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An Act for more effectually repairing, widening, and improving the Road from Harlow Bush Common, in the Parish of Harlow in the County of Essex, to Stump Cross in the Parish of Great Chesterford in the same County; and for making and maintaining Two new Lines of Road communicating therewith. [13th April 1829.]

HEREAS an Act was passed in the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Second, intituled An Act for repairing and widening the Road 17 G.2. c. 9. leading from a Place called Harlow Bush Common, in the Parish of Harlow in the County of Essex, to Stump Cross in the Parish of Great Chesterford in the said County: And whereas another Act was passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers granted 9 G. 3. c. 51. by an Act passed in the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for repairing and widening the Road leading from a Place called Harlow Bush Common, in the Parishrof Harlow in the County of Essex, to Stump Cross in the Parish of Great Chesterford in the said County: And whereas another Act was passed in the Thirty-first Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty, intituled An Act for 31 G.3. c.99. enlarging the Term and Powers of Two Acts of the Seventeenth Year of His late Majesty, and the Ninth Year of His present Majesty, for [Local.]

repairing and widening the Road leading from a Place called Harlow Bush Common, in the Parish of Harlow in the County of Essex, to Stump Cross in the Parish of Great Chesterford in the said County: And whereas another Act was passed in the Forty-ninth Year of the 49 G. 3. c. 45. Reign of His said late Majesty, intituled An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of several Acts of His late and present Majesty, for repairing the Road from Harlow Bush Common to Stump Cross in the County of Essex: And whereas the Trustees for executing the said several recited Acts have made great Progress in repairing and improving the said Road, and have for that Purpose borrowed several considerable Sums of Money upon the Credit of the Tolls authorized to be taken upon the said Road, which Sums still remain due, and the same cannot be discharged, nor can the said Road be effectually repaired, amended, widened, improved, and kept in repair, unless further and other Tolls, Powers, and Provisions are granted and made for those Purposes for a further Term: And whereas the said Road is in some Places narrow and incommodious, and it would be of great public Convenience and Advantage if the same were widened and altered in such Places as shall be deemed necessary; and it would also be for the Accommodation of the Public if Provision were made, in manner herein-after mentioned, for making and maintaining the following Two new Lines or Pieces of Road; (that is to say,) one new Line or Piece of Road from and out of the present Road at or near the George Inn at Harlow in the County of Essex, through or into the several Parishes of Harlow and Latton in the same County, to join the same Road again at the Bridge over the Stort Navigation, near Harlow Mill; and one other new Line or Piece of Road from and out of the present Road at or near the Toll Bridge at Newport, to join the same Road again beyond the Thirty-ninth Mile Stone from London: And whereas it would be convenient if the said recited Acts were repealed, and further and more effectual Powers and Provisions granted and made instead thereof; but the same cannot be effected without the Aid and Authority of Parliament: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it 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 Parlia-Recited Acts ment assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That upon the repealed, and Third Tuesday after the passing of this Act the said recited Acts take effect. passed in the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Second, and in the Ninth, Thirty-first, and Forty-ninth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, shall be and the same are hereby severally declared to be repealed; and instead thereof this Act shall be put in execution, for and during the Term herein-after mentioned, for the Purpose of more effectually repairing, widening, diverting, altering, and from Time to Time improving and keeping in repair the present Road leading from a Place called Harlow Bush Common, in the Parish of Harlow in the County of Essex, through or into the several Parishes of Sabridgeworth, Thorley, and Bishop's Stortford, in the County of Hertford, to a Mill called South Mill, in the said County of Hertford, and from thence through Hockerill in the Parish of Bishop's Stortford, and also from the said Mill through the Town of Bishop's Stortford in the said

County of Hertford, and through or into the several Parishes of

Birchanger,

Birchanger, Stansted Mountsttchet, Ugley, Quendon, Rickling, Newport, Wenden, Saffron Walden, and Littlebury, in the said County of Essex, and through or into the Parish of Ickleton in the County of Cambridge, to Stump Cross in the Parish of Great Chesterford in the said County of Essex; and also for making and maintaining the Two new Lines or Pieces of Road herein-after described; (that is to say,) one new Line or Piece of Road from and out of the present Road at or near the George Inn at Harlow in the County of Essex, through or into the Parishes of Harlow and Latton in the same County, to join the same Road again at the Bridge over the Stort Navigation, near Harlow Mill; and one other new Line or Piece of Road from and out of the present Road at or near the Toll Bridge at Newport, to join the same Road again beyond the Thirty-ninth Mile Stone from London.

