

\$ 10,000 to be paid to the sufferers by the late fire in Savannah.

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 draw his warrant on the Treasurer of this Commonwealth in favor of the mayor of the city of Savannah, or his order, for the sum of ten thousand dollars to be distributed among the sufferers by the late fire in that city, in such manner as the magistrates thereof may direct.*

JOSEPH LAWRENCE, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and twenty.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER XLI.

A SUPPLEMENT

To an act, entitled "An act to incorporate the city of Lancaster."

Jurisdiction of mayor's court extended.

Proviso.

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 jurisdiction of the mayor's court of the city of Lancaster be, and the same is hereby extended to all appeals in civil cases from the judgments of justices of the peace and aldermen of the city of Lancaster, be removed, heard, tried and determined in the same manner, and under the like provisions and restrictions as is provided by the laws of this Commonwealth for the case of appeals to the court of common pleas, from said justices and aldermen: Provided, That no alderman or justice of the peace shall be permitted to sit on the trial of any cause where the appeal is taken from his decision.*

Appeal tried by jury as in other cases.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That appeals so taken as aforesaid from the judgment of said justices and aldermen, shall be heard, tried and determined by the same jury, who shall according to the provisions of the law to which this is a supplement, be impannelled and returned to try the several causes at issue in the mayor's court of said city.*

Sect. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That all appeals from the judgment of the said justices and aldermen, which shall be pending and undetermined in the court of common pleas of Lancaster county at the passage of this act, may at the election of either plaintiff or defendant be transferred to the mayor's court of said city, and shall be proceeded on in like manner as if the appeal had been originally taken to said court, except that the fees on the same due to the officers in Lancaster county shall, when recovered by the clerk of the mayor's court or by the sheriff, be paid to them: And it shall be the duty of the prothonotary of the county of Lancaster, on the application of either the plaintiff or defendant, to give a certified copy of the docket entries, and all the proceedings which may have taken place in any suit so intended to be transferred as aforesaid, which shall be delivered to the clerk of the mayor's court, and filed and entered in a docket furnished by him for that purpose; the expense of said certified copy to be paid by the party applying for the same: *Provided,* That the clerk of the mayor's court shall receive the like fees and emoluments as the prothonotary of the court of common pleas is entitled to receive for similar services.

Either party may transfer pending appeals to mayor's court.

Fees to be paid to the proper officers.

Duty of prothonotary.

Proviso.

SECT. 4. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That this act shall be and continue in force for the term of three years, and no longer.

JOSEPH LAWRENCE, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and twenty.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER XLII.

AN ACT

To annul the marriage of John Melish and Jane his wife.

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 marriage contract entered into by and between John Melish and Jane his wife, late Jane Pattinson, both of the city of Philadelphia, be, and the same hereby is annulled and made void, and the parties released and discharged from