contrary notwithstanding: Provided also, that where any Officer who shall be in receipt of any such Annuity, Pension, Stipend, Salary, Wages, Allowance, or other yearly Payment payable at the Exchequer or elsewhere in *Great Britain*, out of the Public Revenue as aforesaid, shall also be in receipt of Perquisites, Fees, Gratuities, Wages, Allowances, or other Profits not so payable, but which are chargeable with the said Duties, it shall be lawful for the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury to authorize such last-mentioned Duties, unless otherwise paid, to be stopped or detained from the Amount of the Salary or other yearly Payment made to any such Officer.

Proviso for Salaries payable in part only out of the Public Revenue.

IV. And be it further enacted, That there shall be provided and kept, in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer at *Westminster*, One Book of Register, in which all the Money that shall be paid into the said Exchequer for the said Rates and Duties hereby granted or continued on Personal Estates, and on Offices and Employments of Profit, Pensions, Annuities, and Stipends, shall be entered and registered apart and distinct from all other Monies paid and payable to His Majesty, and shall be carried to the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*; and it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* to issue and apply the same from Time to Time to such Services as shall then have been voted by the Commons of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* in this present Session of Parliament.

A Register to be kept of all Monies paid into the Exchequer for the Duties hereby granted.

Treasury to apply the Money from Time to Time.

V. And be it enacted, That this Act may be altered, amended, or repealed by any Act or Acts to be passed in this present Session of Parliament.

Act may be altered.

CAP. IX.

An Act to amend Two Acts passed in the Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth Years of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, for establishing Fever Hospitals and for preventing contagious Diseases in *Ireland*. [20th *February* 1832.]

'WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Fifty-eighth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act to establish Fever Hospitals, and to make other Regulations for Relief of the suffering Poor, and for preventing the Increase of infectious Fevers in* Ireland, it is amongst other things enacted, that whenever, in any City, Town, or District, any Fever or contagious Distemper shall appear or be known to exist among the poor Inhabitants, it shall and may be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being, upon an Application to be made in manner by the said Act prescribed, to appoint a Board of Health to act within such City, Town, or District, in such Manner and under such Regulations as such Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, or his or their Chief Secretary, shall from Time to Time establish; and Authority is by the said Act given to the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or

58 G. 3. c. 47.

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'Governors of *Ireland* to order any Sum or Sums of Money to 'be from Time to Time advanced, out of the growing Produce of 'the Consolidated Fund in *Ireland*, for the Payment of the actual 'Expences incurred by or under the said Board in the Execution 'of the Powers by the said Act vested in it; and it is further 'enacted, that all Sums of Money so to be advanced shall be raised 'by Presentments to be made by the Grand Juries, and raised off 'the County or County of a City or Town in which such Expences 'shall be incurred: And whereas another Act was passed in the 'Fifty-ninth Year of His said Majesty King *George* the Third,
59 G. 3. c. 41. 'intituled *An Act to establish Regulations for preventing contagious* '*Diseases in* Ireland; by which last-mentioned Act, in order to 'provide for and secure constant Attention to the Health and 'Comforts of the Inhabitants of *Ireland*, Provision was made for 'the annual Election of Officers of Health in each and every 'Parish in every City and Town in *Ireland* which shall contain 'One thousand Inhabitants or upwards, and in every City and 'large Town where the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor 'or Governors of *Ireland* shall think fit to direct that such now-'reciting Act shall be carried into effect, and also in any Parish, 'Town, or Place whatever in *Ireland*, the Inhabitant Householders 'whereof in Vestry assembled shall think fit and expedient to elect 'such Officers of Health; and it is further provided by the said 'last-reciting Act, that all Expences to be incurred thereunder, 'not exceeding such Sums as shall be specified and determined on 'and limited and directed at the Vestry to be assembled for the 'Choice of the said Officers of Health, or at any subsequent Ves-'try to be called by the said Officers, shall be raised and levied on 'the Inhabitants of such Parish in such Manner and Form as 'other Parochial Assessments are raised and levied: And whereas 'the Provisions of both the said recited Acts are limited to Cases 'of contagious Distemper or Disease; and it is expedient that the 'same be extended to all Cases of Disease, whether epidemic or 'contagious, or of doubtful Character: And whereas the said 'Provision of the said Act of the Fifty-eighth Year of the Reign 'of His Majesty King *George* the Third are limited to Cases in 'which any Fever or contagious Distemper shall appear or be 'known to exist; and it is expedient to extend such Provisions so 'as to guard against the Occurrence of Disease as well as to pre-'vent the spreading thereof: And whereas the Provisions of the 'said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His said Majesty 'King *George* the Third may in many Cases be ineffectual, by 'reason of the Funds necessary for the Purposes of such last-'mentioned Act being raiseable only at Vestries in the Manner of 'Parochial Rates, and the same may, from the Delay and Diffi-'culty attending the Collection of such Rates, be not available for 'their intended Objects so promptly as the Urgency of Circum-'stances may require; and it is therefore expedient that Provision 'should be made for the immediate Supply of Money for the Pur-'poses of the said last-mentioned Act, in like Manner as for the 'Purposes of the said first-mentioned Act; and it is expedient that 'the Powers created by the said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the 'Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third should be made more 'ample and efficacious towards the Ends thereby proposed:' Be

