

*An Act of Rhode Island of 1854, to expunge certain matters
of 1844.*

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE
PLANTATIONS.

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY, JANUARY SESSION, A. D. 1854.

AN ACT to repeal and expunge the protest, declaration and Resolutions passed at a Special Session of the General Assembly, in March, A. D. 1844.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows :

The protest Declaration and Resolutions, passed by the General Assembly at their March Session, in 1844, denouncing Samuel Steere, Olney Ballou, Otis Wood, Cyrus Brown, Levi C. Eaton, George C. Carr, Anson Potter, Isaac Wilkinson, Eddy Keech, Gladding O. Thompson, Adams Park, James Angell, Cyrus Farnum, William Steere, David Wilbour, James Harkness, Pardon Angell, William Smith, Thomas Buffum, Ariel Ballou, Fenner Brown, William Latham, Joseph T. Sisson, Jonathan Cole, Niles Westcott, and Richard Mowry, for exercising the right of petition to Congress, be and the same are hereby repealed and annulled, and the Secretary of State is directed to expunge the same from the records of the State, by drawing heavy black lines around each page of the same, and by writing upon the face of each page the words "Expunged by order of the General Assembly at their Session held by adjournment in January, A. D. 1854." And the Secretary of State is hereby instructed to send a copy of the foregoing to each of the Governors of the several States in the Union.

A true copy, Attest :

ASA POTTER, Secretary of State.