CAP. LXII.

An Act for amending the *Isle of Man* Harbours Act, 1863. [25th *July* 1864.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient to make further Provision with respect to the Improvement of the Harbour of *Port Erin* in the *Isle of Man*:' May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and 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:

Conditions on which Dues may be levied.

1. The Conditions contained in the Second Section of the *Isle of Man* Harbours Act, 1863, shall be deemed to have been complied with so soon as the Pier or Piers to be constructed in pursuance of that Act shall have been constructed and carried out of the Lengths therein mentioned, notwithstanding that such Pier or Piers may not be continuous.

'Whereas it is intended that under the Provisions of the said recited Act a Sum of Fifty-eight thousand two hundred Pounds shall be advanced by the Public Works Loan Commissioners by way of Loan to the Harbour Commissioners of the *Isle of Man*, for the Purposes of the Works authorized by the said recited Act, on the Security of the Dues leviable under the said recited Act, and on the collateral Security of such Payments, out of the surplus Customs Revenue of the *Isle of Man*, as are herein-after mentioned, and it is expedient to give effect to such Intention:'

Deficiency of Dues to repay Instalments of Loan to be charged on surplus Customs Revenue to Extent of 1,600*l.* annually.

2. Be it enacted, That if there shall be any Deficiency in the Dues which will be payable in respect of the Works proposed to be erected at *Port Erin* by the Application of the said Loan to meet the Claims of the said Public Works Loans Commissioners to Payment as such Claims fall due, then the Amount so deficient, to an Extent not exceeding One thousand six hundred Pounds in any One Year, shall be charged and paid out of any surplus Customs Revenue of the *Isle of Man*, if there shall be any Surplus applicable thereto, after providing for all existing Charges upon such Revenue, and before any Charges of a new and distinct Character are imposed thereon; and if when the said proposed Works shall be completed it shall be found that the Harbour Dues and other Monies received and applicable to Payments to be made to the said Commissioners are more than sufficient to provide for such annual Payments as they shall fall due, the Balance, after providing for such Payments, shall be applied yearly to repay any Monies which shall have been advanced out of the said Surplus of Customs Revenues under the Authority of this Act, with Interest thereon at the Rate of Three and a Quarter *per Cent.* from the Time of the Advance to the Time of Repayment.

Short Title.

3. This Act may be cited as "The *Isle of Man* Harbours Amendment Act, 1864."

CAP. LXIII.

An Act to suspend the making of Lists and the Ballots for the Militia of the United Kingdom. [25th *July* 1864.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient to suspend for a further Period the Ballots for the Militia of the United Kingdom:' 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:

Meetings relating to the Militia of the United King-

1. All General and Subdivision Meetings relating to the Militia of the United Kingdom, and all Proceedings relating to procuring any Returns or preparing or making out Lists of such Militia, or any Part thereof, for the Purpose of a Ballot, or relating to balloting for any

any Militiamen or supplying any Vacancies in such Militia by Ballot, as are or may be directed or authorized by or under any Act of Parliament now in force, shall cease and remain suspended until the First Day of *October* One thousand eight hundred and sixty-five. dom and Ballots for such Militia suspended.

2. Provided always, That it shall be lawful for Her Majesty by any Order in Council to direct that any Proceedings shall be had at any Time before the Expiration of such Period as aforesaid, either for the giving of Notices and making Returns and preparing Lists, and also for the proceeding to ballot and enrol Men for the filling up Vacancies in the Militia, as Her Majesty shall deem expedient; and upon the issuing of any such Order all such Proceedings shall be had for carrying into execution all the Provisions of the Acts in force in the United Kingdom relating to the giving Notices for and Returns for Lists, and for the balloting and enrolling of Men to supply any Vacancies in the Militia, and holding General and Subdivision Meetings for such Purpose, at such Times respectively as shall be expressed in any such Order in Council, or by any Directions given in pursuance thereof to Lord Lieutenants, or Deputy Lieutenants acting for Lord Lieutenants, of the several Counties, Shires, Cities, and Places in the United Kingdom; and all the Provisions of the several Acts in force in the United Kingdom relating to the Militia shall, upon any such Order, and Direction given in pursuance thereof, become and be in full Force and be carried into execution at the Periods specified in such Order or Direction as aforesaid, with all such Penalties and Forfeitures for any Neglect thereof, as fully as if such Periods had been fixed in the Acts relating to such Militia. Proceedings may be had during such Suspension by Order in Council.

3. So long as the making of Lists and the Ballots for the Militia of *Great Britain* are suspended it shall not be necessary for the Clerks of General Meetings of the several Counties therein to transmit to the Clerks of the Subdivision Meetings, or to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the War Department, the Extracts and Abstracts mentioned and referred to in Section Three of Seventh *George* the Fourth, Chapter Fifty-eight. So long as Lists are suspended, not necessary to transmit Extracts, &c. as required by Sect. 3. of 7 G. 4. c. 58.

4. Provided also, That nothing herein contained shall extend to prevent the holding before the Expiration of such Period as aforesaid of such General or other Meetings relating to the Militia of the United Kingdom as may be called in *Great Britain* under the Authority of One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, or in *Ireland* under the Authority of the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, or of any Meeting which may be called for the Purpose of altering, enlarging, or providing any Place for the Reception of the Arms, Accoutrements, Clothing, or other Stores belonging to the Militia. Not to extend to prevent the holding of certain Meetings relating to the Militia.

CAP. LXIV.

An Act for further regulating the closing of Public Houses and Refreshment Houses within the Metropolitan Police District, the City of *London*, certain Corporate Boroughs, and other Places. [25th *July* 1864.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Law relating to the closing of Public Houses and Refreshment Houses within the Metropolitan Police District, the City of *London*, certain Corporate Boroughs, and other Places:' 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:

1. This Act may be cited for all Purposes as the "Public House Closing Act, 1864." Short Title.

2. This Act shall be in force only within the Limits of the Metropolitan Police District, the City of *London* and the Liberties thereof, and such Corporate Boroughs Limits of Act.