II. And be it further enacted, That all Arrears of Tolls or Rents Former or other Monies due to, and all Property, Real or Personal, and all Choses in and Rights of Action, either at Law or in Equity, vested in Trustees. the Trustees under the said recited Acts hereby repealed, or any or either of them, shall immediately on the Commencement of this Act be vested in the Trustees for executing this Act, who shall be and they are hereby enabled to sue for and recover the same, and for that Purpose to cause to be commenced and prosecuted all Actions and Suits at Law or in Equity, and to act in respect thereof as effectually as if the same had become due to or had been vested in them under and by virtue of this Act.

Debts, &c.

III. And be it further enacted, That all His Majesty's Justices of Appointment the Peace for the Time being acting for the several Counties of Essex, of Trustees. Hertford, and Cambridge, together with John Rutherford Abdy, Rowland Alston, Joseph Arkwright Clerk, John Archer, Thomas Hope Byde, Nicholas Boscawen, Montagu Burgoyne, Richard Beckford, Francis Bayley, Charles Brome, John Barnard, Charles Bourchier Clerk, William Barnard, Edward Brown Clerk, Stanes Chamberlayne, William Calvert Clerk, Nicolson Calvert, William Cowling Clerk, Henry James Alexander Croasdaile, John Collin Clerk, Thomas Clough, Walter Calvert, John Calvert, Alexander Cotton Clerk, James Powell Cranmer, William Chamberlayne, Thomas Chaplin, John Chamberlayne Clerk, Colin Campbell Clerk, Thomas Catlin, Thomas Dalton Clerk, Sir George Duckett Baronet, Joseph Fairman, William Gibson Clerk, Joseph Grove, John Peter Grant, Thomas Clayton Glyn Clerk, Thomas Sparkes Griffinhoofe Clerk, Charles George Clerk, George Glyn Clerk, William Greenhill Clerk, Henry Green, Jabez Gibson, George Gibson, John Archer Houblon, Sampson Hanbury, William Parker Hamond, Daniel Hankin, John Phillips Judd, William Johnstone, Richard Lydekker Doctor of Medicine, John Leader, Roger Rant Lord, Charles Sanderson Miller Clerk, Thomas Mills, Frederick John Nash, George Palmer, George Parris, Thomas Pennington Clerk, Charles Phelips, Philip Perry, Nicholas Parry, George Proctor, James Raymond, John Raymond Clerk, John Robinson, Thomas Randolph Clerk, George Rush, James Watson Roberts Doctor of Medicine, Stephen Robinson, Thomas Scott, James Calcott Hayes Stokes Clerk, George Starkins, Joseph Shepherd, John Stewart Clerk, Charles Spencer Clerk,

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Clerk, William Charles Smith, Robert George Sparrow, John Vanderstegen Stewart Clerk, William Scott Stonehewer, John Selwyn, Allen Taylor, Joseph Taylor, Frederick Vandermeulen, Sir Francis Vincent Baronet, John Wilkes, Admiral Sir Thomas Williams, Thomas Maling Welsh, Richard Birch Wolfe, and Robert Plumer Ward, and their Successors, being duly qualified, shall be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for putting this Act into execution.

Power to appoint additional Trustees.

IV. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Trustees, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, at their First and Second Meetings, or either of them, to be holden by virtue of this Act, to elect, nominate, and appoint any Number of fit and proper Persons, not exceeding Three in the whole, to be Trustees for the Purposes of this Act, in addition to the Trustees hereby nominated and appointed; and such Trustees when so elected and appointed, and being duly qualified, shall be and they are hereby invested with the same Powers for executing this Act as if they had been named and appointed in and by this Act.

Meetings of Trustees.