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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 all Enactments relative to the Prevention or Mitigation of Fever or contagious Disease contained in the said herein-recited Acts of the Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth Years of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, or in this Act, shall be deemed and taken to extend and apply to and shall comprehend any and every epidemic as well as contagious Disease, as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if epidemic Diseases had been specially mentioned in such Enactments.

Enactments of recited Acts and this Act for Prevention of Fever, &c. shall extend to epidemic as well as contagious Diseases.

II. And be it further enacted, That whenever, in any City, Town, or District, the Approach or Occurrence of any Fever or contagious or epidemic Distemper shall be reasonably apprehended or expected, it shall and may be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* to appoint a Board of Health for such City, Town, or District, upon and after an Application authorized by a Meeting of the Magistrates and Householders thereof, in like Manner as by the said recited Act of the Fifty-eighth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third appointed in the Case of any Fever or contagious Distemper appearing or being known to exist; and that such Board so appointed in case of any apprehended or expected Fever or contagious or epidemic Distemper shall have and exercise all such Powers as by the said last-mentioned Act are or may be conferred upon any Board appointed thereunder, and that Money may be advanced for the Expences incurred by such Board, and the Orders of such Board enforced, in like Manner as in the Case of any Board appointed under the Authority of the said Act of the Fifty-eighth Year of King *George* the Third; and that all Clauses, Penalties, and Enactments by the said last-mentioned Act made or provided in the Case of any Fever or contagious Distemper appearing or being known to exist in any City, Town, or District, for preventing the spreading thereof, shall be alike valid and applicable in the Case of any apprehended or expected Fever or contagious or epidemic Distemper, to prevent the Occurrence of or to arrest or mitigate the same.

Provisions of 58 G. 3. c. 47. extended to Cases of apprehended as well as actually existing Distemper.

III. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Officers of Health appointed in any Parish under the said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, or this Act, to guard against the Occurrence or Approach or to mitigate or prevent the spreading of any Fever or epidemic or contagious Disease, whether by the Means in the said last-mentioned Act specified, or by the Supply of Medicines, Nourishment, Clothes, or other Necessaries, or by any other Means proper for preventing, arresting, curing, or mitigating any such Fever or epidemic or contagious Disease, or guarding against the Approach or Occurrence thereof.

Officers of Health may guard against Approach, &c. of Disease by any Mode proper for so doing.

IV. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, when and as Application may be made to him or them for that Purpose, to order such Sum or Sums of Money as he or they shall think proper to be from Time to Time advanced, out of the Produce of the Consolidated Fund of the United

Lord Lieutenant may advance Money out of the Consolidated Fund to Officers of Health for the Purposes hereof.

United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* arising in *Ireland*, to any Officers of Health elected or to be elected or appointed under the said recited Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, or under this Act, to be by them employed in the Execution of such Powers or Duties as by the said last-mentioned Act or by this Act they may be authorized or required to execute.

