

of England became those of Ireland, and this Kingdom, under the Name of a Lordship, became a Dominion of the Crown of England, inseparably annexed and knit thereto, and dependant thereon ; this annexation or dependency, founded on Conquest, Cession, and Acknowledgment, is clearly declared and recognized in many of our Acts of Parliament, some of which I shall briefly mention.

The 28th of Hen. VIII. Cap. 2; Entitled, "*An Act of Succession of the King and Queen Anne,*" recites that several persons had pretended titles "to the Imperial Crown of the Realm of England, where-
unto this your Land of Ireland is appending and belonging."

28 Hen. VIII. Cap. 3. "*The Act of Absentees,*"—begins with this recital "Forasmuch as it is notorious and manifest that this the King's Land of Ireland, heretofore being inhabited, and in due obedience and subjection unto the King's
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