V. And be it further enacted, That the said Trustees shall meet at some convenient House or Place on or near the said Roads on the Third Tuesday next after the passing of this Act, or as soon after as conveniently may be, between the Hours of Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon and Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, and shall then and there proceed to carry this Act into execution, and shall and may then and from Time to Time afterwards adjourn to and meet at such Times, and such Place or Places either upon or near to the said Roads, as the said Trustees or the major Part of them present at any such Meetings shall think proper and appoint.

Power to take Tolls.

VI. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Trustees, or any Person or Persons to be appointed or continued Collector or Collectors of the Tolls to be taken by virtue of this Act, to demand and take, at the several and respective Turnpikes, Toll Gates, or Toll Houses, or Side Bars or Side Gates or Chains, which by virtue of this Act shall be continued or erected in, upon, across, or on the Side or Sides of the said Roads, on every Day, before any Horse, Cattle, Beast, or Carriage shall be permitted to pass through the same, the several Tolls following; (that is to say,)

Tolls.

For every Horse or other Beast drawing any Coach, Chariot, Barouche, Chaise, Curricle, Chair, Landau, Berlin, Calash, Break, Hearse, Waggon, Wain, Cart, Dray, or other Carriage of any Description, the Sum of Sixpence:

For every Horse, Mule, or Ass, laden or unladen, and not drawing,

the Sum of One Penny Halfpenny:

For every Drove of Oxen, Cows, or Neat Cattle, the Sum of One Shilling and Three-pence per Score, and so in proportion for any greater or less Number: And

For every Drove of Calves, Hogs, Sheep, or Lambs, the Sum of Tenpence per Score, and so in proportion for any greater or less Number:

And the same and every Part thereof shall be paid, applied, and disposed of in the Manner herein-after mentioned.

VII. And

VII. And be it further enacted, That if any Person shall have paid Tolls to be the Toll hereby authorized to be taken for the passing of any Horse, taken but Cattle, Beast, or Carriage through any Toll Gate or Turnpike to be once a Da continued or erected by virtue of this Act, such Horse, Cattle, Beast. or Carriage shall (upon a Ticket being produced denoting such Payment) be permitted to pass Toll-free through the same Toll Gate or Turnpike, and also through such other Gate or Gates as the Ticket for such Payment shall free, at any Time during the same Day (except as herein-after mentioned).

VIII. And be it further enacted, That no more than Two full Limiting the Tolls shall be demanded or taken on the same Day for or in respect Number of of the same Horses, Cattle, Beasts, or Carriages (except as herein-after Tolls. mentioned) for passing and repassing through all the Toll Gates or Turnpikes continued or erected by virtue of this Act.

IX. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That the Tolls Tolls on hereby made payable shall be paid for or in respect of all Horses or Stage other Beasts drawing any Stage Coach, or any Stage Waggon, Van, Coaches and Post Chaises. Caravan, or other Stage Carriage, carrying or conveying Passengers or Goods for Payment, Hire, or Reward, for every Time of passing or repassing along the said Roads; and also for and in respect of all Horses or other Beasts drawing any Post Chaise or other Carriage travelling for Hire, for every Time of passing or repassing along the said Roads, whenever a new Hiring thereof shall have taken place.

X. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That from and after Wheels de-Six Calendar Months from the passing of this Act all Waggons, Carts, viating from or other such Carriages, which shall travel on the said Roads, having at the Time of the using thereof Wheels which shall deviate more than ditional Toll. One Quarter of an Inch from a flat Surface, or shall not have the Nails thereof countersunk, so as to form a level Surface, shall be deemed liable and subject to the Payment of the same Toll as Carriages with Wheels of less than Four Inches and a Half in Breadth on the Soles thereof.

