

CHAPTER CXLIII.

*An ACT for the relief of George Youndt, the younger, a prisoner confined in the jail of Lancaster county.*

WHEREAS at a court of quarter sessions of the peace he'd at Lancaster for the county of Lancaster, George Youndt the younger, of said county was convicted of fornication and bastardy, and was ordered by the court among other things, to "give security to the directors of the poor of the county of Lancaster to indemnify said county against the maintenance of the bastard;" and it being represented to the legislature that the said George Youndt the younger is confined in the jail of said county, and is unable to obtain the security required by said sentence, and there being no existing law providing for his case; Therefore,

George Youndt  
to be liberated

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 from and after the passing of this act, the said George Youndt the younger, shall not be detained in prison, merely for want of the security directed to be given to the directors of the poor of the county of Lancaster under the sentence aforesaid.*

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

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

APPROVED—the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eleven.

SIMON SNYDER.

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CHAPTER CXLIV.

*An ACT granting to John Carson, a certain tract of land.*

WHEREAS it hath been represented to the legislature that John Carson of Union township in the county of Erie did settle on a tract of donation land situate in the tenth district, numbered one thousand nine hundred eighty-seven, containing two hundred acres; and it also appears that the said tract of land has never been drawn by any person, and that the said John Carson has settled on the same believing it to be vacant, and has complied with all the conditions required by the act for the sale of the vacant lands north and west of the rivers Ohio and Allegheny, and Conewango creek; Therefore,

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*

officers of the land-office be and they are hereby authorized and required to grant a warrant and patent to John Carson for the tract of land aforesaid on which he now resides, on his paying the sum of fifty cents per acre into the treasury; and the officers of the land-office are hereby required to take out of the wheel the above mentioned number one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven.

A patent to issue to John Carson.

Condition of No. 1987 to be taken out of the wheel.

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

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

APPROVED—the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eleven.

SIMON SNYDER.

### CHAPTER CXLV.

*An ACT to relinquish the right of this commonwealth to certain real and personal estate lately held by Charles Morris and Henry Morris, and to vest the same in Mary M'Curdy and Jane Henry.*

WHEREAS it appears to the legislature that by virtue of a devise in the last will and testament of Stephen Chambers, late of the borough of Lancaster, deceased, Charles Morris and Henry Morris were jointly entitled to a third part of a moiety of the residue of the real and personal estate of the said Stephen Chambers after the payment of his debts and the specific legacies mentioned therein, and that the said Charles Morris and Henry Morris being illegitimate children of the said Stephen Chambers, died intestate and without issue, whereby their estate is liable to escheat to this commonwealth; *And whereas* it appears that Mary M'Curdy and Jane Henry both of the borough of Lancaster would be entitled under the intestate laws of this commonwealth to the estate of the said Charles Morris and Henry Morris in case they had been born in lawful matrimony; Therefore,

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 all the right, title, and interest of this commonwealth in and to the real and personal estate to which the said Charles Morris and Henry Morris or either of them, in their lifetime, were entitled under the will of the said Stephen Chambers, be, and the same hereby is for ever remised and released to the said Mary M'Curdy and Jane Henry, their heirs and assigns; *Provided always,* That nothing in this act contained shall in any wise prejudice the rights of any individual or be construed to divest or impair any other title to the said land than that which this commonwealth has or

Estate of C. and H. Morris vested in Mary M'Curdy and Jane Henry.

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