said Polly is hereby constituted the legal guardian of the children of the said marriage.

REES HILL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER LXVIII.

AN ACT

To provide for exploring a route for opening a state road, to commence at the end of the permanent bridge over the river Susquehanna, at the falls of Nescopeck, in the county of Luzerne, to Orwigsburg, in the county of Schuylkill.

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 Samuel Webb of Columbia county, Isaac A. Commission-Chapman of Luzerne county, and John W. Roseberry of ers named. Schuylkill county, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out a state road, to commence at the end of the permanent bridge over the river Susquehanna, at the falls of Nescopeck, in the county of Luzerne, on the south-easterly side of said river by the best and nearest route to Orwigsburg, in Schuylkill county; and the commissioners or a majority Their duty. of them shall proceed to perform the duties by this act enjoined on them, on or before the first Monday in June next, and shall deposit a draught of said road in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and shall also deposit a copy of said draught in the office of the clerk of 'quarter sessions of the respective counties through which said road may pass, which shall be a record of said road, and from thenceforth Road made a shall be to all intents and purposes a public highway, and public highshall be opened and repaired in all respects as other roads way. are opened and repaired, which are laid out by order of the court of quarter sessions in said counties.

SECT. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That each of the said commissioners before they enter

Oath, &c. to upon the duties of their appointment, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation, before some justice of the peace, faithbe taken. fully and impartially to perform the duties required of them by this act. And they shall each receive three dollars per day for every day necessarily employed in the service re-Compensa. tion. quired by this act, together with reasonable allowance for expenses in employing markers and chain carriers; and to be paid on orders drawn by the commissioners of the counties through which the road may pass, on the treasurers thereof respectively, according to the distance through the respective Governor to counties. And in case either of the said commissioners shall supplyvacan- die, neglect, or refuse to perform the duties hereby required, the Governor is hereby authorised to supply the vacancy by a new appointment.

REES HILL, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,

Speaker of the Senate.

Approven—the fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER LXIX.

AN ACT

Relative to the claim of the commonwealth against Peter Baynton, and against the estate of John Nicholson, deceased.

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 Attorney General, with the advice and consent of the officers of the accountant department, be authori-Attorney prosecute the sed and required to prosecute the claim of the commonclaim against wealth against Peter Baynton, formerly State Treasurer, in such manner as may be deemed best calculated to recover Peter Baynthe amount due. That he be further authorised as aforesaid, Whenhemay upon the payment or securing the payment of the debt and interest due the commonwealth, to release the lien of the release the commonwealth upon the lands of the said Peter Baynton, eilièn. ther to himself or his creditors, as the case may require; or if it shall be necessary to have the lands sold for the pay-