

Rate of interest. That no rate of interest beyond five per cent. per annum, shall be allowed or paid for the said loan.

JOHN LAPORTE,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

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

APPROVED—The thirtieth day of March, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

GEO. WOLF.

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No. 103.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To an act, entitled "An act to endow the House of Refuge, and for other purposes," passed the second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven.

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 State Treasurer, by warrant under the hand of the Governor of this commonwealth, is hereby authorized and required, to pay over to the treasurer of the House of Refuge the annual sum of five thousand dollars, until the second day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, for the purposes mentioned and prescribed in and by the third section of the act to which this is a supplement, the first of which payments shall be made on the second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three: *Provided always,* That nothing herein contained shall be taken to repeal, alter or affect the provisions of an act passed the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty, entitled "A supplement to the act entitled an act to endow the House of Refuge, and for other purposes:" *Provided,* That the Mayor of the city of Philadelphia shall, on the first Monday in May next, and on the same day in each and every year thereafter, appoint two competent persons to act as managers for the said House of Refuge; and the judges of the court of Quarter Sessions of the county aforesaid, at the

Annual state appropriation of \$5000 to house of refuge for three years.

Proviso. Supplement of the 27th March, 1830.

2d proviso. Annual appointment of board of managers.

time aforesaid, shall appoint three competent persons for the above purposes; and the managers so appointed, together with those elected by the stockholders of the institution, shall compose the board of managers; and so much of any act as is hereby altered or supplied is hereby repealed.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the treasurer of the county of Philadelphia shall, upon warrants drawn on him by the commissioners of said county, pay to the treasurer of the House of Refuge the sum of five thousand dollars per annum, during the periods and at the times mentioned in the first section of this act.

County to pay similar annuity to that of the state.

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APPROVED—The thirtieth day of March, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

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No. 104.

AN ACT

Relative to real estate, and vesting the rights of this commonwealth by reason of escheat, to the personal property of James Forster, in Elizabeth Somers.

WHEREAS, it appears by proceedings had in the Supreme court for the western district of Pennsylvania, that a certain Matthew S. Mason has been adjudged a lunatic, and that Trevanion B. Dallas was, by the said court, duly appointed a committee to take care of the estate of the said Matthew S. Mason; and it further appears that the jury, by their verdict, declared said Matthew S. Mason to be non compos mentis, prior to the sixteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one: *And whereas,* said committee has represented to the legislature, that on the day and year last mentioned, and whilst said Matthew was so a lunatic, he, the said Matthew S. Mason, made a parole agreement with Harmar Denny, for the pur-

Preamble relative to the purchase of a certain property near Pittsburg, by M. S. Mason, a lunatic.