

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

AN ACT

Declaring Powel's Creek in the county of Dauphin, a public highway from the mouth of said creek to the forks 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 from and after the passing of this act Powel's creek in the county of Dauphin, from the mouth thereof to the forks of said creek, is hereby declared a public highway for the passage of rafts or water craft of every kind, under the following limitations and restrictions; and it shall and may be lawful for all persons desirous of using the navigation of said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions from the bed or channel of said creek, excepting dams for mills or other water works, and to erect such slopes or locks, and to keep the same in repair at the mill dams now built as may be necessary for the passage of rafts and water craft: *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 to, 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 day of March one thousand eight hundred and three.

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WILLIAM DAVIDSON, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER XXXIX.

AN ACT

Confirming the title of Thomas Logan to a message and tract of land situate in Air township, Bedford county.

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 title of Thomas Logan, his heirs and assigns, to a certain tract of land situate in Air township, in the Big Cove, Bedford county, containing one hundred fifty-three acres and sixty-one perches and allowance, shall be as good and available in law and equity to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been purchased from a citizen of the state of Pennsylvania, and not from Samuel Irwin, an alien: Provided, That the rights of no individual shall be impaired by this act, but the same shall be and remain as before the passing thereof.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER XL.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To the act, entitled “An act for establishing and building a bridge across the Raystown branch of Juniata.”

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 from and after the first day of May next, if any person or persons shall wilfully ride, drive or lead any horse or other creature out of a walk, when crossing the chain bridge over the Raystown branch of the Juniata, where the Philadelphia and Pittsburg road crosses the same in Bedford county, he, she or they shall on conviction thereof by one or more disinterested witnesses, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for every such offence, for the use of the person or persons owning the said bridge, to be recovered in like manner as debts of equal amount are by law recoverable.*

SECT. 2 *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall be the duty of the owner or owners of the said bridge, to place and keep up in the most conspicuous place at each end of said bridge a copy of the rates of toll to be paid, by the act to which this is a supplement; also a*

Penalty on persons riding, &c. out of a walk in crossing the chain bridge over the Juniata,

Owners of the bridge to place and keep up the