

CHAPTER LXXVIII.

AN ACT

To authorise the Governor to appoint Commissioners for the purpose of laying out certain State Roads therein mentioned.

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 Governor be, and he is hereby authorised to appoint three commissioners, one of whom shall be a practical surveyor, to view, mark and lay out a state road, from the state line between Morgantown and Waynesburg, through the town of Waynesburg to the state line, in a direction towards the town of Wheeling in the state of Virginia. And the commissioners so appointed shall proceed to perform the duties of their appointment, at such time as the Governor may direct; and they shall make out and deposit a copy of the draft of said road, in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions, of the counties of Washington and Greene. And the said clerk shall enter and file the same in his office, which shall be a record of said road; and from thenceforth the said road shall be to all intents and purposes a public highway, and shall be opened and kept in repair in the same manner as roads laid out by order of the court of quarter sessions of the county through which said road passes.

Governor to appoint three commissioners. Route of the road.

Duty of commissioners.

Duty of clerk of the court of quarter sessions.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That each of the said commissioners shall receive two dollars per day, for every day necessarily employed in performing the aforesaid service, together with a reasonable compensation for hands employed in measuring and marking the said road. And the accounts of the said commissioners shall be settled and paid by the commissioners of Greene and Washington counties, in proportion to the distance of said road in each county, on warrants drawn by them on the treasurers of said counties.

Pay of the commissioners.

Their accounts how paid.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the Governor be, and he is hereby authorised to appoint three commissioners, one of whom shall be a practical surveyor, to lay out and mark a state road, beginning at the borough of Northampton; thence by the nearest and best route to Fogelsville, in the county of Lehigh; thence the nearest and best route to Hamburg; thence the nearest and best route to Ræhrersburg, in the county of Berks; thence the nearest and best route to intersect the state road at Jonestown, in the county of Lebanon, leading from Harrisburg, in Dauphin county, to Orwigsburg, in the county of Schuylkill. And the said commissioners or a majority of them, shall proceed to perform the duties required of them by this act, at

Other commissioners to be appointed by the Governor.

Route of the road.

Duty of such commissioners.

such time as the Governor shall direct, and shall cause a draft of said road to be deposited in the office of the Secretary of this commonwealth, and shall also deposit a copy of said draft in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the respective counties through which said road may pass, which shall be a record thereof; and from thenceforth the said road shall be to all intents and purposes, a public highway, and shall be opened and repaired in all respects as other roads are opened and repaired, which are laid out by order of the courts of quarter sessions of the counties aforesaid.

Oath or affirmation to be taken by the said commissioners.
Their pay.
Their accounts how paid.

SECT. 4. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That each of the said commissioners, before he enters on the duties of said appointment, shall take and subscribe before a justice of the peace, an oath or affirmation, faithfully and impartially to perform the duties required of him by this act; and shall receive two dollars a day for each day he or they shall be necessarily employed in said work, together with a reasonable allowance for chain carriers and markers; and the accounts of said commissioners shall be paid by warrants drawn on the treasurers, by the commissioners of the respective counties through which said road shall pass, according to the distance it passes through the same.

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

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the sixteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER LXXIX.

AN ACT

To encourage more effectually the destruction of wolves and panthers

Proceeding to obtain the reward for killing wolves and panthers.

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, any person or persons who shall kill any wolf or wolves, panther or panthers, within the bounds of any county within this commonwealth, and who shall produce the head or heads thereof,