CAP. XCV.

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Protection in the Colonies of Works entitled to Copyright in the United Kingdom. [22d July 1847.]

5 & 6 Vict. c. 45.

'WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Fifth and Sixth Years of Her present Ma'jesty, intituled An Act to amend the Law of Copyright, it is 'amongst other things enacted, that it shall not be lawful for any 'Person not being the Proprietor of the Copyright, or some Person

'authorized by him, to import into any Part of the United King'dom, or into any other Part of the British Dominions, for Sale or
'Hire, any printed Book first composed or written or printed or
'published in any Part of the United Kingdom wherein there shall
'be Copyright, and reprinted in any Country or Place whatsoever

out of the British Dominions: And whereas by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Eighth and Ninth

'Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled An Act to regulate the Trade of the British Possessions abroad, Books wherein the Copyright is subsisting, first composed or written or

'printed in the United Kingdom, and printed or reprinted in any other Country, are absolutely prohibited to be imported into the

'British Possessions abroad: And whereas by the said last-recited 'Act it is enacted, that all Laws, Bye Laws, Usages, or Customs

'in practice, or endeavoured or pretended to be in force or practice in any of the British Possessions in America, which are in anywise repugnant to the said Act or to any Act of Parliament made

' or to be made in the United Kingdom, so far as such Act shall relate to and mention the said Possessions, are and shall be null

' and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever:' Now 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 this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That in case the Legislature or proper legislative Authorities in any British Possession shall be disposed to

make due Provision for securing or protecting the Rights of British Authors in such Possession, and shall pass an Act or make an

Ordinance for that Purpose, and shall transmit the same in the proper Manner to the Secretary of State, in order that it may be submitted to Her Majesty, and in case Her Majesty shall be of

opinion that such Act or Ordinance is sufficient for the Purpose of securing to British Authors reasonable Protection within such

Possession, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, if She think fit so to do, to express Her Royal Approval of such Act or Ordinance, and thereupon to issue an Order in Council declaring that so long as the Provisions of such Act or Ordinance continue in force within

such Colony the Prohibitions contained in the aforesaid Acts, and herein-before recited, and any Prohibitions contained in the said Acts or in any other Acts against the importing, selling, letting

out to hire, exposing for Sale or Hire, or possessing Foreign Reprints of Books first composed, written, printed, or published in the

United Kingdom, and entitled to Copyright therein, shall be suspended so far as regards such Colony; and thereupon such Act or Ordinance shall come into operation, except so far as may be

otherwise

8 & 9 Vict. c. 93.

Her Majesty
may suspend in
certain Cases
the Prohibitions
against the Admission of
pirated Books
into the Colonies in certain

Cases.

otherwise provided therein, or as may be otherwise directed by such Order in Council, any thing in the said last-recited Act or in

any other Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

II. And be it enacted, That every such Order in Council shall, within One Week after the issuing thereof, be published in the London Gazette, and that a Copy thereof, and of every such Colonial Act or Ordinance so approved as aforesaid by Her Majesty, shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament within Six Weeks after the issuing of such Order, if Parliament be then sitting, or if Parliament be not then sitting, then within Six Weeks after the opening of the next Session of Parliament.

Orders in Council to be published in Gazette, and to be laid before Parliament.

III. And be it enacted, That this Act may be amended or repealed Act may be

An Act for better securing Trust Funds, and for the Relief [22d July 1847.] Lefte Pour

HEREAS it is expedient to provide Means for better it 1. 620. securing Trust Funds, and for relieving Trustees from the Junions me ' Responsibility of administering Trust Funds in Cases where they kaus for In rate ' are desirous of being so relieved:' Be it enacted by the Queen's fee: 1848. 10. most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of a for homes decided the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present articles for Sur le Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That all Trustees may 1.34 Trustees, Executors, Administrators, or other Persons, having in pay Trust Motheir Hands any Monies belonging to any Trust whatsoever, or the major Part of them, shall be at liberty, on filing an Affidavit shortly describing the Instrument creating the Trust, according to the best of their Knowledge and Belief, to pay the same, with the Privity of the Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, General in the Matter of the Account of such Accountant See one General in the Matter of the particular Trust (describing the same of the At by the Names of the Parties, as accurately as may be, for the Purpose of distinguishing it), in trust to attend the Orders of the 10 said Court; and that all Trustees or other Persons having any Annuities or Stocks standing in their Name in the Books of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England or of the East India Company, or South Sea Company, or any Government or Parliamentary Securities standing in their Names, or in the Names of any deceased Persons of whom they shall be personal Representatives, upon any Trusts whatsoever, or the major Part of them, shall be at liberty to transfer or deposit such Stocks or Securities into or in the Name of the said Accountant General, with his Privity, in the Matter of the particular Trust (describing the same as aforesaid), in trust to attend the Orders of the said Court; and in every such Case the Receipt of One of the Cashiers of the said Bank for the Money so paid, or, in the Case of Stocks or Securities, the Certificate of the proper Officer, of the Transfer or Deposit of such Stocks or Securities, shall be a sufficient Discharge to such Trustees or other Persons for the Money so paid, or the Stocks or Securities so transferred or deposited.

II. And be it enacted, That such Orders as shall seem fit shall be from Time to Time made by the High Court of Chancery in respect

nies or transfer Stocks and Securities into the Court of Chancery.

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Receipt of Bank Cashier, &c. to be sufficient Discharge.

Court of Chancery to make Orders on Peti-

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