted, That no Judgment, Decree, Order, or Rule shall under the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty operate or be deemed to have operated as a Charge upon any Estate, Interest, or Title in or to Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments vested in or subject to the Power of Disposition of any Person against whom such Judgment, Decree, Order, or Rule is entered up, obtained, or made, where such Estate, Interest, or Title is so vested or subject to such Power as aforesaid, by way of Mortgage or otherwise, as a Security for the Payment of any Money, or consists of any Judgment or Lien or any Money thereby secured or recoverable, or any Sum or Sums of Money (except Rents and Rent-charges) charged upon or payable out of Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments: Provided always, that this Section shall not in any Manner extend or apply to any Case in which the above Doubts, or any Question thereon, have or hath been already argued or raised in any Proceeding now depending in any Court of Equity in *Ireland*.

Act may be amended, &c.

XIII. And be it enacted, That this Act may be amended or repealed in this present Session of Parliament.

CAP. XXX.

An Act to provide for the Appointment of Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland*. [15th *July* 1850.]

'WHEREAS the Office of High Sheriff of *Westmoreland*, by virtue of a certain Grant 'or Grants of His Majesty King *John* to *Robert de Veteripont* and his Heirs, and of 'divers Assignments or Conveyances thereof, descended and came to *Henry* Earl of *Thanet* 'now deceased, who in his Lifetime and at the Time of his Death was and exercised and 'enjoyed the said Office of Hereditary High Sheriff, descendible to him and his Heirs: And 'whereas the said *Henry* Earl of *Thanet* died on or about the Twelfth Day of *June* One 'thousand eight hundred and forty-nine without lawful Issue, having first made and pub-'lished his Will, whereby (as it is alleged) he devised the said Office of Sheriff to *Richard* '*Tufton* for Life, with divers Remainders over: And whereas Doubts have arisen whether 'the said Office of Sheriff passed by the said Devise contained in the said Will, or whether 'it became on the Death of the said *Henry* Earl of *Thanet* vested in his Heir or Heiress at 'Law, or whether it escheated to the Crown: And whereas it being impracticable to settle 'and ascertain such Doubts and Rights within the Time necessary for executing and per-'forming the said Office of Sheriff within the said County, and it being necessary for the 'Administration of Justice within the said County that a Sheriff for the said County should 'be appointed until such Doubts and Rights could be settled and ascertained, it was by a

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'certain Act of Parliament passed in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, intituled *An Act to provide for the Execution for One Year of the Office of Sheriff in the County of* Westmoreland, enacted that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, from and after the passing of that Act, to nominate and appoint, in Manner and Form therein mentioned, such Person to be Sheriff for One Year of the County of *Westmoreland* as She should by the Advice of Her Council think fit: And whereas, in pursuance of the said Power given to Her Majesty by the said Act, Her Majesty, on the Eighteenth Day of *July* in the Year One thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, was graciously pleased, by the Advice of Her Council, to appoint *George Edmund Wilson* of *Heversham House*, Esquire, to be Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland:* And whereas grave Inconveniences have arisen in consequence of the said Office of Sheriff of *Westmoreland* having been so vested in the Heirs of the said *Robert de Veteripont*, and also still further Inconveniences in consequence of the conflicting Claims of different Persons to the said Office under or by virtue of the said Grant; and the like Inconveniences may again occur if the Right to hold, exercise, or enjoy the said Office should be continued as aforetime in any of Her Majesty's Subjects; wherefore it is expedient that Provision should be made for the discontinuing and abolishing such Rights, and for vesting the Appointment of the Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland* in Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, in like Manner as is the Case in all other Counties of *England* and *Wales:*' 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, That from and after the first Appointment by Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, of any of Her Majesty's Subjects, in manner herein-after mentioned, to be Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland*, all Right and Title in the said *Robert de Veteripont*, his Heir or Heirs, or any Person or Persons claiming through or under any of them, or under any Devise, Conveyance, or Assurance made by them or any of them, or under or by virtue of any hereditary Claim or Title whatsoever to hold, exercise, and enjoy the Office of Sheriff of *Westmoreland*, shall for ever cease and determine.

12 & 13 Vict. c. 42.

After the first Appointment by Her Majesty of Sheriff of Westmoreland, all other Rights to make such Appointment to cease.

II. And be it enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act it shall be lawful for the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, to appoint, in such Manner and Form as is provided by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of King *William* the Fourth, for, amongst other things, "facilitating the Appointment of Sheriffs," such Person (being by Law competent to hold and exercise the Office of Sheriff) to be Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland* as She shall, by the Advice of Her Privy Council, think fit, and hereafter from Time to Time as Occasion shall require to appoint in like Manner and Form any other Person (so being by Law competent as aforesaid) to be Sheriff of the said County of *Westmoreland;* and such Person so to be from Time to Time appointed shall hold, use, and execute the said Office of Sheriff within the said County of *Westmoreland*, and upon taking the Oath of Office by the said Act prescribed shall thenceforth have and exercise all the Powers, Privileges, and Authorities hitherto usually exercised and enjoyed by the Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland*, or any other Sheriff now or heretofore appointed under and by virtue of the said last-mentioned Act, and shall be subject and liable to the same Duties and Liabilities as the Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland* has hitherto been subject and liable to, and to all the Liabilities imposed upon Sheriffs in *England* and *Wales* by the said last-mentioned Act.

After passing of Act, Her Majesty to appoint to Office of Sheriff.

3 & 4 W. 4. c. 99.

III. Provided always, and be it enacted, That the said *George Edward Wilson* shall continue to hold, use, and execute the said Office of Sheriff of the County of *Westmoreland* until the Appointment by Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, of some other Person to be Sheriff of the said County under this Act.

G. E. Wilson, Esq. to continue Sheriff of Westmoreland until another appointed.