Wheeler had conveyed the same in his lifetime to the said Daniel Sterling.

JOHN TOD, Speaker

of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED-the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER XVI.

An ACT to enable George Gantz, Henry Kunkle, and others elders, church wardens, and trustees of religious societies, called the Lutheran congregations in the townships of Codorus, Shrewsbury, and Hopewell, in the country of York, to sell and convey certain lands.

WHEREAS it hath been represented to the legislature, that George Gantz and Henry Kunkle, elders, trustees and churchwardens of Jerusalem's church; Jacob Erhart and Michael Ness, elders, trustees and church-wardens of Zion's church; and Francis Hartman and Martin Kurtz, elders, trustees and church-wardens of Saddler's church, in the townships of Codorus, Shrewsbury and Hopewell, in the county of York, purchased on the seventeenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and four, three several pieces or parcels of land, for the use, convenience and accommodation of the said congregation, as church. land, otherwise called glebe land, and the said three pieces or parcels of land, not answering the purposes for which they were bought, the elders trustees and church wardens aforesaid, believing themselves not vested with power to sell and convey the same, legally discharged of the trusts and uses appurtenant thereto, have prayed for power to do the same: Therefore, for remedy thereof.

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 George Gantz, Grantz et al. Henry Kunkle, Jacob Erhart, Michael Ness, Francis Hartman, authorized to and Martin Kurtz, elders, church-wardens and trustees of the respective religious societies called the Lutheran congregations, in the townships of Codorus, Shrewsbury and Hopewell, in the county of York, or a majority of them he, and they are hereby empowered and authorized to sell and convey by good and sufficient deed, three several pieces of land, which the said elders church-wardens, and trustees purchased in trust, on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and four, as glebe land, for the use of the aforesaid religious societies, called

George sell certain pieces of land, belonging to. certain Lutheran congregations in York county.

the Lutheran congregations; the first piece or parcel of the - said three tracts or parcels of land, being situate in the township of Shrewsbury aforesaid, and containing eighty-six acres, with allowance of six per centum for roads, &c. purchased of John Bailey and Margaret his wife; the second piece or parcel of said land, being situate in the townships of Shrewsbury and Codorus aforesaid, containing three acres and thirty perches, neat measure, purchased of John Boyer, and Mary his wife; and the third piece or parcel of said land being situate in the townships of Shrews- bury and Codorus aforesaid, containing three acres and one hundred and thirty-nine perches, neat measure, purchased of Andrew Schneider and Anna Maria his wife; free, clear and discharged of the trusts and uses aforesaid, in as full and as ample a manner as if the same three parcels of land were the private property of the said elders, church wardens and trustees.

SECT. 11. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, Manner in That it shall be the duty of the elders, church wardens, and trus- which the tees aforesaid, having first sold the whole or any part of the said from the sales three parcels of land, to apply the money arising from the sale is to be approthereof, to the payment of any arrears of purshase money that priated. now are, or then may be due on the same; and the balance, if any remain of said money to hold subject to the order, and dis-

posal of the said congregations.

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

Approved—the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER XVII.

An ACT for the relief of Miles Crowley, an old soldier of the revolutionary war.

Sect. 1. BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general assembly met, and it is bereby enacted by the authority er to pay forty of the same, That the state-treasurer be, and he is hereby direct-dollars to ed to pay to Miles Crowly or order, the sum of forty dollars, out Miles Crowof any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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

Approved—the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

SIMON SNYDER.