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| POLICY of ASSURANCE or Insurance, or other Instrument, by whatever Name the same shall be called, whereby any Insurance shall be made upon any Life or Lives, or upon any Event or Contingency relating to or depending upon any Life or Lives; | | | |
| Where the Sum insured shall not exceed Five hundred Pounds; | | | |
| Then for every Fifty Pounds, and any fractional Part of Fifty Pounds - - - - - - - - | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| And where it shall exceed Five hundred Pounds, and shall not exceed One thousand Pounds; | | | |
| Then for every One hundred Pounds, and any fractional Part of One hundred Pounds - - - - - - | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| And where it shall exceed One thousand Pounds; | | | |
| Then for every One thousand Pounds, and any fractional Part of One thousand Pounds - - - - - - | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| RECEIPT or DISCHARGE given for or upon the Payment of Money amounting to Two Pounds or upwards - - - - - - | 0 | 0 | 1 |

EXEMPTION.

Receipts given for Money deposited in any Bank, or in the Hands of any Banker, to be accounted for, whether with Interest or not; provided the same be not expressed to be received of or by the Hands of any other than the Person to whom the same is to be accounted for: Provided always, that this Exemption shall not extend to Receipts or Acknowledgments for Sums paid or deposited for or upon Letters of Allotment of Shares or in respect of Calls upon any Scrip or Shares of or in any Joint Stock or other Company or proposed or intended Company, which said last-mentioned Receipts or Acknowledgments, by whomsoever given, shall be liable to the Duty by this Act charged on Receipts.

## CAP. LX.

An Act to amend the Acts regulating the Salaries of Resident Magistrates in *Ireland*. [4th *August* 1853.]

6 W. 4. c. 13. s. 34.

'WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Sixth Year of King *William* the Fourth, Chapter Thirteen, it is enacted, that every Magistrate appointed under that Act should have and receive such Salary by the Year, not exceeding the Sum of Four hundred Pounds, and rateably for any shorter Period, as the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* should think fit: And whereas it is expedient that the Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland* should be empowered to vary and classify the Salaries of the Magistrates appointed under the said Act, in like Manner as the Salaries of the Officers of the Constabulary Force in *Ireland* have been classified, for which Purpose it is necessary to authorize the Lord Lieutenant to fix the annual Salaries of a certain Number of such Magistrates at a Sum exceeding Four hundred Pounds *per Annum*:' 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,

Lord Lieutenant may grant to any Magistrate a Salary not exceeding 500*l.* per Annum, but only 20 at One Time to have Salaries exceeding 400*l.*

I. That it shall be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* to grant to any Magistrate heretofore appointed or hereafter to be appointed under the said recited Act a Salary not exceeding Five hundred Pounds by the Year: Provided always, that not more than Twenty of such Magistrates shall at any One Time be entitled to receive Salaries exceeding the annual Rate of Four hundred Pounds: Provided also, that the

the aggregate Amount of all the Salaries payable to all the Magistrates for the Time being appointed as aforesaid shall not at any Time exceed the Amount which would have been payable if the annual Salary of every such Magistrate had been Four hundred Pounds, and no more, unless such Excess shall have been caused by the Death, Resignation, or Removal of a Magistrate receiving a less annual Salary than Four hundred Pounds, and by a new Magistrate not having been appointed immediately thereupon.

Aggregate Amount of Salaries not to exceed at any Time the Average of 400*l.* unless in certain Cases.

II. 'And whereas by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Tenth 'and Eleventh Years of Her present Majesty, Chapter One hundred, it is enacted, that it 'shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, upon the Recommenda- 'tion of the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, supported 'by a Certificate from the Inspector General in the said Act named, that the Party had 'served with Diligence and Fidelity, to order and direct that any Magistrate theretofore 'appointed should and might be superannuated: And whereas, the Magistrates not being 'under the Orders or Control of the Inspector General of the Constabulary, he is unable 'from his official Knowledge to certify their Diligence and Fidelity:' Be it therefore enacted, That in every Case of Superannuation of a Magistrate under the said last-recited Act the Certificate that the Party has served with Diligence and Fidelity shall be given by the Chief Secretary of the Lord Lieutenant, and not by the Inspector General of the Constabulary, and such Certificate of the Chief Secretary shall be in all respects conformable to and have the same Force and Effect as any Certificate of the Inspector General to be given under the said last in part recited Act.

A Certificate of Diligence and Fidelity to be given by the Chief Secretary, and not by Inspector General, on Superannuation of Magistrates under 10 & 11 Vict. c. 100.

## CAP. LXI.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders made under an Act of the Fifteenth Year of Her present Majesty, to facilitate Arrangements for the Relief of Turnpike Trusts, and to make certain Provisions respecting Exemptions from Tolls. [4th *August* 1853.]

'WHEREAS, in pursuance of the Act of the Fifteenth Year of Her Majesty, "to 'facilitate Arrangements for the Relief of Turnpike Trusts, and to make certain Pro- 'visions respecting Exemptions from Tolls," certain Provisional Orders have been made for 'reducing the Rate of Interest, and for extinguishing the Arrears of Interest on the Mort- 'gage Debts charged or secured on the Tolls or Revenues of certain Turnpike Roads, and 'such Orders have been published in the *London Gazette*, and in Newspapers circulating in 'the Neighbourhood of such Roads, and the Dates of such Provisional Orders, and the Acts 'under which the Tolls or Revenues on which such Debts are charged or secured are levied 'or raised, together with the Amount to which the Rate of Interest on such Debts is to be 'reduced, and the Day up to which the Interest and Arrears of Interest on such Debts are 'to be extinguished by such Orders, are mentioned in the Schedule to this Act, and such of 'the said Orders as bear Date in the Year One thousand eight hundred and fifty-two were 'made by the Right Honourable *Spencer Horatio Walpole*, who at the Date thereof was One 'of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and such of the said Orders as bear Date 'in the Year One thousand eight hundred and fifty-three were made by the Right Honourable 'Viscount *Palmerston*, who at the Date thereof was One of such Secretaries of State: And 'whereas it is expedient that the said Provisional Orders should be confirmed and made 'absolute:' 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 the said Provisional Orders are hereby confirmed, and made absolute, and shall be as binding and of the like Force and Effect as if the Provisions thereof had been expressly enacted by Parliament.

14 & 15 Vict. c. 38.

Provisional Orders confirmed.

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