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XI. And be it further enacted, That the Money already received Application by virtue of the said recited Acts hereby repealed, and now in the of Tolls and Hands of the Treasurer or Treasurers for the said Roads, and all Tolls Money borand other Monies which may be collected or received under the Powers and Authorities of this Act or otherwise, and the Monies hereafter to be borrowed on the Credit of the Tolls by this Act granted, shall be applied, in the first place, in paying the Costs, Charges, and Expences relative to the obtaining and passing of this Act; and in the next place, in paying and defraying the Interest of the Principal Money now due and owing on the Credit of the Tolls arising on the said Roads hereby directed to be kept in repair, and which may be borrowed upon the Credit of this Act respectively, and in paying Salaries and Allowances to the Treasurer, Clerks, Collectors, Surveyors, and other Officers and Persons for the Time being employed by the said Trustees, and in defraying the Expences of erecting, removing, and keeping in repair the Turnpikes, Toll Houses, Side Gates, Side [Local.] Bars,

Bars, Chains, and Weighing Machines, and in amending, making, altering, widening, and improving the said Roads, and keeping the same in repair, and in otherwise putting this Act into execution; and from and after the said Roads shall be well and effectually amended, altered, widened, improved, and repaired, the Surplus of the said Monies which shall remain after defraying the several Charges and Payments aforesaid shall from Time to Time be applied in repaying the Principal Monies for the Time being due and owing on the Credit of the Tolls by this Act granted, and to and for no other, Use or Purpose whatsoever.

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Sinking Fund XII. And be it further enacted, That from and after Two Years after the passing of this Act the Sum of Three Pounds per Centum Payment of per Annum on the Amount of all the Principal Monies now due and the borrowed secured on the Tolls of the said Roads, and on the Amount of every Money, to be further Sum of Money which shall afterwards be borrowed or taken established. up at Interest on the Credit or Security of the said Tolls, shall be charged on, and during the Continuance of this Act be appropriated and paid out of, the said Tolls, in order to form a Sinking Fund for the gradual Payment of all and every the said Monies; and that after the Payment of any such Principal Monies, the full Interest which would have been otherwise payable for or in respect of the same to the Creditor or respective Creditors shall from thenceforth, during the Continuance of this Act, be charged on and appropriated and paid out of the said respective Tolls in aid of the said Sinking Fund; and that as often as the said Sinking Fund shall amount to the Sum of Three hundred Pounds, that Sum, or any further Part of the Balance of such Tolls, if the Trustees shall think proper, shall be applied in Payment of an equal Amount of the Principal Monies now due or owing and then remaining due or owing on the Credit or Security of the said Tolls, rateably or by Lot among the said Creditors, as the said Trustees shall think proper; and when and as soon as all the Principal Monies now due or owing on the Credit or Security of the Tolls of the said respective Roads shall have been paid and discharged, then in Payment of an equal Amount of the Principal Monies which; shall after the passing of this Act be borrowed or taken up at Interest on the Credit or Security of the said Tolls, rateably or by Lot among the said Creditors, as the said Trustees shall think proper. The state of the s

Penalty for hanging out Clothes, &c.

XIII. And be it further enacted, That if any Person or Persons. shall hang or put or place out any Linen or other Clothes on any Line, Bank, Rail, or Fence adjoining the said Roads, or shall hang or put or place any Hook or Hooks or other Things or Things to, from, or in any House, Shop, or Place adjoining, or being near to the said Roads, so as to project into the said Roads, or be an Annoyance to any Persons or Cattle passing thereon, or prevent the free and safe Use of the whole Breadth of the said Roads, every Person offending in any of the Cases aforesaid shall pay a Sum not exceeding Forty Shillings for every Offence; and such Penalty shall be levied and recovered (together with the necessary Costs and Charges of levying the same) by the same Ways and Means as any Penalty or Forfeiture for any Nuisance committed in or upon any Turnpike Road may by Law be levied

levied or recovered; and one Moiety of such Penalty shall be paid to the Informer, and the other Moiety thereof shall be paid to the Treasurer to the said Trustees, and be applied and disposed of for the Purposes of this Act.

