the Relief of His Majesty's Roman Catholic Subjects, respecting the Suppression or Prohibition of the Religious Orders or Societies of the Church of *Rome* bound by Monastic or Religious Vows.

Property held for the Purposes mentioned in this Act, in England and Wales, to be subject to the Provisions of 9 G. 2. c. 36.

V. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That all Property to be acquired or held for such Purposes of Religious Worship, Education, and Charitable Purposes, in *England* and *Wales*, shall be subject to the Provisions of an Act passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of King *George* the Second, intituled *An Act to restrain the Disposition of Lands whereby the same may become unalienable*, and to the same Laws as the Protestant Dissenters are subject to in *England* in respect of the acquiring or holding of such Property: Provided always, that nothing in this Act contained shall be taken to extend the Provisions of the said last-recited Act to that Part of *Great Britain* called *Scotland*.

CAP. CXVI.

An Act to provide for the Salaries of certain High and Judicial Officers, and of Payments heretofore made out of the Civil List Revenues. [16th *August* 1832.]

1 W. 4. c. 25.

'WHEREAS in an Act passed in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act for the Support of His Majesty's Household, and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown of the United Kingdom of* Great Britain *and* Ireland, it is recited, that in consequence of His Majesty having been graciously pleased to signify to His faithful Commons in Parliament assembled, that His Majesty placed without Reserve at their Disposal His Majesty's Interest in the Hereditary Revenues, and in those Funds which may be derived from any Droits of the Crown or Admiralty, from the *West India* Duties, or from any casual Revenues, either in His Majesty's Foreign Possessions or in the United Kingdom; and that in surrendering His Majesty's Interest in Revenues which had in former Settlements of the Civil List been reserved to the Crown, His Majesty rejoiced in the Opportunity of evincing His Majesty's entire Reliance on their dutiful Attachment, and His Majesty's Confidence that they would cheerfully provide all that might be necessary for the Support of the Civil Government, and the Honour and Dignity of His Majesty's Crown; His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* in Parliament assembled, with Hearts full of the warmest Duty and Gratitude, declare their Desire that Provision should be made for the Support of the Civil Government by Charges upon the Consolidated Fund, and otherwise by other Acts to be passed in the then Session of Parliament, and that a certain and competent Revenue for defraying the Expences of His Majesty's Household, and supporting the Honour and Dignity of the Crown of the United Kingdom during His Majesty's Life (whom God long preserve), might be settled upon His Majesty: And whereas by the said recited Act the latter Object was effected, but no Act or Acts have since passed for making the contemplated Provision for the Civil Government Charges previously borne upon the Civil List Revenues, upon the Hereditary Revenues of *Scotland*, and upon

'the Four and Half *per Centum* Duties, over and above the 'Charges provided for by the said recited Act; and such Charges 'have from Time to Time been provided for by occasional Grants 'of Parliament until they should be charged upon the Consolidated 'Fund, or otherwise provided for according to the Spirit and 'Meaning declared in the said recited Act: And whereas it has 'been deemed expedient that many of the said Charges should be 'granted from Year to Year upon Estimates to be annually pre-'pared for that Purpose: And whereas it is now deemed ex-'pedient to carry into effect the Intentions expressed in that Act, 'by making Provision for other of the said Civil Government 'Charges out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom 'of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*:' Be it therefore enacted by the King'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 it shall be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to grant the several and respective annual Salaries herein-after specified, from and after the Fifth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, to the Judges of His Majesty's Courts at *Westminster* and *Dublin*, herein-after enumerated; (that is to say,) to the Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench at *Westminster*, Ten thousand Pounds; to the Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas at *Westminster*, Eight thousand Pounds; to the Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer at *Westminster*, Seven thousand Pounds; to each of the Puisne Justices of the Courts of King's Bench and Common Pleas and Barons of the Coif of the Court of Exchequer at *Westminster*, who may have been appointed before the Sixteenth Day of *November* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, Five thousand five hundred Pounds; to each of the Puisne Justices and Barons of the said Courts who may have been appointed since the Sixteenth Day of *November* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, and to those who may be hereafter appointed, Five thousand Pounds; to the Cursitor Baron of the Exchequer at *Westminster*, during the Continuance of the existing Interest therein, Two hundred and forty-three Pounds; to the Vice-Chancellor of *England*, Six thousand Pounds; to the Lord Chancellor of *Ireland*, Eight thousand Pounds; to the Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench in *Dublin*, Five thousand and seventy-four Pounds Nine Shillings and Four-pence; to the Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas in *Dublin*, Four thousand six hundred and twelve Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight-pence; to the Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer in *Dublin*, Four thousand six hundred and twelve Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight-pence; to the Second Justice of the Court of King's Bench in *Dublin*, Three thousand seven hundred and twenty-five Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four-pence; to each of the other Puisne Justices of the Courts of King's Bench and Common Pleas and Barons of the Coif in the Court of Exchequer in *Dublin*, Three thousand six hundred and eighty-eight Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four-pence; to the Judge of the Admiralty Court in *Ireland*, Five hundred Pounds; and all such Salaries shall be payable quarterly, and shall be charged and chargeable upon and paid out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great*

