

Marriage contract of Michael and Catharine Miller, made null and void.

But the legitimacy of their children shall not be affected thereby.

the marriage contract entered into by the said Michael and Catharine Miller, be and the same is hereby declared to be null and void, and they are hereby set free and discharged from the marriage contract, and all the duties arising under the same as fully and absolutely as if they had never been joined in marriage, but nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect or render illegitimate any child or children born of the body of the said Catharine during her coverture.

JOHN TOD, *Speaker*  
*of the House of Representatives.*

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CLV.

*An ACT for the relief of John Blain, of Venango county, and David Ritchey, of Washington county, soldiers of the revolutionary war; and of Mary Bell, of York county.*

Annuities of 40 dollars each, granted to John Blain, David Ritchey, and Mary Bell.

SECT. I. *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 the state treasurer be and he is hereby directed to pay unto John Blain, of Venango county, Mary Bell, of York county, widow of David Bell, and David Ritchey, of Washington county, or their orders, the sum of forty dollars each, immediately after the passing of this act, and an annuity of forty dollars each, to commence the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, to be paid half yearly during life.*

JOHN TOD, *Speaker*  
*of the House of Representatives.*

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

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CHAPTER CLVI.

*An ACT to enable Samuel Mason, of the city of Philadelphia, to execute a deed of conveyance of a lot of ground therein mentioned.*

WHEREAS it hath been represented to the legislature, that Elizabeth Gill, of the city of Philadelphia, is now, and for