for forging or altering Wills and certain Powers of Attorney.

to affect or alter the said recited Act, or any other Act or Law now in force, so far as the same may authorize the Punishment of Death to be inflicted upon any Person convicted, either in *England*, *Scotland*, or *Ireland*, of forging or altering, or of offering, uttering, or disposing of, knowing the same to be forged or altered, any Will, Testament, Codicil, or Testamentary Writing, with Intent to defraud any Body Corporate or Person whatsoever, or of forging or altering, or of uttering, knowing the same to be forged or altered, any Power of Attorney or other Authority to transfer any Share or Interest of or in any Stock, Annuity, or other Public Fund which now is or hereafter may be transferable at the Bank of *England* or *South Sea* House, or at the Bank of *Ireland*, or to receive any Dividend payable in respect of any such Share or Interest, with Intent to defraud any Body Corporate or Person whatsoever, or of procuring, aiding, or assisting in the Commission of any of the said Offences, but that the Punishment for each and every of the said Offences, and for procuring, aiding, or assisting in the Commission thereof, shall continue to be the same as if this Act had not been passed.

It shall not be necessary to set forth Copy or Facsimile of forged Instrument in Indictment.

III. And in order to prevent Justice from being defeated by clerical or verbal Inaccuracies, be it enacted, That in all Informations or Indictments for forging or in any Manner uttering any Instrument or Writing, it shall not be necessary to set forth any Copy or Facsimile thereof, but it shall be sufficient to describe the same in such Manner as would sustain an Indictment for stealing the same; any Law or Custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

CAP. CXXIV.

An Act to explain certain Provisions in Local Acts of Parliament relating to Double Toll on Turnpike Roads. [16th *August* 1832.]

'WHEREAS divers Local Acts now in force for making, repairing, and improving Turnpike Roads in that Part of *Great Britain* called *England* authorize Tolls to be collected and taken at certain Toll Gates and Turnpike Gates erected upon or on the Sides of such Turnpike Roads, for or in respect of Waggons, Carts, and Carriages, or the Horse or Horses or other Beast or Beasts drawing the same, passing through the said Toll Gates and Turnpike Gates: And whereas many of the said Acts authorize Double Toll to be taken at such Toll Gates or Turnpike Gates at particular Periods of the Year, for or in respect of Waggons, Carts, or Carriages laden with several heavy Goods and Articles therein respectively specified, or for or in respect of the Horse or Horses or other Beast or Beasts drawing the same, passing through the said Gates: And whereas Doubts have arisen as to the Construction of the said Provisions relative to Double Toll; and in many Cases Treble Tolls have been demanded and taken for Carriages and Horses, liable in the first instance to Single Toll only, passing through the said Gates, but which have afterwards repassed on the same Day laden with such Articles as rendered them liable to Double Toll, in which Case Double Toll has been demanded and paid on such repassing;' be it therefore enacted and

and declared by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That in every Case in which by virtue or under the Authority of any Local Act now or hereafter to be made, for making, repairing, or improving any Turnpike Road in that Part of *Great Britain* called *England*, Double Toll as aforesaid shall be imposed on any Waggon, Cart, or other Carriage, or any Horse or Horses or other Beast or Beasts drawing the same, which at the Time of first passing through any Turnpike Gate or Toll Gate shall have been liable to and shall have paid Single Toll only, shall, on repassing through the same Turnpike Gate or Toll Gate on the same Day, before Twelve of the Clock at Night, so laden as to be subject to Double Toll, be liable to pay One other Single Toll only and no more, making, together with the Toll first paid, Two Single Tolls in the whole; any thing in any Local Act or Acts to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding.

Waggons, Carts, &c. having passed through a Turnpike Gate and paid Single Toll thereat, upon returning so laden as to be subject to Double Toll, shall be liable to pay only One more Single Toll.

II. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That henceforth, notwithstanding any Provision to the contrary, any Waggon on which a Penalty for Overweight has been levied shall, on Receipt of a Ticket to that Effect, be exempted from any further Penalty for Overwieght on that Day and on the same Trust, provided there be no Alteration of the Loading of such Waggon.

Provision respecting Penalty for Overweight.

CAP. CXXV.

An Act for enabling His Majesty to direct the Issue of Exchequer Bills to a limited Amount, for the Purposes and in the Manner therein mentioned; and for giving Relief to *Trinidad*, *British Guiana*, and *St. Lucie*.

[16th *August* 1832.]

'Most Gracious Majesty,

'WHEREAS in consideration of the heavy Losses which have 'been sustained in the Islands of *Jamaica*, *Barbadoes*, *Saint* '*Vincents*, and *Saint Lucie*, in consequence of the late Insurrections 'in the Island of *Jamaica*, and of Hurricanes in the other Islands, 'it is expedient that Your Majesty be enabled to direct Exchequer 'Bills to the Amount of One Million to be issued to Commissioners, to be by them advanced, under certain Regulations and 'Restrictions, for the Assistance and Accommodation of the said 'Islands, and of such Persons having Properties therein and connected therewith, or trading thereto, as shall be desirous of 'receiving the same, on due Security being given for the Repayment of the Sums so advanced within a Time to be limited: 'And whereas it is also expedient to grant Relief in certain Cases 'to His Majesty's Colonies of *Trinidad*, *British Guiana*, and *Saint* '*Lucie*:' May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That it shall be lawful for the King's most Excellent Majesty, by Warrant or Warrants under His Royal Sign Manual, to authorize and empower the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury now or for the Time being, or any

His Majesty may empower the Treasury to direct Exchequer Bills to be made out,