

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

ANNO DECIMO TERTIO

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

No. III.

An Ordinance for the adoption of an Act of the Imperial Parliament for the removal of defects in the administration of Criminal Justice.

WHEREAS in the 11th and 12th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament was passed, intituled an "Act for the removal of defects in the administration of Criminal Justice," and whereas it is expedient to adopt and apply the said Act in the administration of Justice in Western Australia

14th Vict., No. 3. 1849.

Australia:—Be it therefore enacted, by His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that the said Act, and every clause, provision, and enactment thereof, shall be, and the same is hereby adopted, and directed to be applied in the administration of Justice, so far as it can be applied to the circumstances of this Colony : Provided always, and be it enacted, that the power which by the fourth section of the aforesaid Act is given to Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gael Delivery, shall or may within the said Colony, be exercised by any Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace.

> CHARLES FITZGERALD, GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Passed the Legislative Council, 27th day of November, 1850.

> T. N. YULE, Clerk to the Council.