the said commissioners shall draw a warrant in favor of the said John May, his heirs or assigns, on the treasury of said county, for the amount of the said sum, and on payment or tender thereof the said bridge shall be free; but if the said John May, his heirs or assigns, shall at any time, on reasonable notice, refuse or neglect to choose three persons in the manner herein before mentioned, the said commissioners may proceed, with the persons by them and the court so appointed, ex-parte, in making the valuation, and the same proceedings shall be thereupon had as if the said John May, his heirs or assigns had chosen three persons in the manner herein before mentioned.

Navigation not to be obstructed.

SECT. 6. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That nothing in this act contained shall extend to authorise the said John May, or any person whatever, to erect a bridge in the manner in this act before mentioned, so as to interfere in any way with, stop, injure or interrupt the navigation of the said creek, or prevent boats from crossing, or persons from fording the same.

> REES HILL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CLXII.

AN ACT

Providing for the payment of the expenses of erecting a bridge over Black.

Lick creek, at the town of Buela, in Cambria county.

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 the commissioners of Cambria county be, and they are hereby authorised and required to pay, out of the fund of the county, to the supervisors of Cambria township, in said county, for the year eighteen hundred and sixteen, the amount of monies which the said supervisors have lately expended in the erection of a bridge over Black Lick creek at the town of Buela, in said township, which amount shall be

ascertained by the auditors of said township, on the settlement of the accounts of said supervisors.

REES HILL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CLXIII.

AN ACT

To extend the powers of the Gettysburg and Black's tavern turnpike company.

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 "the Gettysburg and Black's tavern turnpike company" be, and they are hereby authorised to extend an artificial road from Black's tavern, to intersect the Harrisburg and Chambersburg turnpike road at or near the west end of the town of Shippensburg, in Cumberland county, by the nearest and best route, and shall have power to enlarge their stock for that purpose, and generally shall have the like power and authority for laying out, carrying on and completing the extension as aforesaid of the said road, and be subject to all the duties, qualifications, restrictions, penalties, fines and forfeitures, and be entitled to like tolls and profits in proportion to the distance, as are given to them by the act under which they are incorporated.

REES HILL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

SIMON SNYDER.