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GEORGII IV. REGIS.

Cap. iv.

An Act to enable the Trustees of the *Liverpool*
Docks to raise a further Sum of Money.

[23d May 1828.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Eighth Year of the
Reign of Queen *Anne*, intituled *An Act for making a con- 8 Anne, c. 12.*
venient Dock or Basin at Liverpool, for the Security of all
Ships trading to and from the said Port of Liverpool: And whereas
an Act was passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His Majesty
King George the First, intituled *An Act for enlarging the Time granted 3 G. 1. c. 1.*
by an Act passed in the Eighth Year of the Reign of Her late Majesty
Queen *Anne*, intituled *An Act for making a convenient Dock or Basin*
at Liverpool, for the Security of all Ships trading to and from the said
Port of Liverpool: And whereas an Act was passed in the Eleventh
Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Second, intituled
An Act for enlarging the Time granted by an Act passed in the Third 11 G. 2. c. 32.
Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the First, intituled *An*
Act for enlarging the Time granted by an Act passed in the Eighth
Year of the Reign of Her late Majesty Queen Anne, intituled "An Act
" for making a convenient Dock or Basin at Liverpool, for the Security
" of all Ships trading to and from the said Port of Liverpool;" and
for enlarging the same, by making an additional Dock, and building a
Pier in the open Harbour there; and for enlightening the said Dock:
And whereas an Act was passed in the Second Year of the Reign of
His Majesty King George the Third, intituled *An Act to enlarge the 2 G. 3. c. 86.*
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Term and Powers granted by an Act passed in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the Second, for continuing several Acts relating to the Harbour of Liverpool, and for enlarging the same, by making an additional Dock, and building a Pier in the open Harbour there, and for enlightening the said Docks; and for making another Dock with proper Piers in the said Harbour; and for erecting Lighthouses and other proper Lights in or near the Port of Liverpool: And whereas an Act was passed in the Twenty-fifth Year of the Reign

25 G. 3. c. 15. *of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled An Act to enlarge the Term and Powers of several Acts relating to the Harbour of Liverpool, and for making Two additional Docks and Piers in or near the Port of Liverpool: And whereas an Act was passed in the Thirty-ninth*

39 G. 3. c. 59. *Year of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled An Act to enlarge the Term, and alter and enlarge the Powers of several Acts relating to the Harbour of Liverpool, and for making Two additional Docks and Piers in or near the Port of Liverpool; and for rendering more safe and commodious the said Port and Docks: And whereas an Act was passed in the Fifty-first Year of the Reign of His late Majesty*

51 G. 3. c. 143. *King George the Third, intituled An Act for the Improvement of the Port and Town of Liverpool, and amending the several Acts relating to the Docks, Quays, and other Works belonging to the said Port: And whereas an Act was passed in the Fifty-third Year of the Reign of His*

53 G. 3. c. 156. *late Majesty King George the Third, intituled An Act to authorize the Advancement of a certain Sum of Money for carrying into Effect the several Acts for the Improvement of the Port and Town of Liverpool, and to amend the said Acts: And whereas an Act was passed in the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the*

59 G. 3. c. 30. *Third, intituled An Act for improving the Lighthouse in the Isle of Anglesea, belonging to the Trustees of the Liverpool Docks, and for further amending the Acts relating to the Docks and Harbour of Liverpool: And whereas an Act was passed in the Sixth Year of the Reign*