Chief Secretary shall certify to the Churchwardens the Amount so advanced;

V. And be it enacted, That the Chief Secretary of the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being, or the Under Secretary, shall certify to the Churchwarden or Churchwardens, or, in case there shall be no Churchwarden, to any Two Inhabitants of any Parish or Place wherein such Money so advanced as aforesaid out of the Consolidated Fund shall have been expended, the Amount so advanced; and it shall and may be lawful for such Churchwarden or Churchwardens or Inhabitants, as the Case may be, and he or they are hereby required, upon the Receipt of such Certificate, to call a Vestry of such Parish, whereat such Sum or Sums of Money as are stated in such Certificate shall be raised and levied on the Inhabitants of such Parish in such Form and Manner as other Parochial Assessments are raised and levied.

and Churchwardens shall assess the same on the Parish.

Justices of King's Bench or Judges of Assize may order a Levy of the Advance on the Parish in default of Assessment.

VI. And be it enacted, That in case such Churchwarden or such Churchwardens or Inhabitants, as the Case may be, shall neglect to call such Vestry, or in case any Vestry so called shall decline or neglect to make any such Assessments, it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of His Majesty's Court of King's Bench in *Ireland*, in case of the County or City of *Dublin*, and for any Judge of Assize in any other County, County of a City, or County of a Town, upon a Motion for that Purpose made, to order that the Amount of any such Advance shall be raised off such Parish as if the same had been duly assessed according to the Provisions of this Act; and such Order shall have the like Force and Effect as any Vote of Vestry or Assessment made under this Act, and shall be to all Intents and Purposes deemed, considered, and acted upon as such Vote or Assessment by all and every Person or Persons whose Office or Duty it would have been to obey and carry such Vote of Vestry or Assessment into effect.

Securities of Persons engaged in collecting Parish Cess to extend to Money raised under this Act; and the Money raised to be paid over to Collector of Excise of the District.

VII. And be it enacted, That the respective Persons employed in the Collection, Receipt, or Custody of Parish Cess shall be alike answerable for, and that all Securities by such Persons entered in respect of such Employment shall respectively extend to all Monies levied by Parochial Assessment or otherwise, as the Case may be, under this Act; and that all Monies raised by such Assessment or otherwise, under the Authority of this Act, shall, for the Purpose of repaying such Advances out of the Consolidated Fund, be paid over to the Collector of Excise of the District, to be accounted for by him as any other Public Money in his Hands; and thereupon, as to all Advances mentioned in such Certificate as aforesaid, such Parish respectively shall be deemed to be discharged.

Lord Lieutenant may require the Appointment of Officers of Health in any Parish, subject

VIII. ‘ And whereas the Inhabitants of many Parishes, Towns, ‘ or Places containing fewer than One thousand Inhabitants, but ‘ wherein the Election of Officers of Health would have been proper ‘ and necessary, have neglected to elect such Officers as they are ‘ empowered to do by the said recited Act of the Fifty-ninth Year

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'of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, and it is 'therefore expedient to extend to such Cases the Powers now vested 'in the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of '*Ireland* for requiring such Election of Officers of Health to be made 'in Cities and large Towns;' be it therefore enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, in all Cases where it shall seem to him or them fit or necessary, to direct and require that the Inhabitant Householders of any Parish, Town, or Place in *Ireland*, assembled at Vestry, shall elect Officers of Health for such Parish, in Form and Manner, and subject to the same Regulations, and with the like Powers, Duties, and Liabilities, as by the said last-recited Act provided in the Case of Cities and large Towns; and in default of such Election it shall be lawful for the Justices of the Peace assembled at the Quarter Sessions, or any Adjournment thereof, for the County, City, or Town within which such Parish shall be situate, and the said Justices are hereby authorized and required, to make such Appointment in Form and Manner as they are required to do by the said last-recited Act in case of the Inhabitants of Parishes in Cities and large Towns making a similar Default.

to the Regulations provided by the last-recited Act for Cities and large Towns.

