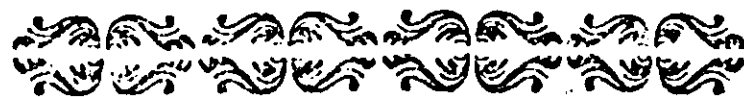


missions made as is afore ordained by this Act, any thing contained in the said Act, or in any Proviso thereunto added and annexed to the contrary thereof, notwithstanding, (') this Act to endure, for Twenty Yeares.



THIRD AND FOURTH

E D W A R D VI.

C H A P. VIII.

*An Act, for the continuance of the Statute of Sewers.*

WHEREAS in the Par-  
 liament holden at *West-*  
*minster*, by Prorogation,  
 the xv. Day of *January*,  
 in the xxiii. Year of the most  
 victorious Reign of our late Sove-  
 reign Lord King *Henry* the  
 Eighth, among other Things, one  
 general Act, concerning Commis-  
 sions of Sewers, to be directed,  
 into all Parts within this Realm,  
 was enacted, and made to continue  
 and endure for Twenty Years, then  
 next following, as by the same Act  
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The Stat. 23.  
 Hen. viii. cap.  
 v. touching the  
 Commission of  
 Sewers, made  
 perpetual.

‘ more at large it doth and may  
 ‘ appear; and forasmuch as the  
 ‘ same Act is thought good and be-  
 ‘ neficial for the Common-wealth  
 ‘ of this Realm;’ **be it therefore**  
**Enacted and Ordained** by the  
 King our Sovereign Lord, with the  
 Assent of the Lords Spiritual and  
 Temporal, and the Commons in this  
 present Parliament assembled, and  
 by the Authority of the same, That  
 the said Act, and all Clauses, Ar-  
 ticles and Provisions, in the same  
 contained, shall continue and en-  
 dure in their Force and Strength,  
 and to be observed and kept for ever,  
 in such Manner and Form, as shall  
 and may stand with the Sequel and  
 Additions hereafter mentioned.

All Sums of  
 Money rated  
 by Force of the  
 Commission of  
 Sewers upon  
 any of the  
 King's Lands  
 shall be levied  
 by Distress.

**II. And be it further enacted**  
 and established, by the Authority  
 aforesaid, that all Scots, Lots, and  
 Funds of Money, hereafter to be  
 rated, and taxed, by Virtue of such  
 Commission of Sewers, upon any of  
 the Lands, Tenements, or Heredita-  
 ments, of our Sovereign Lord the  
 King,

King, his Heirs or Successors, for  
 any Manner of Thing or Thing,  
 concerning the Articles of the said  
 Commission of Sewers, shall be ga-  
 thered and levied by Distress, or  
 otherwise, in like Manner and Form,  
 as shall or may be done in the  
 Lands, Tenements, and Heredita-  
 ments, of any other Person or Per-  
 sons. (2) And that all Bills of Ac-  
 quittance, signed with the Hand or  
 Hands of such Collector or Receiver,  
 as shall have the Collection thereof,  
 by the Appointment of the said  
 Commissioners, or Six of them, shall  
 be as well a sufficient Discharge to  
 the Tenants, Farmers, and Occu-  
 piers of the same Grounds, so to be  
 charged for the said Sum, where-  
 with their Grounds shall be so  
 charged; as also sufficient Warrant  
 to all and every the Receivers,  
 Auditors, and other whatsoever  
 Officer or Officers of our said Sove-  
 reign Lord the King, his Heirs and  
 Successors, for the Allowance to  
 such Tenant, Farmer, or Occupier  
 for the same; (2) adding, moreover,

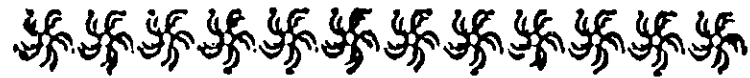
What Fees  
 shall be paid  
 for the Com-  
 mission of Sew-  
 ers sued out  
 under the Seal  
 of the Dutchy.

unto this Act, by the Authority of this present Parliament, that such and like Fees, and none other nor more, shall be at any Time paid or demanded, for any Commission or Commissions, or Writs of *Dedimus Potestatem*, hereafter to be sued out, or obtained, under the Seal of the Dutchy, but only such and like Fees as has been mentioned in the said former Act, to be paid in the Chancery, for Commissions and Writs of *Dedimus Potestatem* to be obtained from the same Court of Chancery. (4)

How long the Commission of Sewers shall endure, after 13 Eliz. c. 9.

The Commissions to continue for Ten Years 13 El. c. 9.

Adding moreover thereunto by the Authority abovesaid, that every Commission and Commissions, hereafter to be awarded for Sewers, shall continue and endure for Term of Five Years, next after the Test of such Commission, unless the same Commission and Commissions shall be otherwise discharged within the said Time by *Supersedeas*; any Thing or Things mentioned, or contained in the said former Act, contrary to the Additions before mentioned, or any of them, in any wise notwithstanding.



THIRTEENTH

ELIZABETH.

CHAP. IX.

*An Act for the Commission of Sewers.*

**AS MUCH** as no Commission of Sewers, by the Estatutes heretofore made, may have Continuance above the Space of Five Years; (2) be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, with the Assent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That from

23 H. 8. c. 5.  
3 and 4 Ed. 6. c. 8.

Stat. 23 H. 8.  
c. 5.

C 3 henceforth