

No. 644.

AN ACT

For the relief of Elsie Fox, Mary M'Bride, Phebe Brown, Lydia Black, Martha Patterson and Thomas Holliday, widows of soldiers and soldier of the Revolutionary and Indian wars.

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* the State Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and required to pay Elsie Fox and Lydia Black, of Greene county, Mary M'Bride and Phebe Brown, of Fayette county, and Martha Patterson, of Lawrence county, widows of soldiers of the Revolutionary war, an annuity of forty dollars each, during life, to be paid half yearly, commencing on the first day of July, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and a gratuity of forty dollars to each, as provided for in existing laws.

SECTION 2. That the State Treasurer is hereby required to pay Thomas Holliday, or his order, a gratuity of forty dollars in addition to the annuity authorized by act of the present session of the Legislature.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.

No. 645.

AN ACT

Legalizing the selling of produce in the Canal basin in the city of Pittsburgh.

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* from and after the passage of this act it shall be lawful for any person bringing any produce, marketing, manufactures or other articles down the Pennsylvania canal in any market boat, flat or other craft into that portion of the canal lying within the city of Pittsburgh, commonly known as the canal basin, to sell or otherwise dispose of the same at said basin: *Provided, That* no portion of this act shall be so construed as to allow huckstering

or interfere with the laws regulating the sale of merchandize or wares in this Commonwealth: *And provided further*, That it shall not interfere with the regular business of the canal.

E. B. CHASE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.

No. 646.

AN ACT

To incorporate the Moselem Turnpike Company.

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 William Eckert, Job H. Cole, William H. Clymer, John Ger-
nant, senior, John G. Kaufman, Nicholas Fisher, Frederick S.
Hunter, Penrose Wiley, Edward M. Clymer, and John Kenerer,
of Berks county, or any three of them, be and they are hereby ap-
pointed commissioners, to open books, receive subscriptions,
and organize a company by the name, style and title of the
Moselem Turnpike company, with power to construct a turnpike
from Leesport, in the county of Berks, to the Moselem iron
mines, in Richmond township, in said county, with power to ex-
tend the same on to Kutztown, in said county, subject to all
the provisions and restrictions, and with all the powers and
privileges contained in an act regulating turnpike and plank road
companies, approved the twenty-sixth day of January, Anno
Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the
supplements thereto: *Provided*, That the said company shall
have the right to make use of the whole or any part of any
public road, between the said points, that the said company may
desire to locate their road upon, and locate their road upon the
whole or any part of the ground now occupied by such public
road; and it shall be lawful for the court of quarter sessions
of said Berks county to appoint viewers, to view and vacate
such parts of such public roads as shall be used or rendered
useless by the said company, as is provided by the general road
laws of this commonwealth, in the cases of roads which have
become useless.

Commissioners

Style.

Subject to provisions of certain act.

Proviso.

SECTION 2. That the capital stock of said company shall consist of one thousand shares, of twenty-five dollars per share: *Capital stock*
Provided, That the company shall be subject to the provisions,
restrictions and limitations of the act incorporating the Lancas-
Proviso.