6 G. 4. c. 187. *of His present Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled An Act for the further Improvement of the Port, Harbour, and Town of Liverpool, and for altering, extending, and amending the several Acts relating thereto: And whereas by virtue and in execution of the Powers contained in the said several Acts, and in order to erect the additional Docks, Basins, and other Works therein mentioned, the Trustees of the Liverpool Docks have, since the passing of the said last-mentioned Act, purchased, by the Assessment of Juries and otherwise, the several Houses, Buildings, Lands, and Tenements in the said Act mentioned; and in order to obtain the several Sums of Money awarded by the Verdicts of such Juries to be paid for the same (which Sums have much exceeded the previous Estimates and Calculations), the said Trustees have raised and taken up at Interest, upon Security of the Dock Rates and Duties, or become liable to pay, the whole of the Monies by the said Act authorized to be borrowed and raised: And whereas, from the increasing Trade of the said Port, and the great Number of Vessels which cannot obtain Accommodation in the existing Docks, it is necessary, for the Safety of the same Vessels and their Cargoes, that the said Trustees of the Liverpool Docks should be enabled to proceed in the most expeditious Manner with the Erection and Completion of the said additional Docks and the other Works in the said Acts mentioned; and in order to enable the said Trustees to*

give such Accommodation, and to carry into Execution the several Purposes of the said Acts, it is expedient that they should be enabled to borrow and take up at Interest such further Sums of Money (not exceeding in the whole the Sum herein-after mentioned) as may be necessary to effect the same with the Dispatch required by the great Increase of the Trade of the said Port; but the same cannot be done 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 Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Trustees, from Time to Time whenever they shall deem proper, to borrow, raise, and take up at Interest, by Sale by Auction, in the Manner and under any of the Regulations specified in the said recited Acts, of Assignments of the Rates and Duties by the said former Acts and this Act authorized to be collected and received, or upon Security of the Bonds of the said Trustees, or by granting Annuities, or by Assignments of the said Rates and Duties, as in the said Acts provided, the further Sum of Two hundred thousand Pounds, in addition to and exclusive of the Sum of One Million which the said Trustees are authorized to raise or take up at Interest in and by the said Acts; which Sum of Two hundred thousand Pounds, together with the said Sum of One Million, amounting in the whole to One million two hundred thousand Pounds, shall be the Extent of the Debt authorized to be due and owing on the Security of the said Rates and Duties at any one and the same Period of Time, except in the Event in this Act afterwards mentioned.

Trustees may raise a further Sum of 200,000*l.* by Sale of Assignments of the Rates, or by Bonds or Annuities.

II. Provided always, and be it enacted, That in case any Part of the said Debt of One million two hundred thousand Pounds shall be at any Time called in, paid off, or discharged, it shall and may be lawful for the said Trustees, from Time to Time and at all Times hereafter, to borrow, raise, and take up at Interest, on the Credit of the said Rates and Duties, either upon Security of the Bonds of the said Trustees, or by granting Annuities, or by Sale of Assignments of the same, as aforesaid, as authorized by the said Acts, any Sum or Sums of Money, in lieu or in the stead of any Sum or Sums of Money before called in, borrowed, raised, and taken up at Interest, as shall from Time to Time be paid off and discharged by the said Trustees.

Trustees may borrow Money in lieu of any Sums paid off.

III. And be it further enacted, That the Assignments, Bonds, and other Securities to be granted or issued by the said Trustees in pursuance of the Provisions of this Act, for securing the Repayment of the said Sum of Two hundred thousand Pounds, or any Part thereof, shall, in respect to Priority of Payment, rank after, and shall be deemed and taken to be subject to all Assignments, Bonds, or other Securities granted or issued, or to be granted or issued, for and securing any Sum or Sums of Money by the said recited former Acts authorized to be raised and taken up at Interest.

Bonds, &c. under this Act to rank after those granted by recited Acts.

IV. And be it further enacted, That all the Monies which shall be collected, levied, borrowed, and raised under this Act, shall be applied in any Order with respect to Priority of such Application, as to the said

Application of Monies.

said Trustees shall seem expedient, in and towards the Completion of the several Docks and other Works by the said Acts authorized to be erected and built, and for and towards the several Objects and Purposes in the said recited Acts mentioned, in the general Management and conducting the said Trust Estate, and in carrying into Execution all the Provisions of the said several recited Acts and this Act.

Expences
of Act.

V. And be it further enacted, That the Expence of procuring and passing this Act shall be paid by the said Trustees out of any Monies arisen or to arise by virtue of the said Acts, or any of them, or of this Act.

Public Act.

VI. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be deemed 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.

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