IX. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland*, at any Period of the Year, to direct and require the immediate Election of Officers of Health in any City, Town, Parish, or Place, and Officers of Health shall be duly elected pursuant to the Tenor of such Order, any thing in the said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, limiting the Period for such Election, notwithstanding: Provided always, that such Officers of Health, whensoever elected, shall continue in Office only until the Twenty-fifth of *March* next ensuing their Election, and until new Officers of Health shall be elected for the same City, Town, Parish, or Place, pursuant to the Provisions of the said recited Act and this Act.

Lord Lieutenant may direct the immediate Election of Officers of Health at any Period of the Year;

X. And be it enacted, That where any Officer or Officers of Health elected or appointed under the Provisions of the said recited Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third, or under this Act, shall decline or refuse to act, or be or become incapable of acting, it shall and may be lawful for the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governor of *Ireland* to appoint in his or their Room or Stead such other Person or Persons as such Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* shall think proper; and the Person or Persons so appointed shall be deemed and considered in all respects an Officer or Officers of Health as if duly elected under the said recited Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Third.

and in case those elected decline or become incapable to act, he may appoint others.

XI. Provided always, and be it enacted, That nothing in this Act contained shall be deemed or construed to abridge, annul, or in anywise interfere with any Powers, Rights, Duties, Obligations, Liabilities, or Authorities by the said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of King *George* the Third conferred or imposed upon any Vestry in *Ireland*, where such Vestry shall resolve to exercise any such Rights, Powers, or Authorities, but the same shall remain and continue in full Force and Effect, as well with respect to Parochial Assessments

This Act not to affect the Powers of Vestries.

Assessments as in other respects, as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if this Act had not passed.

Continuance of Act.

XII. Provided always, and be it enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force from the passing thereof for Two Years, and to the End of the then next Session of Parliament, and no longer.

Act may be altered this Session.

XIII. And be it enacted, That this Act may be altered, amended, or repealed by any Act or Acts to be passed in the present Session of Parliament.

CAP. X.

An Act for the Prevention, as far as may be possible, of the Disease called the Cholera, or Spasmodic or *Indian* Cholera, in *England*. [20th *February* 1832.]

'WHEREAS it has pleased Almighty God to visit the United Kingdom with the Disease called the Cholera, or Spasmodic or *Indian* Cholera: And whereas with a view to prevent, as far as may be possible, by the Divine Blessing, the spreading of the said Disease, it may be necessary that Rules and Regulations should from Time to Time be established within Cities, Towns, or Districts affected with or which may be threatened by the said Disease; but it may be impossible to establish such Rules and Regulations by the Authority of Parliament with sufficient Promptitude to meet the Exigency of any such Case as it may occur:' 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 and may be lawful for the Lords and others of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, or any Two or more of them (of whom the Lord President of the Council or One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State for the Time being shall always be One), by any Order or Orders to be by them from Time to Time made, to establish, and again from Time to Time, by any such Order or Orders, to revoke, renew, alter, and vary all such Rules and Regulations, or to substitute any such new Rules and Regulations as to them may appear necessary or expedient for the Prevention, as far as may be possible, of the spreading of the said Disease called the Cholera, or Spasmodic or *Indian* Cholera, in *England* and *Wales* or any Part thereof, or for the Relief of any Persons suffering under or likely to be affected by the said Disease, and for the safe and speedy Interment of any Person or Persons who may die of the said Disease.

Lord President of Council, &c. empowered to issue Orders at any Time to prevent the spreading of Cholera in England.

Orders to be certified by a Clerk of the Privy Council, and received as Evidence.

II. And be it further enacted, That every such Order as aforesaid shall be certified under the Hand of One of the Clerks in Ordinary of His Majesty's Privy Council; and that the Publication of any such Order in the *London Gazette* shall, for all Intents and Purposes, be taken, admitted, and received in all Courts, and by and before all Judges, Justices, Magistrates, and others, as good and sufficient Evidence of the making and of the Date and Contents of any such Order.

Penalty for Violation of Orders.

III. And be it further enacted, That any Person who shall or may violate or wilfully and knowingly infringe the Provisions of any such Order, or who shall or may refuse or wilfully neglect or omit