

No. XLI.

TREASURY
INDEMNITY.

An Act to indemnify the Governor and the Officers of the Colonial Treasury in respect of certain unauthorized Payments for the extension of the Circular Quay. [18th December, 1855.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS by the Act of Council eighteen Victoria number thirty-four a sum not exceeding thirty-one thousand four hundred and fifty-eight pounds was appropriated and authorized to be issued out of the produce of the taxes duties rates and imposts levied within the Colony for certain extensions of the Circular Quay at Sydney And whereas the cost of the said works has exceeded the estimate under which the said sum of money was so appropriated by the sum of ten thousand six hundred and seven pounds four shillings and seven-pence three-farthings And whereas certain extra works not included in the said estimate have been done to the amount of three thousand three hundred and ninety-two pounds fifteen shillings and four-pence farthing such sums making together an excess of fourteen thousand pounds over the said amount so appropriated And whereas the said sum of fourteen thousand pounds has been paid out of the
Public

Sydney Sewerage and Water.

Public General Revenues of the Colony by the Colonial Treasurer thereof under warrants signed by His Excellency the Governor without the authority of any Vote or Act of the Legislature of the Colony And whereas under the circumstances of the case it is expedient that all Officers concerned in such expenditure should be indemnified in respect thereof Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of New South Wales with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

His Excellency the Governor and the Colonial Treasurer and Auditor General of the Colony and all persons whatever having acted under their or either of their warrants orders or directions shall be and are hereby indemnified for and in respect of any warrant order or direction which they or either of them may have given or made or caused to be given or made for the expenditure of the said sum of fourteen thousand pounds or any portion thereof and for and in respect of all payments made or caused to be made by them or any of them for the works aforesaid in excess of the said appropriation not exceeding the said sum of fourteen thousand pounds.

Governor and
Officers of the
Colonial Treasury
indemnified as to
unauthorized expen-
diture on the Circu-
lar Quay.
