



ANNO DECIMO SEXTO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CAP. VI.

AN ACT to amend an Act for Consolidating and Amending the Saint John's Rebuilding Acts.

[Passed 15th June, 1853.]

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend the Fifth and Fiftieth Sections of an Act of the Legislature of this Colony passed in the Fifteenth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the St. John's Re-building Acts." Preamble

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor, Council, and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that if any Person shall refuse to surrender his Land, or any Interest he may have therein, which may be necessary for the purpose of opening the Le Marchant Road, and the New Road, according to the terms of the said Fifth and Fiftieth Sections of the said in part recited Act, it shall be lawful for the Surveyor General, under the direction of the Governor in Council, to lay out the said Roads and appropriate to the Public the Land necessary for that purpose, of the width therein prescribed for the said Roads; and that compensation shall be made to the owner of such land, or any person having any interest therein, for such damage as he may sustain by reason of taking and appropriating the same for the purposes aforesaid, according to the terms and in the manner provided by the Fourteenth and Forty-second Sections of the said Act: *Provided always*, that neither of the said Roads shall be opened until the value of the said Land shall be ascertained, and the cost approved by the Governor and Council. The Surveyor General to lay out the Le Marchant and New Roads in St. John's, and to appropriate to the public such lands as may be necessary therefor, on the owners thereof being compensated for the same.
Proviso.