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AN ACT to Repeal an Act passed in the Fifteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to Repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the Fourteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled 'An Act for the appointment of Electric Telegraph Commissioners, and for Incorporating Electric Telegraph Companies;' and also to provide for Incorporating the Newfoundland Electric Telegraph Company;" and also an Act to amend the said recited Act, passed in the Sixteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign.

[Passed 15th April, 1854.]

WHEREAS the Newfoundland Electric Telegraph Company has surrendered its Charter to the Government of this Colony; and there are many and urgent reasons why the said Surrender should be accepted, and the Acts establishing the Company be Repealed.

Preamble.

I.—Be it therefore enacted by the Governor, Council, and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, that the said Surrender be accepted, and that the following Acts—that is to say, an Act passed in the Fifteenth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled "An Act to Repeal certain

Surrender of Charter of "Newfoundland Telegraph Company."

Repeal of the 15th Vic. Cap. 6, and 16 Vic. Cap. 11. parts of an Act passed in the Fourteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled 'An Act for the appointment of Electric Telegraph Commissioners, and for Incorporating Electric Telegraph Companies;' and also to provide for Incorporating the Newfoundland Electric Telegraph Company;" and also an Act passed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled "An Act to amend an Act passed in the Fifteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to Repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the Fourteenth Year of Her Majesty's Reign, entitled 'An Act for the appointment of Electric Telegraph Commissioners, and for Incorporating Electric Telegraph Companies;' and also to provide for Incorporating the Newfoundland Electric Telegraph Company;" be, and the same are hereby severally Repealed; and every clause, matter, or thing therein contained, is, and shall henceforth be utterly Null and Void to all intents and purposes: Provided, however, that this Repeal shall not revive any Act or part of an Act repealed by the Acts above recited, or either of them; but every part of an Act repealed by the above recited Acts, or either of them, shall be and continue Repealed.

Proviso.

Dissolution of Company.

II.—That the said Newfoundland Electric Telegraph Company be, and the same is hereby Dissolved, and all the Rights and Franchises thereof be, and the same are, hereby Annulled and Extinguished.