a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to enable grand juries in Ircland to grant superannuation allowances to county sur-

veyors in certain cases.

An Act to authorise advances to the Public Works Loan Commissioners for enabling them to make loans under divers Acts authorising such

An Act to institute a Pharmaceutical Society, and to regulate the qualifications of pharmaceutical chemists and of chemists and druggists,

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Friendly and other Societies.

An Act for consolidating and amending the Acts relating to Public Health in England.

An Act to amend the Public Records (Ireland) Act, 1867, and to make provision for keeping safely parochial records in Ireland.

An Act for further promoting the revision of the Statute Law by repealing certain enactments which have ceased to be in force, or have become unnecessary.

An Act to further amend the law of entail in

Scotland.

An Act to alter and amend the law relating to appeals in summary prosecutions before inferior judges in Scotland.

An Act to repeal the Adulteration of Food Acts, and to make better provision for the sale of food

and drugs in a pure state.

An Act to repeal the Guarantee by Companies Act, 1867, and to make other provision in lieu thereof.

An Act for further amending the Acts relating to the raising of money by the Metropolitan Board of Works; and for other purposes.

An Act for making further provision respecting

the Department of Science and Art.

An Act to consolidate and amend certain laws relating to the Militia of the United Kingdom.

An Act for further amending the law relating to Chimney Sweepers.

An Act to amend the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, relating to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England.

An Act to continue various expiring laws.

An Act to amend the law relating to appointment of certain persons who entered the employment of the Home Government of India before the 31st day of December, 1874.

An Act to amend "The Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867," and other Sanitary Acts, in respect of loans for sanitary purposes.

An Act to amend the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1869.

An Act to make provision for returns relating to ecclesiastical fees; and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the laws relating to private and district lunatic asylums in Ireland.

An Act to amend and extend the Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1873.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders of the Local Government Board relating to the districts of Leyton and Redditch and the borough of Totnes.

An Act for regulating the traffic in the city of Dublin and certain other parts of the police district of Dublin Metropolis; and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act to continue certain Turnpike Acts in Great Britain, and to repeal certain other Turnpike Acts; and for other purposes connected therewith.

An Act for making a railway from Ely, in the county of Cambridge, to Bury Saint Edmunds, in the county of Suffolk; and for other purposes

An Act for making a railway from the Midlaud Great Western Railway of Ireland, near the town of Ballysadare, in the county of Sligo, through the counties of Leitrim and Cavan, to the Irish North Western Railway, near the town of Enniskillen, in the county of Fermanegh; and for other purposes.

An Act for making better provision for settlement of differences between the coast section and the inland section of the Cambrian Railways Com-

pany; and for other purposes.

An Act for enabling the President and Fellows of Sion College, within the city of London, to grant building and improving leases of certain lands in the said city, and to sell the same lands, and to acquire other lands, and for carrying into effect an arrangement relating to Sion Hospital; and for other purposes.

An Act for conferring further powers on the Commercial Gas Company, and for the amalgamation with that Company of the Ratcliff Gas Light and Coke Company; and for other purposes.

An Act for granting further powers to the Galway, Oughterard, and Clifden Railway Com-

An Act to extend the time granted by "The Metropolitan and South-Western Junction Railway Act, 1872," for the purchase of lands.

An Act for conferring further powers on the Sevenoaks, Maidstone, and Tunbridge Railway Company, for the purchase of lands, and the raising of money, and otherwise in relation to their undertaking; and for other purposes.

An Act for extending the boundaries of the borough of Barrow-in-Furness, and for empowering the Corporation to construct additional waterworks and gasworks, and for defining and extending the powers of the Corporation in relation to the management of streets, the regulation of buildings, the improvement of the borough, and other matters of local government; and for other purposes.

An Act for making railways from the Great Eastern Railway at Ely to the Great Eastern Railway at Newmarket; and for other purposes.

An Act for incorporating the Regent's Canal and Dock Company; for the transfer to them of the undertaking of the Regent's Canal Company; for authorising the construction of works for improving and providing additional accommodation in connection with that undertaking; and for other purposes.

An Act for incorporating a Company and authorising them to make and maintain a dock and other works at Sutton Bridge; and for other

purposes.

An Act enabling the Metropolitan District Railway Company to connect their railway at Hammersmith with the London and South-Western Railway; and for other purposes connected with their undertaking.

An Act to authorise the construction of tramways in and near the city of Dublin; and for

other purposes.

An Act for making certain railways between the town of Magherafelt, in the county of Londonderry, and the town of Coleraine, in the same county; and for other purposes.