XIV. And be it further enacted, That in all Places throughout the Entrances to said Roads hereby directed to be repaired where any Entrance shall be from the said Roads to any Field, Garden, Yard, or other Land or Ground, or to any Buildings from the said Roads or any Part thereof, such Entrance shall be properly covered with Stone, Gravel, or other hard Materials, and a proper Culvert or Drain made by or at the Expence of the Proprietor or Occupier of such Field, Garden, Yard, Land, Ground, or Building, so that such Road may not be injured by the Stoppage or running of Water, or by Carriages or Horses passing to or from the same by such Entrance; and in case such Proprietor or Occupier shall neglect to cover with proper Materials such Entrance, or to make such Culvert or Drain, or to put and keep the same respectively in proper Order, for the Space of One Calendar Month after the Notice in Writing given to such Proprietor or Occupier, or left for him or her at his or her usual or last Place of Residence, by the Surveyor or Surveyors to the said Trustees, or other Person or Persons appointed by them, requiring such Proprietor or Occupier so to make or repair the same, then it shall be lawful for the said Trustees, or their Surveyor or Surveyors, or any other Person or Persons acting by or under their Authority, to cover such Entrance with Stone, Gravel, or other hard Materials, and to make such Culvert or Drain, or to repair the same respectively, as the Case may be; and the Expences thereof shall be reimbursed and paid to the said Trustees by such Proprietor or Occupier, as the Case may be; and in case of Nonpayment of such Expences within Fourteen Days after the same shall have been demanded by or on behalf of the said Trustees, then such Expences shall and may be recovered, together with the Costs and Charges attending the recovering the same, by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Proprietor or Occupier, by Warrant under the Hand and Seal or Hands and Seals of any Justice or Justices of the Peace for the County, Borough, or separate Jurisdiction within which such Default in Payment shall be made, or for the County, Borough, or separate Jurisdiction within which the Goods and Chattels of such Proprietor or Occupier shall be or be situate, and which Warrant of Distress any such Justice or Justices is or are hereby authorized and empowered to grant, on Proof made before him or them on Oath of such Expence having been incurred, and of such Notice having been given as aforesaid; and any Overplus shall be returned, on Demand, to the Person or Persons whose Goods and Chattels shall have been so distrained and sold.

Fields, &c. to be made with hard Mate-

XV. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That it shall not No Money to be lawful for the said Trustees to apply, expend, or appropriate any of the Tolls hereby granted, or any of the Monies now borrowed or hereafter to be borrowed upon the Credit thereof, in paving, lighting, Bishop's watching, repairing, or improving any of the Streets in the Town of Stortford. Bishop's Stortford aforesaid.

be laid out in repairing the Streets in

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Power to make Improvements. XVI. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Trustees, and they are hereby fully authorized and empowered, to set out, make, and complete the several new Lines or Pieces of Road described and referred to in the Plan and Book of Reference hereinafter mentioned, in such Manner and within the Limits herein-after mentioned, as they shall think proper for the Convenience and Benefit of the Public.

Plan and Book of Reference deposited the Peace for Essex and Hertfordshire, to remain there.

XVII. And whereas a Map or Plan, describing the several new Lines or Pieces of Road, and the Lands and Hereditaments through which the same respectively are intended to be carried, together with with Clerks of a Book of Reference containing a List of the Names of the Owners or reputed Owners and Occupiers of such Lands and Hereditaments. hath been deposited at the Offices of the respective Clerks of the Peace for the several Counties of Essex and Hertford; be it therefore enacted, That the said Maps or Plans and Books of Reference respectively shall remain in the Custody of the said respective Clerks of the Peace, to the end that all Persons may at all seasonable Times have Liberty to inspect and peruse the same, and to take Copies or Extracts therefrom, at their Will and Pleasure, paying to the respective Clerks of the Peace the Sum of One Shilling for every such Inspection, and at the Rate of Sixpence for every One hundred Words of such Copies or Extracts from the said Map or Plan and Book of Reference; and the said Trustees in making the said Alterations and Improvements shall not deviate more than Twenty Yards from the respective Lines described in such Map or Plan, without the Consent in Writing of the Person or Persons, Bodies Politic, Corporate, or Collegiate, through whose Lands or Grounds such Deviation shall be made: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall authorize the said Trustees in making the said new Line of Road at Harlow to deviate from the Line described in such Map or Plan so as to leave any Part of the Field of Arable Land called the Fair Croft (the Property of the Marquess and Marchioness of Bute and the Ladies Susan and Georgina North), on the West Side of the said intended new Line of Road there.