Salaries to Judges.

Britain and *Ireland;* and all such respective Salaries shall be the full Salaries of each of such Judges, and shall be in lieu of all Salaries heretofore payable to such Judges out of the Consolidated Fund or Civil List, or other Fund whatsoever, under any Act or Acts of the Parliament of *Great Britain* or *Ireland* or of the United Kingdom, and of all Fees or other Emoluments which heretofore made Part of the Salaries of any of such Judges respectively, save and except as to Fees receivable by the present Cursitor Baron of the Exchequer, who shall be allowed to continue to take and receive all Fees legally demandable by him, during the Continuance of his existing Interest in the said Office; any thing contained in any Act or Acts of the Parliament of *Great Britain* or *Ireland* or of the United Kingdom, or any Law, Usage, or Custom, relating to any of the Salaries of any of such Judges respectively, to the contrary notwithstanding.

Fees, &c. heretofore received by Judges and Lord Chancellor of Ireland to be paid into the Exchequer.

II. And be it further enacted, That all such Fees and pecuniary Profits as have heretofore been used and accustomed to be demanded and received by or for the Use of any of the aforesaid Judges (save and except the said Cursitor Baron), or of the Lord Chancellor of *Ireland*, shall continue to be demanded and received by the Persons who have heretofore demanded and received the same, and shall be accounted for quarterly, and paid into the Exchequer, and be carried to and make Part of the said Consolidated Fund.

Salary to Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

III. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to grant to the Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of *Ireland* for the Time being an annual Salary of Twenty thousand Pounds, chargeable upon the said Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, to be paid and payable quarterly at the Four most usual Days of Payment in the Year, the first Payment to commence and take effect from the Fifth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

Diplomatic Salaries and Pensions.

IV. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to charge upon the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* an annual Sum of Two hundred and three thousand five hundred and ten Pounds, to defray the Charge of the Salaries and Allowances of His Majesty's Diplomatic Servants employed at Foreign Courts, and of the Pensions which have been granted or may hereafter be granted to Persons having served His Majesty at Foreign Courts, the said Charge to take effect and commence from the Fifth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

Restriction on Amount of Grants of Pensions.

V. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That until the said Sum of Two hundred and three thousand five hundred and ten Pounds shall be reduced to the Sum of One hundred and eighty thousand Pounds, it shall not be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs or Successors, to grant in any One Year a larger annual Amount in Pensions for Diplomatic Services than Two thousand Pounds in the whole; and when the actual Charge shall be reduced to the Sum of One hundred and eighty thousand Pounds, it shall not be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to charge upon the said Consolidated Fund for any One Year a larger Amount to defray the Charges of Diplomatic Salaries, Allowances, and Pensions than One hundred and eighty thousand Pounds.

