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CAP. I.

An Act to repeal the Act of one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, intituled, *An Act to extend the provisions of the Insolvent Debtors' Act of Upper Canada, and for the relief of a certain class of persons therein mentioned.*

[Assented to 31st March, 1857.]

WHEREAS it has been found that the Act passed in the Session of one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, chapter ninety-three, and intituled, *An Act to extend the provisions of the Insolvent Debtors' Act of Upper Canada, and for the relief of a certain class of persons therein mentioned,* has operated prejudicially to the Mercantile interests of the Province, it is therefore expedient to repeal the same: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

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19, 20 V. c. 93.

I. The Act mentioned in the Preamble to this Act is hereby repealed; Provided always, that any Trader within the meaning of the Act hereby repealed, who shall have presented his Petition under the provisions thereof, but who shall not have obtained a final order thereon, by reason of the passing of this Act, shall be entitled to the possession of his estate, or such parts thereof, as may then be in the possession of the Official Assignee; and that the several Judges of the County Courts shall, on the application of such party, issue their order for the redelivery of such Petitioner's estate.

The said Act repealed.
Proviso: Trader applicants under it to be entitled to possession of their estate, if no final order has been made.

CAP. II.

An Act for the amendment of the Practice and Procedure in Suits instituted on behalf of the Crown in matters relating to the Revenue.

[Assented to 27th May, 1857.]

WHEREAS it is necessary to alter and amend the Practice and Procedure in Suits instituted on behalf of the Crown in

Preamble.

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