Trustees not to deviate beyond 20 Yards from the Lines marked in the Plan, without Consent.

Power to Trustees to take Earth for making Road, previously giving Notice,

XVIII. And be it further enacted, That wherever in making the said new Lines of Road any additional Quantity of Earth shall be required to complete the Fillings beyond the Quantity contained in the common Cuttings, such additional Quantity shall be taken from Places adjoining the new Lines of Road, and the said Trustees shall level the Ground for Cultivation where the Earth shall be taken away; but it shall not be lawful for the said Trustees to take any such additional Quantity of Earth without giving Twenty-one Days previous Notice of their Intention so to do to the respective Proprietors or Tenants of the Lands from whence such additional Quantity is required to be taken, in order that they may by themselves or their respective Agents attend and point out to the said Trustees or their Surveyor such Places adjoining the new Lines of Road as they may be willing to allow Earth to be broken from, and on having such Places so pointed out, the said Trustees shall take Earth from thence, and The state of the s not elsewhere. XIX. And

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XIX. And be it further enacted, That upon the said intended new Trustees to Lines of Road, when completed, the said Trustees shall, at their cause proper Expence, make or cause to be made proper Approaches to the Lands &c. to be on each Side, with sufficient Gates to the same, and that the said made. Trustees shall make proper Fences on each Side of the said new Lines of Road, and where there is either cutting or embanking such Fences shall be made both at the Top and Bottom of the Slopes; and that the said Trustees shall also make proper Drains along the Sides of and under the said new Lines of Road, to conduct the Water to the natural Watercourses, so that the same may not injure the adjacent Fields.

XX. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That it shall be Misnomers lawful for the said Trustees to make the proposed new Lines or Pieces not to preof Road into, through, across, and over the Lands and other Hereditaments described in the said Map or Plan, although the Name or Act. Names of the Owners or Occupiers thereof may happen to be omitted or mis-stated in the said Book of Reference, provided it shall appear to any Two or more Justices of the Peace for the County or Place wherein such Lands or other Hereditaments shall be situated, and be certified by Writing under their Hands, that such Error or Omission proceeded from Mistake, or that the Owners or Occupiers of such Lands or other Hereditaments had Notice that the same would be wanted for the Purposes of this Act.

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XXI. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the said Trustees em-Trustees, and they are hereby empowered and authorized, to enter powered to upon, take Possession of, and use all and every or any of the Houses, Buildings, Buildings, Yards, inclosed Grounds, Hereditaments, and Premises &c. comcomprised and mentioned in the Schedule to this Act annexed, for prised in the the Purposes of this Act, at such Time or Times within the Space of Schedule; Five Years, to be computed from the passing of this Act, as they may think proper, tendering or making Satisfaction to the Owners thereof and Persons interested therein for the Loss or Damage they may thereby sustain: Provided always, that if the said Trustees shall not but if they within the Space of Five Years after the passing of this Act agree neglect doing for or cause to be valued and paid for the several Houses or other so within Five Buildings, Lands, Hereditaments, and Premises which they are by Years, the Power of this Act empowered to purchase, take, and use, or so much thereof purchasing as they shall respectively deem necessary or proper for the Pur- to be void. poses of this Act, then and from thenceforth the Powers hereby given them for such Purpose shall cease, determine, and be utterly void, except with the Consent of the Owners and Occupiers thereof respectively:

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XXII. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That nothing Saving of herein contained shall tend to prejudice, defeat, or extinguish the Claim Newport of William Charles Smith Esquire to certain Tolls or Dues arising Bridge Tolls. from the Passage over the Bridge at Newport within the Limits of the Road herein and hereby directed to be amended.

XXIII. And whereas there is now in the Hands of Andrew Berkley Drummond, John Drummond, Henry Drummond, Andrew Mortimer Drummond, the Hands of [Local.]

Unclaimed Interest remaining in

Messrs.
Drummond.

