

ablecarriage, with four wheels, drawn by four horses, the sum of fifty cents; and for the same carriages with two horses, thirty-seven and a half cents; for every two horse waggon, twenty-five cents, and for every additional horse six cents; for every one horse waggon, twelve and a half cents; for every carriage drawn by oxen, or partly by horses and partly by oxen, to be rated in the proportion of two oxen for one horse; for every chair or two wheeled carriage of pleasure, nineteen cents; for every sleigh drawn by two horses, twelve and a half cents; for every sleigh drawn by one horse, six cents; for every single horse and rider, the sum of six cents; for every led horse or mule, four cents; for every foot passenger, two cents; for every score of cattle forty cents; for every score of sheep and hogs, ten cents.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That so much of the act to which this is a supplement, as is hereby altered or supplied, be and the same is hereby repealed. Part of a former act repealed.

JOHN ST. CLAIR, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

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

APPROVED—the fourteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER LXX.

An ACT releasing to Melshey Patton the right of this commonwealth to a certain escheated estate.

SECT. 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 all the right, title and interest that may be in this commonwealth by escheat arising or to arise by reason of the death of a certain John Patton, late of the city of Philadelphia, without heirs or any known kindred, in and to a certain messuage or tenement, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the west side of Delaware Tenth street in the said city of Philadelphia, at the distance of one hundred and twenty-three feet four inches and a half northward from Lombard street, containing in breadth on the said Tenth street, seventeen feet, seven inches and a half, and in length or depth sixty-six feet, bounded eastward by the said Tenth street, southward by ground said to be granted to John Armstrong, westward by lot number six hundred and seventy-six, and northward by the back ends of Pine street lots, be and the same is hereby released to Melshey Patton, widow of the said John Patton, her heirs and assigns forever: *provided, that* Certain escheated estate released to Melshey Patton. Provide.

nothing herein contained shall in any wise prejudice the rights of individuals or impair any other title to the said premises than that which the commonwealth has or might have by reason of the said escheat,

JOHN ST. CLAIR, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

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

APPROVED—the fourteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER LXXI.

A SUPPLEMENT to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the town of Gettysburg in the county of Adams."

SECT. 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 burgess, town council, high constable and street and road commissioners who have been elected to serve the last preceding year in the several offices to which they have been appointed, shall continue to hold and exercise all the powers, and perform all the duties by them heretofore held, agreeably to the provisions of the act aforesaid, until the next succeeding annual term of electing such officers and no longer.

Burgesses and other borough officers of Gettysburg to continue until the next annual election, and no longer.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That in case of death, resignation, refusal to accept or neglect or refusal to act after acceptance of any of the said officers, the burgess or in case of his death, absence or inability to act, or when he neglects or refuses to act, the first named of the town council shall issue his precept directed to the high constable, or where there is no high constable, or where he refuses or neglects to act, then any of the members of the town council shall advertise and hold an election in manner as is provided by the aforesaid act, to supply such vacancy, giving at least ten days notice thereof by advertisements set up at four of the most public places in the said borough.

Manner of filling vacancies.

SECT. III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That it shall be the duty of the street and road commissioners, and they are hereby authorized and required to proceed to collect and apply all taxes which shall have been or may hereafter be assessed, agreeably to the provisions of the act to which this is a supplement, in the same manner and for the same purposes as the supervisors under the general road laws for improving the roads and highways within the several counties of this com-

Duties of road and street commissioners.