VI. And

VI. And be it further enacted, That no new Diplomatic Pension which may hereafter be granted under the Authority of this Act shall exceed One thousand seven hundred Pounds *per Annum* to any One Person for the First Class, One thousand three hundred Pounds *per Annum* to any One Person for the Second Class; Nine hundred Pounds *per Annum* to any One Person for the Third Class, and Seven hundred Pounds *per Annum* to any One Person for the Fourth Class; and that such Pensions shall only be so granted under the following Regulations and Restrictions; (that is to say,) Limitation of Diplomatic Pensions.

First, That no Diplomatic Pension whatever shall be granted to any Person until the Expiration of Fifteen Years from the Date of his First Commission, nor unless he shall have actually served Ten Years:

Second, That no Person shall be qualified to receive a Pension of the First Class unless he shall have actually resided Three Years as Ambassador at some Foreign Court:

Third, That no Person shall be qualified to receive a Pension of the Second Class who shall not have actually resided Five Years as an Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at some Foreign Court:

Fourth, That no Person shall be qualified to receive a Pension of the Third Class who shall not have actually resided Five Years as Minister Plenipotentiary or Minister resident at some Foreign Court:

Fifth, That Pensions in the remaining Class shall not exceed Seven hundred Pounds *per Annum*, under the same Conditions as to Time of Residence.

VII. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That all Diplomatic Pensions shall be subject to Forfeiture in case of Refusal of the Person holding the same to proceed to any Mission of equal or higher Rank than that in respect of which such Pension may have been granted, and of Suspension or Abatement in any Case in which the Person holding the same may be appointed to any Office of Profit under the Crown. Forfeiture or Abatement of Pension in certain Cases.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That an Account of all Payments which may be made for Diplomatic Salaries, Allowances, and Pensions shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament on or before the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* in every Year. Account of Pensions to be laid before Parliament.

IX. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to direct the Payment of any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding in the whole Eighty-five thousand one hundred and twenty-nine Pounds *per Annum*, out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, to defray the Charge, during the Pleasure of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, of those Pensions which, prior to the Accession of His Majesty, were charged upon the Civil List payable in *England* and in *Ireland*, upon the Hereditary Revenues of *Scotland*, and the Four and a Half *per Centum* Duties, and for which no Provision was made in the Civil List granted to His Majesty by the Act for the Support of His Majesty's Household, and for the Honour and Dignity of the Crown; the said Charge to commence and take effect from the Fifth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two. Providing for the late Civil List Pensions.

Such Pensions to be granted only to those Persons who were charged on the Civil List, &c.

X. Provided always, and it is hereby further enacted, That such Pensions shall be granted only to or on behalf of those Persons who were in the Receipt and Enjoyment of, or were beneficially interested in, a Pension of corresponding Amount upon the Civil List in *England* or in *Ireland*, the Hereditary Revenues of *Scotland*, or the Four and a Half *per Centum* Duties, prior to the Accession of His Majesty; and that such of the said Pensions and of the Salaries and Allowances herein-after mentioned as have heretofore been paid out of the Hereditary Revenues of *Scotland*, and out of the Four and a Half *per Centum* Duties, shall after His Majesty's Life, (which God long preserve,) and in the Event of His Majesty's Heirs and Successors resuming the Rights of the Crown in the said Hereditary Revenues of *Scotland*, and the Four and a Half *per Centum* Duties, and receiving the same, then cease to be a Charge on the said Consolidated Fund.

Salaries of Officers formerly paid out of Civil List;

XI. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to charge upon the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding in the whole Twenty thousand three hundred and nine Pounds *per Annum*, to pay Salaries and Allowances which prior to the Accession of His Majesty were chargeable on the Civil List Revenues in *England* and *Ireland*, and on the Hereditary Revenues in *Scotland*, and for which no Provision has been made by the Act for the Support of His Majesty's Household, and for the Honour and Dignity of the Crown, the said Charge to commence and take effect from the Fifth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

Salaries, &c. to be free of all Fees and Taxes.

