

or other way mark, or water mark so destroyed or injured shall be applied to that purpose.

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

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER CIX.

AN ACT

Concerning the payment of taxes on donation lands belonging to original holders, and for other purposes.

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 in all cases where taxes have been heretofore assessed on donation lands, granted as a reward for the services of certain officers and soldiers during the revolutionary war, and which were by law exempted from taxation and such taxes have been or may be refunded by the commissioners of the county in which such lands are situated, to any officer or soldier, upon the amount of such taxes so refunded being ascertained by the officers of the accountant department from competent testimony, the Auditor General shall and he is hereby required to draw his warrant or warrants on the State Treasurer in favor of the commissioner of the counties respectively for the amount of the sum so ascertained to have been refunded, and any sum not exceeding four thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for that purpose, and if it shall appear to the officers aforesaid that the aggregate amount of taxes so refunded is above that sum, they shall then direct the Auditor General to draw his warrant in favor of the commissioners of the respective counties for the average amount of four thousand dollars, in the proportion that the sums due the several counties bears to the whole amount, and in future no taxes to be assessed in manner aforesaid, shall be paid out of the state treasury: *Provided,* That if any of the tracts of land of the above description shall have been assessed four fold under the act, entitled "A supplement to

Taxes refunded by the county commissioners to be repaid to them by the state treasurer.

4,000 dollars appropriated therefor.

Provision in case the taxes exceed this sum.

Proviso

an act enjoining certain duties on the holders of warrants not executed, and on the holders of unseated lands," passed the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and six, only one fourth of the sum so assessed shall be refunded under the provisions of this act.

REES HILL, *Speaker of the
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APPROVED—the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

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CHAPTER CX.

AN ACT

To authorise the Governor to incorporate a company for making an artificial road from the bank of the Monongahela river opposite the end of Smithfield street in the city of Pittsburg, through Birmingham, Elizabethtown, Perryopolis, to Uniontown in Fayette 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 William Wilkins, George Stewart, Philip Gilliland and George Sutton of Pittsburg; Thomas Duncan of Birmingham; James Brice and George A. Bayard of Elizabethtown; Joseph Barnetz of Perryopolis; John Witherow, John Lyon, Thomas Irwin and Henry W. Beason of Uniontown; be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to perform the several duties hereinafter mentioned: That is to say, They or a majority of them shall on or before the first day of June next procure three or more books, and enter therein as follows; " We whose names are hereunto subscribed do promise to pay to the president, managers and company of the Pittsburg and Uniontown Turnpike Road company, the sum of fifty dollars for each and every share of stock in the said company set opposite to our respective names, in such manner and proportions, and at such times as shall be determined by the said president and managers of the said company in pursuance of an act of the general as-*

Commissioners named.

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