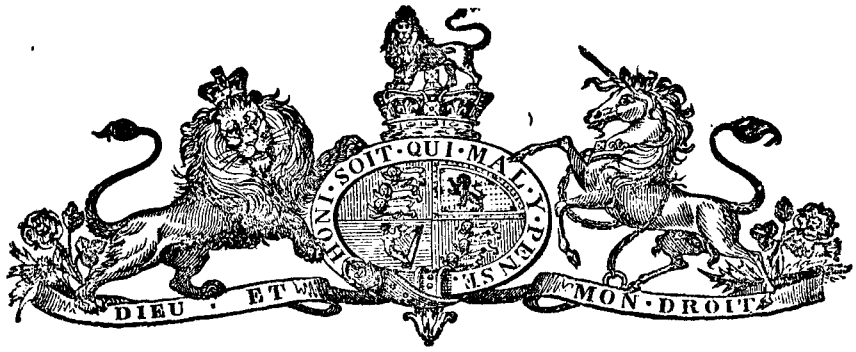


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CAP. LXVIII.

An Act to amend the Law concerning detached Parts of Counties. [2d *August* 1858.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session holden in the Second and Third Years of Her Majesty, Chapter Ninety-three, "for the Establishment of County and District Con- "stables by the Authority of Justices of the Peace," it was enacted that for the Purposes of that Act all detached Parts of Counties should be considered as forming Part of that County by which they were surrounded, or if partly surrounded by Two or more Counties, then as forming Part of that County with which they had the longest common Boundary, and so much of every such detached Part of any County which was not of itself an entire Hundred, Wapentake, Ward, Rape, Lathe, or such other Division of a County, should be considered as forming Part of that Hundred, Ward, Wapentake, Rape, Lathe, or such other Division whereby it should be surrounded, in the County of which it should be considered a Part, for the Purposes of that Act, or if partly surrounded by Two or more Hundreds, Wapentakes, Wards, Rapes, Lathes, or such other Divisions, then as forming Part of that One with which it should have the longest common Boundary: And whereas by an Act passed in the Session holden in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty, Chapter Eighty-eight, to amend the firstly herein recited Act, it was enacted, that it should be lawful for

2 & 3 Vict. c. 93.

3 & 4 Vict. c. 88.

for the Justices of any Two or more neighbouring Counties, in their several General or Quarter Sessions assembled, from Time to Time to agree that such Parts of their several Counties as to them should seem fit should for the Purposes of the firstly herein recited Act be considered as forming Part of any other of the said Counties; and whenever any such District should be so transferred for the Purposes of the said Act from one County to another, with the Consent of the Justices of both the last-mentioned Counties, such District should be considered for the Purposes of the said Act as if it were detached from the County to which it belonged, and wholly surrounded by the County to which it was so transferred: And whereas by an Act passed in the Session holden in the Seventh and Eighth Years of Her Majesty, Chapter Sixty-one, it was enacted, that every Part of any County in *England* or *Wales* which was detached from the main Body of such County should be considered for all Purposes as forming Part of that County of which it was considered a Part for the Purposes of the Election of Members to serve in Parliament as Knights of the Shire, under the Provisions of an Act passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, intituled *An Act to settle and to describe the Divisions of Counties, and the Limits of Cities and Boroughs, in* England *and* Wales, *in so far as respects the Election of Members to serve in Parliament:* And whereas several Parts of Counties which before the passing of the said Act of the Seventh and Eighth Years of Her Majesty were detached from the main Bodies of such Counties are also detached from the main Bodies of the Counties of which under that Act they respectively form Parts, or may be conveniently united with other Counties: And whereas it is expedient to make such Provision as herein-after mentioned in relation to detached Parts of Counties: 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:

7 & 8 Vict. c. 61.

2 & 3 W. 4. c. 64.

Detached Parts of Counties may be transferred for the Purposes of the Constabulary.

I. It shall be lawful for the Justices of any Two or more neighbouring Counties, in their several General or Quarter Sessions assembled, notwithstanding the said Act of the Seventh and Eighth Years of Her Majesty, from Time to Time to agree that any detached Part of any County shall for the Purposes of the Acts relating to County and District Constables be considered as forming Part of the County by which the same is surrounded, or if partly surrounded by Two or more Counties, then as forming Part of that County with which such Part has the longest common Boundary; and whenever any Part of any County is so transferred, such Part shall be subject to the Provisions of the said Acts of the Second and Third Years and

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of the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty concerning detached Parts of Counties, as the same would have been if the said Act of the Seventh and Eighth Years of Her Majesty had not been passed.

Recited Provision of 3 & 4 Vict. c. 88. to extend to Parts annexed under 7 & 8 Vict. c. 61.

II. The Provision herein-before recited of the said Act of the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty shall extend to any Part of a County which did not form Part of such County before the passing of the said Act of the Seventh and Eighth Years of Her Majesty, in like Manner as if the same had always formed Part of such County.

Power to contract for Care of Prisoners.

III. Where any Agreement is made as aforesaid in relation to any detached Part of a County, the Justices entering into such Agreement may, with the Approval of One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, also agree for the Support and Maintenance in any Gaol or House of Correction belonging to the County to which such detached Part is assigned under such Agreement of any Prisoners committed thereto from such detached Part, and for the Payment, where the Occasion shall require, of all or any Part of the Expenses of Additions or Alterations of or to such Gaol or House of Correction which may be required by reason of the Commitment of such Prisoners thereto; and every Prisoner committed from such detached Part, who would or might otherwise be confined in the Gaol or House of Correction of the County to which such detached Part belongs, may be lawfully committed or removed to and confined in the Gaol or House of Correction receiving him under such Agreement; and all Prisoners so confined in such Gaol or House of Correction, whether before or after Trial, shall be subject in all Matters and Things to the same Rules and Regulations as if they were committed to such Gaol or House of Correction by any of the Justices having Jurisdiction over the same, and if committed before Trial shall be triable and tried in the same Manner as if their Offences had been committed in the County to which such Gaol or House of Correction belongs; and the Monies to be paid under such Agreement for the Support and Maintenance of such Prisoners, and other such Expenses as aforesaid, shall be raised in the same Manner as Monies for defraying the Expenses of any Gaol or House of Correction of the County to which such detached Part belongs, to which such Prisoners would or might have been committed if such Agreement had not been made.

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