XII. And be it further enacted, That the several Salaries, Allowances, and Pensions granted or to be granted under the Authority of this Act shall be paid net, and free and clear of all Taxes or Charges, for or in respect of any Land Tax, or of any Pension or other Duty, Rate, or Charge whatever, and clear and discharged of all Fees or Payments whatever to which any such Salaries, Allowances, or Pensions may have been heretofore, or may be by any Act or Acts of Parliament, or Law or Laws, or any ancient Usage or Custom, subject or liable; and that all such Salaries, Allowances, and Pensions shall be paid and payable quarterly at the Four most usual Days of Payment in the Year, together with a rateable Proportion of the Quarter current at the Death or Resignation of any of the Persons in the Receipt of such Salaries, Allowances, and Pensions.

The Treasury may by Warrant direct the Auditor of the Exchequer to pass Debentures for Payment of the Salaries, Pensions, &c.

XIII. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Lord High Treasurer, or the Commissioners of the Treasury of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, for the Time being, or any Three or more of them, and they are hereby authorized and required, by Warrant under their Hands, to direct Debentures to be made forth and passed by the proper Officers at the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer, from Time to Time, for paying the said several Salaries, Pensions, or Sums of Money, in manner as aforesaid, and as the same shall from Time to Time become due and payable, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act; which said Warrants, and Debentures to be made forth and passed thereon respectively, shall be sufficient Authority to the several

several respective Officers of the Receipt of the Exchequer, now and for the Time being, for the Payment of all such Salaries, Pensions, or Sums of Money, at the respective Days to be appointed for such Payments, without any further or other Warrants to be sued for, had, or obtained in that Behalf.

Paying up Salaries from 5th April 1832.

XIV. 'And whereas no Provision has been made for defraying 'the Charge of that Part of the Salaries of the several Judges 'enumerated in this Act, formerly charged upon the Civil List 'in *England* and in *Ireland*, nor for any of the other Salaries, 'Allowances, and Pensions to be granted under the Authority of 'this Act, for any Period subsequent to the Fifth Day of *April* 'One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two;' be it therefore enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Lord High Treasurer, or Commissioners of the Treasury, for the Time being, or any Three or more of them, after the passing of this Act, and previously to the making up of the Consolidated Fund for the Quarter then next ensuing, to direct and cause to be issued, out of the growing Produce of the Consolidated Fund, such Issues and Payments as may be necessary to defray the Charge of all such Salaries, Allowances, and Pensions from the Fifth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two to the Fifth Day of *July* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

Repeal of 6 G. 4. as to Salary of Chancellor of the Exchequer of Ireland.

XV. 'And whereas by an Act passed in the Sixth Year of the 'Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Fourth, intituled *An* '*Act to regulate the Proceedings as to sealing of Writs in the Court* '*of Exchequer in* Ireland, it was enacted, that from and after the 'Fifth Day of *July* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-five 'there should be issued and paid to the Chancellor of the Exchequer of *Ireland*, from Time to Time, for the Time being, 'and during the Continuance of any and every such Chancellor 'of the Exchequer in his said Office, as a Compensation for the 'Loss which would be sustained by such Chancellor of the said 'Exchequer by reason of the said Act, the Sum of Six hundred 'Pounds *British* Currency, yearly and every Year, out of and 'charged and chargeable upon the Consolidated Fund of the 'United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*: And whereas 'the Salary of the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the Time 'being is now otherwise provided for;' be it therefore enacted, That the said Act, so far as the same relates to any Payment to be made to the Chancellor of the Exchequer for the Time being, in compensation for Fees, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

CAP. CXVII.

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Appointment of Justices of the Peace, and of Juries, in the *East Indies*. [16th *August* 1832.]

'WHEREAS it is expedient that other Persons besides the 'covenanted Servants of the United Company of Merchants 'of *England* trading to the *East Indies*, or other *British* Inhabitants of the *East Indies*, should be capable of being appointed 'to the Office of Justice of the Peace within and for the Towns 'of *Calcutta*, *Madras*, and *Bombay*;' be it therefore enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent