[No. 105.]

AN ACT

To authorize the exchange of certain stock of this Commonwealth.

WHEREAS, Certain contractors on the Erie extension of the Pennsylvania canal, in eighteen hundred and forty-one, signed vouchers in advance of the actual payment of their estimates: *And whereas*, The loan authorized by the state was not taken, consequently the money could not be paid, the contractors were therefore compelled, in order to procure an evidence of debt against the state to receive stocks and become loan holders; therefore, Preamble

Duty of Auditor General

SECTION 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 such contractors as hold stock as aforesaid may return the same to the auditor general, whose duty it shall be to cancel the same, and enter a credit on the books of the auditor general as directed by the act of the seventh of April last, together with all interest at the rate of six per cent. which remains unpaid on the said stock: *Provided*, That the stock so held is in the hands of the original owners.

HENDRICK B. WRIGHT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

B. CRISPIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The thirteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

DAVID R. PORTER.