CAP. LXII.

An Act to extend and continue an Act of the Twelfth Year of Her present Majesty, to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious Disorders among Sheep, Cattle, and other Animals. [4th *August* 1853.]

'WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty (Chapter One hundred and seven), for preventing, until the First Day of *September* One thousand eight hundred and fifty, and to the End of the then Session of Parliament, the spreading of contagious or infectious Disorders among Sheep, Cattle, and other Animals: And whereas the said Act has by sundry Acts been continued until the First Day of *September* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and if Parliament be then sitting, then further until the End of the then Session of Parliament: And whereas it is expedient that the said Act should be extended and further continued:' 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, as follows: 11 & 12 Vict. c. 107.

I. Any Person bringing or attempting to bring for Sale any Horse or other Animal into any Market, Fair, or other open or public Place where Animals are commonly exposed for Sale, knowing such Horse or other Animal to be infected with or labouring under the Disease called Glanders, and any Person turning out, keeping, or depasturing any Horse or other Animal infected with or labouring under any such Disease in or upon any Forest, Chase, Wood, Moor, Marsh, Heath, Common, Waste Land, Open Field, Road Side, or other undivided or uninclosed Land, shall on Conviction of any such Offence forfeit and pay any Sum not exceeding Twenty Pounds; and the said Act shall be read and construed as if this Enactment were incorporated therein, and all the Provisions of the said Act with respect to the Penalties or Forfeitures thereby imposed, and the Recovery and Application thereof, shall be applicable accordingly. Penalty on Persons bringing glandered Horses, &c. into Market, or turning them out on uninclosed Land.

II. The said Act as extended by this Act shall continue and be in force until the First Day of *September* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, or if Parliament be then sitting until the End of the then Session of Parliament. Recited Act continued until 1st Sept. 1856, and End of then Session.

CAP. LXIII.

An Act to repeal certain Stamp Duties, and to grant others in lieu thereof, to give Relief with respect to the Stamp Duties on Newspapers and Supplements thereto, to repeal the Duty on Advertisements, and otherwise to amend the Laws relating to Stamp Duties. [4th *August* 1853.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient to repeal the Stamp Duties now payable in respect of the several Instruments, Matters, and Things mentioned or described in the Schedule to this Act annexed, and to impose other Stamp Duties in lieu thereof, and also to give Relief with respect to the Stamp Duties on Newspapers and Supplements thereto, and otherwise to amend the Laws relating to Stamp Duties, and to repeal the Duty charged on Advertisements:' 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, as follows:

I. From and after the passing of this Act the several Stamp Duties now payable in *Great Britain* and *Ireland* respectively, under or by virtue of any Act or Acts of Parliament for or in respect of the several Instruments, Matters, and Things mentioned or described in the Schedule to this Act annexed, and whereon other Duties are by this Act granted, shall respectively cease and determine, and shall be and the same are hereby repealed; and in lieu and Stamp Duties on Instruments in the Schedule annexed repealed, and others granted in lieu thereof.