Power to ad-

vance the

Trustees.

same to the

Drummond, John Drummond the younger, Charles Drummond, Andrew Robert Drummond, and George Drummond, all of Charing Cross, Bankers, (carrying on Trade under the Firm of Messieurs Drummond, Charing Cross,) the Sum of Three hundred and ninety-one Pounds Ten Shillings, being an Accumulation of Simple Interest annually paid by the Trustees acting under the said recited Acts upon Three several Principal Sums of Fifty Pounds, Fifty Pounds, and Fifty Pounds, making together the aggregate Principal Sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds, and being Part and Parcel of a Sum of Six hundred Pounds which was in or about the Year One thousand seven hundred and forty-eight advanced and lent by various Persons to the Trustees acting under the said first-recited Act, and for which a Mortgage of the Tolls was executed to Andrew Drummond Esquire, since deceased, as a Trustee for the several Persons entitled thereto; and inasmuch as no Claim hath ever been made for the said Sum of Three hundred and ninety-one Pounds Five Shillings of accumulated Interest, nor for any Part thereof, it is expedient that the same should, if practicable, be made available for the Purposes of this Act, in the Manner hereinafter provided; be it therefore further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the said Andrew Berkley Drummond, John Drummond, Henry Drummond, Andrew Mortimer Drummond, John Drummond the younger, Charles Drummond, Andrew Robert Drummond, and George Drummond, their Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, (if they shall be willing, but not otherwise,) to advance and lend to the Trustees under this Act all or any Part of the said Sum of Three hundred and ninety-one Pounds Five Shillings, and the said Trustees shall and they are hereby required to execute a special Mortgage, bearing Interest at the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum, for such Sum of Money as shall be so advanced, but with a Proviso declaring that such Mortgage is so made to the Intent only, by and out of the Principal Money and Interest thereby secured, to save harmless and indemnify the said Andrew Berkley Drummond, John Drummond, Henry Drummond, Andrew Mortimer Drummond, John Drummond the younger, Charles Drummond, Andrew Robert Drummond, and George Drummond, and their respective Heirs, Executors, Administrators, and Assigns, and their and each and every of their Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements, of, from, and against all Damages, Loss, Costs, Charges, and Expences which shall or may be recovered against or sustained by them, or any or either of them, for or by reason or on account of their having lent the said Sum of Three hundred and ninety-one Pounds Five Shillings, or any Part thereof, in manner aforesaid.

In case of any Demand for unclaimed Interest, Messrs. Drummond to be allowed to pay same, or refer such Claims.

XXIV. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That in the Event of a Claim or Claims being at any Time or Times hereafter made for or in respect of the said Sum of Three hundred and ninety-one Pounds Five Shillings arising from unclaimed Interest as aforesaid, or for or in respect of any Part thereof, it shall and may be lawful for the said Andrew Berkley Drummond, John Drummond, Henry Drummond, Andrew Mortimer Drummond, John Drummond the younger, Charles Drummond, Andrew Robert Drummond, and George Drummond, their Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, from Time to Time to allow such Claim or Claims upon such Evidence as they may think proper

to admit, or to compromise the same, or to refer the same to Arbitration and Umpirage, or to dispute such Claim at Law or in Equity, as they shall in their Discretion think proper; any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXV. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be deemed Public Act. and taken to be a Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and others, without being specially pleaded.

XXVI. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall commence Term and and take effect upon the Third Tuesday next after the passing thereof, Continuance and shall continue and be in force for and during the Term of of this Act. Thirty-one Years, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament.

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The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Act refers.

