or if Parliament be then sitting at the End of the present Session of Parliament, shall be further continued, as amended by the said recited Act of the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesty's Reign, until the Thirty-first Day of *July* One thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and to the End of the then next Session of Parliament. expire on or before 31st July 1856 continued.

II. In citing this Act for any Purpose whatever it shall be sufficient to use the Expression "The Annual Turnpike Acts (*Ireland*) Continuance Act, 1856." Short Title.

CAP. LXXII.

An Act to continue "The Railways Act (*Ireland*), 1851." [29th *July* 1856.]

'WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act to alter and amend certain Provisions of the Lands Clauses Consolidation Act*, 1845, *so far as relates to* Ireland, which Act was to continue in force for Five Years next after the passing thereof, and thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament: And whereas it is expedient that the said Act should be 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, 14 & 15 Vict. c. 70.

I. That the said recited Act shall continue in force for One Year next after the passing of this Act, and thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament. Recited Act continued.

CAP. LXXIII.

An Act to indemnify such Persons in the United Kingdom as have omitted to qualify themselves for Offices and Employments, and to extend the Time limited for those Purposes respectively. [29th *July* 1856.]

'WHEREAS divers Persons who, on account of their Offices, Places, Employments, or Professions, or any other Cause or Occasion, ought to have taken and subscribed the Oaths or Assurance respectively appointed to be by such Persons taken and subscribed in and by an Act of the First Year of King *George* the First, Statute Two, Chapter Thirteen; or to have qualified themselves according to an Act of the Thirteenth Year of King *Charles* the Second, Statute Two, Chapter One; or according to an Act of the Twenty-fifth Year of King *Charles* the Second, Chapter Two; or according to an Act of the Thirtieth Year of King *Charles* the Second, Statute Two; or according to an Act of the Eighth Year of King *George* the First, Chapter Six; or according to an Act of the Ninth Year of King *George* the Second, Chapter Twenty-six; or according to an Act of the Eighteenth Year of King *George* the Second, Chapter Twenty; or according to an Act of the Sixth Year of King *George* the Third, Chapter Fifty-three; or according to an Act of the Ninth Year of King *George* the Fourth, Chapter Seventeen; or according to an Act of the Tenth Year of King *George* the Fourth, Chapter Seven, so far only as the said Act relates to any Civil or Military Offices, or Places of Trust, or Places of Profit, or Corporate Offices, have, through Ignorance of the Law, Absence, or some unavoidable Accident, omitted to take and subscribe the Oaths and Assurance and make and subscribe the Declaration required by the said recited Acts or either of them, or otherwise to qualify themselves as aforesaid, within such Time and in such Manner as in and 1 G. 1. st. 2. c. 13. 13 C. 2. st. 2. c. 1. 25 C. 2. c. 2. 30 C. 2. st. 2. 8 G. 1. c. 6. 9 G. 2. c. 26. 18 G. 2. c. 20. 6 G. 3. c. 53. 9 G. 4. c. 17. 10 G. 4. c. 7.