

Larry's creek in Lycoming county declared public highway.

Provisos.

declared a public highway for the passage of rafts, boats or other vessels; and it shall and may be lawful for the inhabitants desirous of using the navigation of said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions from the bed or channel of said creek, excepting mill dams or other water works, and to erect such slopes or locks, and to keep the same in repair, at the dams now built, as may be necessary for the passage of rafts, boats, arks and other vessels: *Provided* such slopes or locks be so constructed as not to injure said dams: *And provided also*, That any person or persons owning or possessing lands on said creek, may construct or erect any dam or dams across the same, agreeably and subject to all the restrictions and provisions of an act, entitled "An act to authorise any person or persons owning lands adjoining navigable streams of water declared public highways, to erect dams upon such streams for mills and other water works," passed the twenty-third of March, one thousand eight hundred and three.

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

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CXLIX.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To the act, entitled "An act to incorporate that part of the township of the Northern Liberties lying between the west side of Sixth street and the river Delaware, and between Vine street and Cohocksink creek," passed the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and three."

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 real estate within the incorporated part of the township of the Northern Liberties, shall be subject to the payment of the debts contracted by the commissioners of the said incorporated part of the Northern Liberties, for or by reason of any work done or materials furnished for or in the

pitching, curbing and paving any street or foot-way in front of said real estate, before any other lien : *Provided* the paving and assessment shall be made conformably to the provisions of the act to which this is a further supplement, and the supplement thereto, passed the thirtieth March, one thousand eight hundred and eleven, and that nothing herein contained shall in anywise impair or affect such liens as are existing at the time of passing this act.

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

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CL.

AN ACT

To authorise the directors of the poor of Bucks county, to convey a certain estate therein mentioned.

WHEREAS it is represented to the Legislature, that Jacob Fox, late of Bedminster township, in the county of Bucks, by his last will and testament, in writing, bearing date the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three, after certain specific bequests to his wife and grand children, and a bequest of one shilling to each of his sons, did devise and bequeath the residue and remainder of his estate to the poor of Bedminster township, in said county. And whereas the inhabitants of said township are willing that the estate so devised and bequeathed, should be granted and enjoyed by the heirs and legal representatives of the said Jacob Fox:

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 directors of the poor and of the house of employment of the county of Bucks, be, and they are hereby au-