

No. 231.

A SUPPLEMENT

To an "Act laying a tax on dogs in certain counties, and for other purposes, and the supplements thereto."

Tax on dogs
in Chester co.

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 commissioners of Chester county, be and they are hereby authorised and empowered, to levy and cause to be collected, annually, in the manner provided by the acts to which this is supplementary, from every person residing in said county, who shall own, possess or keep about his or her house, one dog, any sum, not exceeding one dollar; and for every additional dog, kept about the same house, any sum, not exceeding two dollars.

Fine for not
returning
dogs in Ches-
ter and Dela-
ware.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That if any person, in the counties of Chester or Delaware, shall permit any dog to be kept or to remain about his house, that is not returned by him to the assessor, such person shall be liable to pay a fine of two dollars, to be recovered for the use of the informer, as debts of that amount are by law recoverable.

Dogs found
within cer-
tain encl-
sures in those
counties may
be killed.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That any dog seen within an enclosure where cattle or sheep are kept, in either of said counties, except when in company with his owner, may be lawfully killed. This act shall take effect on the first day of August next.

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.

 No. 232.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To an act, entitled "An act to enable the owners and possessors of Schuylkill Point meadow land, in the county of Philadelphia, to keep the banks, dams, sluices and flood-gates in repair, and to raise a fund to defray the expenses thereof," 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 from and after the passage of this act, it shall

and may be lawful for the owners and possessors of Schuyl-kill Point Meadow land, in the county of Philadelphia, to hold their election for managers and treasurer of said company, on the third Tuesday of October, in each and every year, subject to such provisions as are by said act provided; and that so much of said act as is hereby altered or supplied be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the proceedings which are authorised by the thirteenth section of the act, entitled "A further supplement to the act entitled, An act authorising the Governor to incorporate the Milesburg and Smethsport turnpike road company," passed eleventh day of April, one-thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, and a supplement to the said act, passed the second day of February, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, in cases when the said company shall have finished five miles or more of said road, be and the same are hereby authorised and extended to portions less than five miles of said road, which are or shall hereafter be finished as aforesaid.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the time allowed in an act, entitled "An act authorising the Governor to incorporate the Washington and Pittsburg turnpike road company," passed the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, and the several laws relative to the completion of the said road, be and the same are hereby extended, for the term of one year, from the twentieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one; and the said laws shall be and remain in as full force as though the time in this act extended had been allowed in the original act: *Provided,* That hereafter, the number of managers to be elected annually by said company shall be five.

SECT. 4. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the Governor is hereby authorised and required to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer, in favor of said Washington and Pittsburg turnpike road company, for such part of the amount of stock to be paid by the commonwealth, as has not been embraced in any warrant heretofore drawn.

SECT. 5. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the ninth section of the act, entitled "An act to incorporate the Danville and Pottsville rail-road company," passed the eighth day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECT. 6. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the president and managers of the Danville and Pottsville rail-road company, shall have power to purchase, with the funds of the said company, and place on the rail-road constructed by them, under this act, all machines, wagons, vehicles, carriages and teams, of any kind whatsoever, which

Time of election for managers and treasurer by owners of Schuyl-kill point meadow land.

Milesburg & Smethsport turnpike road company may have views on sections of less than five miles.

Laws relative to the Washington and Pittsburg turnpike, extended one year.

Proviso. No. of managers.

Governor to draw warrant in favor of company for balance due.

Ninth section of act incorporating Danville and Pottsville rail road company, repealed.

Company authorised to transport merchandize, &c.

they may deem necessary or proper, for the purposes of transportation; and that they may also, to any extent which they may deem it advisable, transport all goods, wares, minerals and merchandise, or other articles which may be offered them for transportation, and all passengers wishing to be conveyed on their rail-road; and the said president and managers may charge for toll and freight on all articles and for all passengers, so conveyed by them, their officers or agents, not exceeding twice the rates granted in the act incorporating the said Danville and Puttsville rail-road company, for toll alone: *Provided*, That they shall in this case be required to transport to the termination of the said rail-road, or to any other point on the said rail-road, in the order in which they, their officers, and agents shall be requested to transport the same, all goods, wares, minerals and merchandise, or other articles, which shall have been deposited at the company's depot, or convenient to the said road, so that equal and impartial justice shall be done to all owners of property by the said company, who shall pay or tender to the officers of the company, the toll and freight due under this act, on the goods, wares, minerals and merchandise, or other articles, which they may wish transported.

Rates of toll.

Proviso.

To transport goods in order of receipts at depot.

When Gettysburg and Hagerstown turnpike co. complete five miles, Governor to draw for double the amount paid by individuals.

SECT. 7. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That so soon as the Gettysburg and Hagerstown turnpike road company shall have completed any five miles of said road, it shall be the duty of the Governor to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer, for a sum, double in amount to the sums which shall have been paid by individual stockholders, out of the amount already authorised to be subscribed by the Governor, on behalf of this commonwealth.

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.

No. 233.

AN ACT

Concerning the South East and South West corners of Water and Walnut Streets, in the city of Philadelphia.

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 eastern and western lines of Water street, at the