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No. 5.

An Act to provide for the Publication in the Northern Territory of certain Matters and Things required by Law to be published in the Government Gazette.

[Assented to, 6th November, 1874.]

WHEREAS it is expedient and necessary to provide by some means other than the *Government Gazette* for the publication and notification, in that part of the Province of South Australia commonly called and known as "The Northern Territory," of certain matters and things required by law to be published and notified in the *Government Gazette*—Be it therefore Enacted by the Governor of the Province of South Australia, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly of the said Province, in this present Parliament assembled, as follows :

Preamble.

1. The publication or notification, under the authority of the Government Resident of the said The Northern Territory, in any newspaper published and circulating in the said Territory, of any information, matter, or thing, by any Act, Ordinance, Statute, Law, Regulation, custom, or usage, directed or required to be published or notified in the *Government Gazette*, shall, within the said Territory, be of the same force and effect as a publication or notification in the *Government Gazette*; and shall, so far as affects any rights or liabilities accrued or incurred within the said Territory, be and be deemed for all purposes a full and complete compliance with the Act, Ordinance, Statute, Law, Regulation, custom, or usage, directing or requiring such publication or notification.

Publication in newspaper in Northern Territory to be of same force as publication in *Gazette*.

2. Any person who publishes, or causes to be published, in any such

Penalty for unauthorized publication.

Northern Territory "Gazette" Notices Act.—1874.

such newspaper, or is party or privy to the publication in any such newspaper, of any notice purporting to be authorized by the Government Resident, which has not been duly authorized by the said Government Resident, shall on conviction be liable to a penalty of not more than One Hundred Pounds for every such offence, or to be imprisoned for any period not exceeding six months.

Newspaper to be
evidence in certain
cases.

3. The production of any such newspaper as aforesaid, containing any information, matter, or thing purporting to be published or notified under the authority of the Government Resident, shall be *prima facie* evidence in all Courts of Justice that the publication or notification was duly authorized by such Government Resident.

In the name and on behalf of Her Majesty, I hereby assent
to this Bill.

A. MUSGRAVE, Governor.