

therein, nor shall the same in any manner injure or affect the claims or title that any other persons may have against, or to the said real estate or any part thereof.

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

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-first day of January, one thousand
eight hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER XVI.

AN ACT

Authorising James Coulter to execute a certain release on behalf of his minor children.

WHEREAS it is represented to the legislature that in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety four, George M. Cartney the elder, of the county of Westmoreland, died, leaving issue seven children, viz Andrew, George, Samuel, Jane, Martha, Elizabeth and Mary, (who is since intermarried with Mathew Dill, junior.) having previously made his last will and testament in writing, by which his real estate was directed to be appraised and the proceeds to be divided among his said children. That the said Jane was afterwards intermarried with James Coulter of Indiana county, and had by him two children, viz. Mary B. Coulter and Elizabeth W. Coulter, who are both in their minority, and the said Jane is lately deceased. That during her lifetime, and when all the parties were of full age, an amicable arrangement was made between them for the appraisement of the real estate of the said George M. Cartney which was accordingly done, and by consent assigned to his three sons Andrew, Samuel and George upon their paying to the other heirs of the said George, their respective proportions of the amount of the valuation according to the terms of the said will. That in pursuance of the aforesaid arrangements releases have been made and executed to the said Andrew, Samuel and George, by all the heirs of the said George M. Cartney, deceased, except the children of the said James Coulter, whose disability by reason of their minority will not be removed for fifteen years. And until such release be executed the proportional part of the said valuation due to the said Mary and Elizabeth in right of their mother, cannot be obtained.

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 James Coulter of the county of Indiana, be, and

A release by James Coulter authorised.

he is hereby authorised and empowered to make, execute and deliver on behalf of his minor children Mary and Elizabeth, a release of all their right, title and interest respectively, in or to the estate of George M·Cartney, late of Westmoreland county, deceased, which they have or could claim in right of their mother Jane Coulter, deceased, from or under the last will and testament of the said George M·Cartney, deceased, to Andrew, Samuel and George M·Cartney, and to their heirs and assigns: *Provided,* The said James Coulter shall

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previously secure the payment of the distributive share of the estate of the said George M·Cartney, deceased, due to the said Mary and Elizabeth, according to a valuation thereof made in pursuance of the last will and testament of the said

2d proviso.

George: *And provided also,* That the said James Coulter shall enter into a recognizance in the orphan's court of Indiana county, with such surety as shall be approved by the court, conditioned for the payment of the share which shall be due the said Mary and Elizabeth respectively, at their arrival at the age of twenty-one years.

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

ISAAC WEAVER, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the twenty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY,

CHAPTER XVII.

AN ACT

For the relief of Jacob Kreider, a soldier of the revolutionary war.

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 State Treasurer be, and he hereby is directed to pay to Jacob Kreider of Northampton county, or his