

lawful for His Excellency in Council, by Proclamation to be published in the *Canada Gazette*, to declare and ordain that the Census shall be taken in such County in some other month, being the nearest to the month in which it ought to be taken as aforesaid that circumstances and the nature of the case will admit, and thereupon, the Census may and shall be taken in such County accordingly in the same way and with the same effect as if taken in the month in which, without such Proclamation, it would be taken under this Act.

## C A P. L.

An Act to repeal the Act of the 7th Victoria, Chapter 6, intituled, *An Act to restrain Party Processions in certain cases.*

[ 30th August, 1851. ]

Act 7 Vict. c. 6, repealed.

**B**E it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, *An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the Act passed in the seventh year of the Reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, chaptered six, and intituled, *An Act to restrain Party Processions in certain cases*, be, and the said Act is hereby repealed.

## C A P. L I.

An Act to consolidate and regulate the General Clauses relating to Rail-ways.

[ 30th August, 1851. ]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to establish a general and uniform system for the construction and management of all Rail-ways hereafter to be undertaken in Canada: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, *An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That this Act shall apply to every Rail-way which shall by any Act which shall hereafter be passed be authorized to be constructed, and this Act shall be incorporated with such Act; and all the clauses and provisions of this Act, save in so far as they shall be expressly varied or excepted by any such Act, shall apply to the undertaking authorized thereby, so far as the same shall be applicable to such undertaking, and shall, as well as the clauses and provisions of every other Act which shall be incorporated with such Act, form part of such Act, and be construed together therewith as forming one Act.

This Act to apply to any Rail-way to be hereafter constructed.

Name by which it shall be cited.

II. And be it enacted, That in citing this Act, in any Special Rail-way Act and in other Acts of Parliament, and in legal instruments, it shall be sufficient to use the expression, "*The Rail-way Clauses Consolidation Act.*"

What shall be sufficient in making an incorporation of this Act with Special Acts.

III. And be it enacted, That for the purpose of making any incorporation of this Act with Special Acts hereafter to be passed, it shall be sufficient in any such Acts to enact, that the Clauses of this Act, with respect to the matter so proposed to be incorporated, describing such matter as it is described in this Act, in the word or words at the head of and introductory to the enactment with respect to such matter, shall be incorporated with such Acts, and thereupon all the Clauses and provisions of this Act, with respect to the matter so incorporated shall, save in so far as they shall be expressly varied or excepted by such Acts, form part thereof, and such Acts shall be construed as if the substance of such Clauses and provisions were set forth therein with reference to the matter to which such Acts shall relate.