

under the said recited act in said county, on the commissions aforesaid, be refunded to the officer or officers paying the same.

FREDK. SMITH,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

WM. G. HAWKINS,  
*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

GEO. WOLF:

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No. 208.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To the several acts incorporating the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.

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 remedies provided in and by the several acts of the general assembly of this commonwealth, incorporating or now composing the charter of the Lehigh coal and navigation company, for the recovery of compensation or damages by owners of lands or other property, for injuries or damages done the lands or other property of such owner or owners by the said company, their agents, workmen or works, and particularly the provisions of the second, third, fourth and fifth sections of an act entitled "An act to improve the navigation of the river Lehigh," be and the same hereby are extended to all cases where such owner or owners has or have died or may die before compensation made, or recovered for such injuries or damage as aforesaid; and it shall and may be lawful for the executor or executors or administrator or administrators of any such owner, dying as aforesaid, to institute and carry on proceedings for the recovery of such compensation or damages, in like manner, and with like effect, to all intents and purposes, as their testator or intestate might or could have done had he or she continued in full life.

Laws relative to damages extended to cases where claimants die before settlement.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the executor or executors, administrator or administrators of any such deceased owner of land as aforesaid, shall have full power and authority to compromise, and settle any claim for compensation for injuries or damage done the lands of his, her or their testator or intestate, by the said company,

Certain powers vested in executors or administrators.

their agents, workmen or works, and to give releases and acquittances for the same; and also if it should be deemed necessary and expedient to execute and deliver to said company, deeds of conveyance or release for lands occupied by their canal or other works or so injured by the same as to be rendered of little or of no value; and where an inquest has been or shall be held for the partition and valuation of the real estate of any such intestate, deceased, owner of land as aforesaid, any land so conveyed or proposed to be so conveyed as aforesaid, may at the discretion of the court in which the proceeding shall be had, be excluded from the consideration of the inquest, provided that nothing herein contained shall authorise the aforesaid company, to purchase any land other than is permitted by their charter.

FREDK. SMITH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

WM. G. HAWKINS,

*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The fourth day of April, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

GEO. WOLF.

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No. 209.

**A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT**

To the act, entitled "An act to amend and consolidate, with its supplements, the act entitled, An act for the recovery of debts and demands, not exceeding one hundred dollars, before a justice of the peace, and for the election of constables, 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 the penalty mentioned in the fifteenth section of the act to which this is a supplement, passed on the twentieth day of March, eighteen hundred and ten, for not entering satisfaction in any case, in said section provided for, shall be sued for and recovered before any alderman or justice of the peace of this commonwealth, as debts of similar amount are sued for and recovered.

FREDK. SMITH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

WM. G. HAWKINS,

*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

GEO. WOLF.

Recovery of  
penalty in  
15th section  
of act of 20th  
March, 1810.