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Cap. xxxvi.

An Act to extend the Limits of the Act for appointing a Stipendiary Justice of the Peace for the Parish of Merthyr Tidvil and adjoining Places; and for other Purposes. [25th June 1868.]

HEREAS an Act, in this Act called the Act of 1843, was passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, intituled An Act to provide for the more effectual Execu- 6 & 7 Vict. tion of the Office of a Justice of the Peace within the Parish of c. xliv. Merthyr Tidvil, and certain adjoining Parishes, and it was by the Act of 1843 provided that the Limits of the Act should be held to include the whole of the Parish of Merthyr Tidvil, the Hamlet of Brithdir in the Parish of Gellygare, the Parish of Aberdare, and the Hamlet of Rhigos in the Parish of Ystrad-y-fodog, in the County of Glamorgan, and Provision was made for the Appointment by Her Majesty from Time to Time of a fit and able Person to be a Justice of the Peace within the Limits of the Act, and for the Appointment by the Justice of a Clerk to assist him in the Execution of his Office: And whereas a more active and vigilant Administration of the Law has been secured within the Limits of the Act of 1843 by the Appointments thereby authorized, and the Performance of their [Local.] respective

respective Duties by the Justice and Clerk severally appointed and acting from Time to Time under the Provisions of the Act: And whereas it is expedient that the Limits of the Act of 1843 be extended, and that the Salaries respectively authorized by the Act to be paid to the Justice and Clerk from Time to Time appointed and acting under the Provisions thereof should be increased: 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 the present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same:

Extension of Limits.

1. That the Limits of the Act of 1843 are by this Act extended, and as so extended shall be held to include the Portion (in this Act called the added Limits) of the Parish of Llanwonno comprised within the Ecclesiastical District of Saint Margaret, as described in an Order of the Queen's most Excellent Majesty in Council made the Twenty-eighth Day of April One thousand eight hundred and sixtythree, and published in the London Gazette of the First Day of May One thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and which added Limits are set forth in the Schedule to this Act, and all and singular the Provisions of the Act of 1843 as varied by this Act, and all and singular the Powers and Authorities, Rights, Remedies, and Jurisdictions, conferred by that Act, shall be read, construed, and applied, and exercised and enjoyed, as if the Limits of the Act of 1843 had extended to and included the added Limits, and as if the same Provisions had been enacted, and the same Powers and Authorities, Rights, Remedies, and Jurisdictions, had been conferred with express Reference to the Limits of the Act of 1843 and the added Limits.

J. C. Fowler Esq., Justice, to exercise same Powers as heretofore.

2. John Coke Fowler Esquire, the Justice appointed and now holding Office under the Act of 1843, shall and may during his Continuance in Office have and exercise the same Powers, Authorities, and Jurisdiction, and perform the same Duties within the Limits of the Act of 1843 as extended by this Act, as if the Limits of the Act of 1843 had included the added Limits, and the Appointment under which he now holds Office had expressly referred to and included the original and added Limits.

Increase of Salary to Justice. 3. The Salary at the Rate of Six hundred Pounds in each Year now payable under the Provisions of the Act of 1843 to the Justice appointed by virtue thereof shall (but without Prejudice to the Right of the Justice holding Office at the passing of this Act to receive Payment of the Proportion of Salary at that Rate which shall have then already accrued) cease to be payable, and instead thereof a Salary at the Rate of Seven hundred Pounds in each Year shall

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be paid to the Justice holding Office at the passing of this Act, and to the Justice from Time to Time duly appointed to and holding that Office; and all and singular the Provisions of the Act of 1843 as varied by this Act relating to the Salary by that Act authorized shall be read, construed, and applied as if the same Provisions had been made with reference to the increased Salary by this Act provided to be paid.

4. Lewis Lewis, Gentleman, the Justice's Clerk appointed and L. Lewis, now holding Office as authorized by the Act of 1843, shall and may during his Continuance in Office have and exercise the same Powers, exercise Authorities, and Jurisdiction, and perform the same Duties within same Powers the Limits of the Act of 1843 as extended by this Act, as if the Limits of the Act of 1843 had included the added Limits, and the Appointment under which he now holds Office had expressly referred to and included the original and added Limits.

Justice's Clerk, to asheretofore.

5. The Salary at the Rate of One hundred and fifty Pounds in Increase of each Year now payable under the Provisions of the Act of 1843 to Salary to Justice's the Justice's Clerk appointed by virtue thereof shall (but without Clerk. Prejudice to the Right of the Clerk holding Office at the passing of this Act to receive Payment of the Proportion of Salary at that Rate which shall then have already accrued) cease to be payable, and instead thereof a Salary at such Rate, not exceeding the Rate of Three hundred Pounds in each Year, as shall be from Time to Time fixed by the Justice, and approved by One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State in Writing under his Hand, shall be paid to the Justice's Clerk holding Office at the passing of this Act, and to the Justice's Clerk from Time to Time duly appointed to and holding that Office; and all and singular the Provisions of the Act of 1843 as varied by this Act relating to the Salary by that Act authorized to be paid to the Justice's Clerk shall be read, construed, and applied as if the same Provisions had been made with reference to the Salary by this Act provided to be paid.

6. The 8th Section of the Act of 1843 shall be read, construed, Construction and applied as if the Fees by that Act authorized to be received, of Sect. 8. of recited Act. accounted for, and paid over included the Fees from Time to Time payable in respect of Matters arising or dealt with in the added Limits, as well as in respect of Matters arising or dealt with in the Limits of the Act of 1843.

