gers shall constitute a board. Powers and duties of.

the sum of three hundred dollars, when thirteen shall be necessary to constitute a board, they shall make by-laws for the government of the society, and have power to enforce the same, provided they are not inconsistent with the laws of the United States, or of this commonwealth, which now are, or hereafter may be enacted, and the managers aforesaid shall keep an account of the receipts and disbursements of money, and lay the same annually before the society, with a statement of their labours with respect to the objects of the society; and they shall lay an abstract of the transactions of the society before the legislature of this commonwealth, in the month of January in every year hereafter.

Sixth, A special meeting of the society may be called at any

time by the managers.

managers and officers confirmed.

SECT. IV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, The present That until the election of managers aforesaid, pursuant to this act, the before named officers, and the managers of the said society, viz. William White, President; F. C. H. Helmuth, Ashbel Green, Benjamin Rush and William Staughton, vice-presidents; James Gray and Benjamin B. Hopkins, secretaries, and Robert Ralston, treasurer; shall be, and they are hereby continued and confirmed.

No misnomer, &c. to vitiate any devise or conveyance to.

SECT. V. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That no misnomer of the said corporation in any deed, will, testament, gift, grant, devise or other instrument of contract or conveyance shall vitiate or defeat the same, if the said corporation shall be sufficiently described to ascertain the intention of the party or parties, to give, devise, bequeath or assure to, or contract with the corporation hereby created by the style and title aforesaid, nor shall any non use, unless for a greater term than five years of the privileges hereby granted, create any forfeiture of the same.

> JAMES ENGLE, Speaker of the House of Representatives. P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the thirtieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ten.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER XIV.

An ACT to amend the Penal Laws.

Sect. I. B^{E} it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in The stealing General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the of bank notes same, That from and after the passage of this act, the robbery to be punor larceny of any bank note or bank notes of any incorporated bank, shall be punishable in the same manner as the robbery or ished as roblarceny of any goods or chattels of equal amount. bery or lar-JAMES ENGLE, Speaker ceny.

of the House of Representatives. P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the thirtieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ten.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER XV.

An ACT affording immediate relief to Michael Mullen, and granting him an annuity.

WHEREAS it appears that Michael Mullen enlisted in the service of his country at an early period of the revolutionary war, in which he continued to the end thereof, and in consequence of a wound received in the service of his country at the battle of Monmouth, and infirmities occasioned by the fatigues of the war, together with old age, he is now entirely rendered incapable of gaining a livelihood by labour: Theretore,

SECTION 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 sum of forty dollars be, and the same is hereby grant- Forty dollars ed to Michael Mullen, to be paid immediately after the passing granted to of this act, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise ap-Michael Mullen. propriated, and that an annuity of forty dollars be granted for And an anthe use of Michael Mullen, to be paid to Fullerton Woods of nuity of like Indiana county, his executor or executors, or his or their lawful amount, &c. attorney, to commence the first of February next, to continue during the life of said Michael Mullen, and to be paid half yearly to the said Fullerton Woods, or his executor or executors, or his or their lawful attorney, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise apropriated, which annuity shall be expended by the said Fullerton Woods, his executor or executors, or his or their lawful attorney, in providing cloathing and diet for the Fullerton said Michael Mullen, and it shall be, and is hereby made the Woods, &c. duty of the said Fullerton Woods, his executor or executors, his to make an or their lawful attorney, to make an annual return to the or-annual rephans' court of Indiana county, on oath or affirmation, how and orphans in what manner he or they have executed the trust in him or court. them confided by this act.

JAMES ENGLE, Speaker

of the House of Representatives. . P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED-the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ten.

SIMON SNYDER.