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No. on the Plan.	Owners or reputed Owners.	Description of Property.	Parish.	County.	Occupiers.
1.	Ann Goodwin	A Dusthouse	Harlow -	Essex -	George Goodwin.
2.	Ditto	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	Ann Goodwin.
3.	Philip Perry, Esq	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Dobson.
4.	Ditto	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Gibson.
5.	William Unwin Sims and Henry Bel- mont Sims, Exe- cutors of the late William Sims, Esq.	Part of a Public House, Yard, Privy, and Stables			George Crane.
6.	John Jones{	House, Yard, School- room, Stable, Privy, and Two Sheds	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Jones.
7, 8.	Sarah Tarling and } William Tarling - }	Barn, Shed, and Part } of Hoppet }	Ditto -	Ditto -	George Crane.
9.	John Hutchin	Part of a Yard	Ditto 😘	Ditto -	John Hutchin.
10.	Thomas Glasscock -	Part of a Yard and Barn	Ditto -	Ditto -	Thomas Glasscock.
11.	Mary Oakman	Part of a Yard	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Humphries.
12.	Ditto -	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Bayford.
13.	Ditto	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Rice.
14.	William Unwin Sims and Henry Bel-mont Sims, Executors of the late William Sims, Esq.	Part of a Yard, Pig- stye, and Part of Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	George Crane.
15.	Marquis and Mar- chioness of Bute, and the Ladies Susan & Georgina North	Part of an Arable Field	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Barnard.
16,17,18.	Richard Arkwright, } Esq }	Part of Three Pastures	Ditto -	Ditto -	Edmund Goodwin.
19.	Ditto -	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	Francis Francis.
20.	Francis Francis -	Part of a Meadow -	Ditto -	Ditto -	Francis Francis.
21.	Richard Arkwright, }	Part of a Meadow	Latton -	Ditto -	Thomas Pollett.

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22, 23.	Marquis and Mar- chioness of Bute, and the Ladies Susan & Georgina North	Part of Two Arable } Fields }	Harlow -	Essex -	William Barnard.
24, 25, } 26, 27. }	Ditto -	A Windmill, Part of an Arable Field, Part of a Pasture Field, and small Part of a Yard	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Barnard.
28.	John Bird	A Cottage{	Bishop's } Stor,tford }	Hertford	Lawrence Coxall.
29.	Ditto{	Part of a Garden and Waste in front of a Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Bird.
30.	William Bird{	Part of Garden and Waste in front of a Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto -	Robert Kippage.
31.	William Bird{	Part of Garden and Waste in front of Cottage	Bishop's Stortford	Hertford	Joseph Skiggs.
32.	Ditto{	Part of Garden and Waste in front of Cottage -	1	Ditto -	William King.
33.	William Jackson -{	Part of Garden and Waste in front of Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Jackson.
34.	Sarah Clark{	Part of Garden and Waste in front of Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto {	Millicent Sand- ford.
35.	Ditto{	A Well, and Part of Ground in front of Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto -	George Wenham.
36.	William Beverley - {	Piece of Ground in front of a Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Perry.
37	Ditto ' -	Piece of Ground in I front of a Cottage	Ditto -	Ditto -	Elder Howlett.
38.	Edward Docwra and Frances his Wife	Part of private Road to a Field	Ditto	Ditto -	Robert Percival.
39.	Messrs. Hawkes & Co	Part of a House, Blacksmith's Shop, and Garden	Ditto -	Ditto -	William Perry.
40.	Ditto	Part of a House -	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Jackson.
41.		Part of Public House	l ·	Ditto -	
42.	Ditto -	Part of a House	Ditto	Ditto -	Thomas Turner.

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		Part of a Cottage, the West Side of		,	
43, 44, } 45, 46. }	William Charles Smith, Esq.	the Toll Bridge, (for the Purpose of widening it,) Part of a Pigstye, Barn, and Farm-	Newport	Essex -	Philip Buck.
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47.	William Charles Smith, Esq., Thomas Probert, Wil-			• -	
•	liam Nassau Bell, Joseph Clark, Jo-		-		
	seph Living, John Gayford, George Chipperfield, Ben- jaminThomasGur-	A very small Part of } a Meadow }	Ditto -	Ditto -	John Johnson.
	son, John Debnam, John Lilly, and				
•	Joseph Debnam, Trustees or Feoffees of the Farm called			•	
	Gazes, at Newport J				
48,49,50.	William Charles Smith, Esq.	A Stable, Two Sheds, and Part of an Or-	Ditto -	Ditto -	Philip Buck.
51.	Joseph Debnam -	Part of a Garden -	Ditto -	Ditto -	Joseph Debnam.
52,53,54.	William Charles { Smith, Esq.	Part of Two Pastures, and Part of an Arable Field	Ditto -	Ditto -	Thomas Skipper.
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