Officer, and therefore not of sufficient rank to be

allowed to hold temporarily that high office: And whereas on the departure of the late Lieutenant Governor of this Island, His Excellency Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Roy, K. H. therefrom, and before the arrival of the present Lieutenant Governor His Excellency Sir Henry Vere Huntley, the Government thereof was assumed by the Honorable George Wright, as Senior Member of Her Majesty's Executive Council, on the faith, and in the expectation that a Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal sign Manual, had been made to him for that purpose, and was then on its way to this Island: And whereas the said Warrant although prepared, was not sent to the Island, by the then Secretary of State for the Colonies, under the impression, that Sir Charles Augustus Fitz Rov would not relinquish the Government, until the arrival of Sir Henry Vere Huntley: And whereas in consequence of such assumption of the Government by the Honorable George Wright, and the exercise of the duties of the Administrator of the Government thereof by him without the possession of such Warrant under the Royal Sign Manual, the acts of him the said George Wright, as Administrator of the Government as aforesaid, and of his subordinate Officers, are illegal, null and void: For remedy Confirms certain whereof, Be it enacted, by the Lieutenant Goverproceedings of Executive during nor Council and Assembly, that all orders, acts, matters and things, made, done and performed by the said George Wright, as Administrator of the Government of this Island, in the Executive Counil thereof; and all orders, acts, matters and things made, done and performed by the Executive Council of the said Island, and the acts of all and every person and persons whomsoever, under or by virtue of any order of the said George Wright, as Administrator of the Government of the said Island, in the said Executive Council of the said Island, and of the said Executive Council, and usually and legally appertaining to the duties of Administrator of the said Govern-

Administration of the Govern. ment by Hon. George Wright, in 1841.