pair the patent, or alter rights of any person or persons, derived from the government of the United States.

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

Approved—the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CXXXIX.

An ACT authorizing a loan of money to Caleb Johnson, of the borough of Harrisburg.

WHEREAS Caleb Johnson hath established a furnace in the borough of Harrisburg, for the purpose of casting hinges, weights, &c. which if properly prosecuted, would be of great advantage to the citizens of this state; which for want of sufficient capital, he is unable to do, and having petitioned the legislature for a loan of money to enable him to carry on the

same to advantage: Therefore,

Sect. 1. Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general assembly 600 dollars loaned met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That to Caleb John. the sum of six hundred dollars be loaned to Caleb Johnson to be paid on warrant drawn by the governor, out of any money in the treasury, he the said Caleb Johnson first giving bond with security to the satisfaction of the governor, for the repayment thereof, with interest in three years; provided, that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent the payment of said loan or any part thereof, at any time before the expiration of the said three years.

Proviso,

JOHN TOD, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CXL.

An ACT granting donation lands to the widow and children of William Noble, late a sergeant in the revolutionary war, and to Robert Hamilton, an old soldier.

SECT. 1. BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general as-