of Suitors Fee Fund.

Salaries and Sums of Money charged thereon by this Act or any former Act, it shall be lawful for the Lord Chancellor by any Order to direct that such Surplus, or such Part thereof as to the Lord Chancellor shall seem fit, shall be invested in the Purchase of Parliamentary or Government Securities in the Name of the said Accountant General, to be placed to the Account, intituled "Account of Monies placed out to provide for the Officers of the High Court of Chancery," and it shall be lawful for the Lord Chancellor in like Manner to direct the Investment of the Dividends or Interest to accrue from Time to Time on the Securities now or at any Time hereafter under this Act or any former Act to be placed to the said last-mentioned Account, or so much of such Dividends and Interest as he shall think fit, in the Purchase of Parliamentary or Government Securities in the Name of the said Accountant General, to be by him placed to the Credit of the said last-mentioned Account, and as often as there shall be a Deficiency in the said Account, intituled "The Suitors Fee Fund Account," at any of the Times appointed for Payment of any of the Salaries or Sums of Money charged thereon, it shall be lawful for the Lord Chancellor to direct the said Accountant General to make good such Deficiency by carrying over and placing to the said Account, intituled "The Suitors Fee Fund Account," such Sum as the Lord Chancellor may consider sufficient for that Purpose, out of the Interest and Dividends to arise from the Government or Parliamentary Securities standing to the said Account, intituled "Account of Monies placed out to provide for the Officers of the High Court of Chancery," or by a Sale of so much of the said Securities as may be necessary for that Purpose.

Interpretation of Term "Lord Chancellor."

LV. In the Construction of this Act, unless such Meaning be repugnant to or inconsistent with the Context, the Expression "Lord Chancellor" shall mean and include the Lord High Chancellor of *Great Britain*, and the Lord Keeper or Lords Commissioners of the Great Seal of the United Kingdom for the Time being.

CAP. LXXXVIII.

An Act to remove Doubts as to the Constitution of the Bishopric of *Christchurch* in *New Zealand*, and to enable Her Majesty to constitute such Bishopric and to subdivide the Diocese of *New Zealand*. [1st *July* 1852.]

'WHEREAS Her Majesty, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing Date the Fourteenth Day of *October* One thousand eight hundred and forty-one, and in the Fifth Year of Her Reign, did make, ordain, and constitute the Colony of *New Zealand* into a Bishop's See or Diocese, by the Name or Style of the Bishopric of *New Zealand*, and did nominate and appoint *George Augustus Selwyn* Clerk to be Bishop and ordinary Pastor of the said See for the Term of his natural Life, subject to such Right of Resignation as in the said Letters Patent is expressed: And whereas, by reason of the Extent of the said Diocese, it is expedient that Provision should be made for the Subdivision thereof: And whereas, in order to such Subdivision, the said *George Augustus Selwyn* hath, by an Instrument under his Hand and Seal, bearing Date the Ninth Day of *May* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, resigned and surrendered so much of the said See or Diocese of *New Zealand* as lies to the Southward of a Geographical Line drawn across the *Middle Island*, otherwise called *New Munster*, at the Northern Boundary of the *Canterbury* Territory: And whereas Doubts are entertained as to the Validity of the said Instrument of Resignation:' 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, as follows:

Surrendered Portion of Diocese of New Zealand erected into a distinct See.

I. The said Instrument of Resignation shall be deemed and taken to be, and the same is hereby declared to be, valid and effectual in the Law for the Purpose of enabling Her Majesty to erect and constitute the said surrendered Portion of the said Diocese of *New Zealand* into a distinct See or Diocese.

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