

which may have accrued or commenced by warrant or actual settlement prior to such acceptance.

REES HILL, *Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

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Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the thirteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

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CHAPTER XCII.

AN ACT

To confer on Jane Van Schuyver the rights and benefits of a child born in lawful wedlock.

WHEREAS it is represented to the Legislature, that Jane Van Schuyver, the wife of Samuel Van Schuyver, of the borough of Bristol, in the county of Bucks, was born a short time before the actual marriage of her reputed father and mother; and the said Samuel Van Schuyver hath prayed the Legislature to confer on his said wife the rights and benefits belonging to legitimate children :

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 Jane Van Schuyver, wife of Samuel Van Schuyver, of the borough of Bristol, in the county of Bucks, shall have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and advantages of a child born in lawful wedlock; and shall be able and capable, in law, to inherit and transmit any estate, real, personal or mixed, as fully and completely, to all intents and purposes, as if she had been born subsequently to the marriage of her reputed father and her mother: Provided, That nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to affect any rights or interests of other persons in and to any estates whereof such persons are now seized or possessed.*

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