the state treasurer pay unto James Shields, of Indiana county, annuity granted to James Shields. or order, the sum of forty dollars immediately, and an annuity of forty dollars, to commence the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, to be paid half yearly during his life.

IOHN TOD, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED the twelfth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER LXXXVII.

An ACT to confirm the title of Abraham Walker to a certain tract of land in Bedford county.

WHEREAS Abraham Walker, on the eighth day of March, eighteen hundred and eleven, not being at that time a citizen of the United States, nor having declared his intention of becoming a citizen, obtained a patent from the commonwealth for three hundred and forty four acres, and one hundred and fifty-four perches of land, situate in Belfast township, Bedford county, adjoining land of Isaac Gray, Henry Davis and others; and whereas, he has since declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States: Therefore,

SECT. 1. Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Title to a tract the right and title of the said Abraham Walker, in and to the ed to Abraham said tract of land with the appurtenances, be and the same is Walker. hereby confirmed and made as valid, as if the said Abraham Walker had been a citizen at the time of his purchase of the same, provided, that nothing herein shall be construed to defeat, or affect the right of any other person.

JOHN TOD, Speaker

of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twelfth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER LXXXVIII.

An ACT for the relief of Elizabeth Currens, in the county of Chester.

WHEREAS Timothy Currens, late of the township of East Nottingham, in the county of Chester, died intestate and