7. The 10th and 11th Sections of the Act of 1843 shall be read, Construction construed, and applied as if the increased Salaries by this Act of Sects. 10. authorized and directed to be paid had been expressly included recited Act, in those Sections, and the same had been enacted for the Purpose

of paying and making Provision for Payment of the increased Salaries, and as if the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Llanwonno had been included in Section 11 of the Act of 1843, as well as the other Overseers in that Section mentioned.

As to levying Rates for Purposes herein named.

8. And whereas there is no separate Assessment or Rate for the Relief of the Poor in the Ecclesiastical District of Saint Margaret, or in the added Limits: Therefore for the Purpose of reimbursing the Parish of Llanwonno the Amount which the Overseers of that Parish shall, under the Provisions of this Act, pay out of the Rate for the Relief of the Poor in that Parish, those Overseers, after every such Payment made by them, shall in the then next or in any subsequent Rate made by them for the Relief of the Poor raise the same Amount; and for the Purpose of making Provision for Payment of the Costs, Charges, and Expenses attending the passing of this Act, or in any Manner relating thereto, those Overseers shall also raise the Amount of those Costs, Charges, and Expenses by an additional Assessment or Rate, or by additional Assessments or Rates, to be made upon the Messuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments situate within the added Limits; and every such additional Rate or Assessment shall be and be deemed to be an Addition to and Part of the Rate for the Relief of the Poor of the added Limits; and every such additional Rate or Assessment shall be made, levied, and raised in the like Manner as Poor Rates are by Law directed to be levied and raised; and the said Overseers shall have in all respects the same Powers, Remedies, and Protections for collecting the Sums of Money which shall from Time to Time be required to be levied by them as aforesaid as Overseers of the Poor have by Law for collecting any Sums due on account of Poor Rate, and the same shall be applied as Part of the Poor Rate for the Parish of Llanwonno.

Expenses of Act.

9. All Costs, Charges, and Expenses attending the passing of this Act, or in any Matter relating thereto, shall be paid by the Overseers of the Parish of Llanwonno out of the Money to be raised by them for that Purpose under the Provision herein-before contained.

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The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Act refers.

All that Portion of the Parish of Llanwonno in the County of Glamorgan which is comprised within an imaginary Line commencing at a Point where the Boundary of the Parish of Merthyr Tidvil in the same County strikes or joins the Boundary Line between the Parish of Llanwonno and the Parish of Aberdare in the same County, at the North-eastern Angle of the Field numbered 1758A upon the Tithe Commutation Map of the Parish of Llanwonno, and extending thence along and coincidently with the lastmentioned Boundary Line to a Point in the Middle of a certain Stream called Boy Brook flowing from a Source near to Ywynsych into the River Cynon, near to Ywynsych aforesaid, and extending thence first North-eastward and then South-eastward along such Parish Boundary as far as a Point in the Middle of the Road leading from Aberdare to Ynysybwl, and extending thence first South-eastward, then Southward, and then again South-eastward along the Middle of the last-named Road as far as a Point opposite to the Middle of the Western End of the Fence dividing the Close numbered 1239 upon the said Map from the Close numbered 1523 upon the same Map, and extending thence North-castward to and along the Middle of the last-described Fence. and of the Fences dividing the Closes numbered respectively 1218, 1217, and 1216 upon the said Map from the Closes numbered respectively 1523 as aforesaid, 1519, and 1521 upon the same Map, to the Junction of the Fence dividing the Close numbered 1216 from the Close numbered 1521 as aforesaid with the Fence dividing the Closes numbered respectively 1216 as aforesaid, 1215, 1214, 1213, and the Plantation numbered 1210, upon the said Map from the Wood numbered 1504 upon the same Map, and extending thence first South-eastward and then North-eastward along the Middle of the last-described Fence to its North-eastern Extremity, and extending thence still North-eastward and in a direct Line to a Point in the Middle of the River Cynon aforesaid, and extending thence first Northward along the Middle of such River, and then North-westward along the Middle of the same River, as far as a Point opposite to the Middle of the Southern End of the Fence dividing the Close numbered 1707 upon the said Map from the Road leading from such Close to Cwm Cynon, and extending thence North-eastward to and along the Middle of the last-described Fence as far as a Point at the Middle of the South-eastern End of the last-mentioned Road, and extending thence first North-westward along the Middle of such Road, and then North-eastward along the Middle of the same Road, as far as a Point opposite to the Middle of the South-western End of the Fence dividing the Close numbered 1711 upon the said Map from the Close numbered 1719A upon the same Map, and extending thence Northeastward to and along the Middle of the last-described Fence to its Northeastern Extremity, and continuing thence still in the same Direction and in a straight Line across the Road leading from Aberdare to Cardiff, and across the Aberdare Canal and the Towing-path belonging thereto as aforesaid, to a Point in the Middle of the South-western End of the Fence dividing the Plantation [Local.] numbered

numbered 1739 upon the said Map from the Plantation numbered 1712 upon the said Map, and extending thence first Northward along the Middle of the Fence last referred to, and then either North-eastward or North-westward along the Middle of the Fences dividing the Plantation and Closes numbered respectively 1739 as aforesaid, 1484, 1485, 1486, 1487, and 1497, upon the said Map from the Plantations and Closes numbered respectively 1734, 1738, 1736, 1737, 1748, 1749, 1499, and 1498 upon the same Map, crossing the Road leading to Forest Ucha to a Point on the Boundary dividing the said Parish of Llanwonno from the Parish of Merthyr Tidvil before mentioned opposite to the Middle of the Eastern End of the Fence dividing the Close numbered 1497 from the Close numbered 1498 as aforesaid, and extending thence along and coincidently with the Boundary Line between the Parish of Llanwonno and the Parish of Merthyr Tidvil to the Point in this Schedule mentioned as the Commencement of the imaginary Line.

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