

win to the State, on a bond given for the purchase money of certain lands sold him by the commissioners appointed to make sale of the lands of the late John Nicholson, under the lien of the State thereon, to compute interest upon said bond in the same manner as if no payments had been made or judgment obtained thereon, and also to make such deduction or suspension of interest during the pendency of claims to said lands so sold adverse to the right claimed by the State as may be consistent with equity and justice.

JAMES THOMPSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

THOMAS S. CUNNINGHAM,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five:

GEO: WOLF.

No. 21.

## Resolution

Relative to the claim of Benjamin Bear and others.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met,*

That the Canal Commissioners are hereby authorized and required to pay to Benjamin Bear, of Lycoming county, contractor for building the Muncy dam, the sum of four hundred dollars and thirty-six cents, the balance due him for that work, to be paid out of the fund provided for repairs and damages for the ensuing year; and the Auditor General is hereby authorized to audit the same in the way and manner other claims are audited. Benj. Bear,

*Resolved,* That the board of appraisers of canal damages be and they are hereby authorized and required to re-examine and assess the damage, if any, which has been sustained by Martin M'Allister, John Knorr, David Petriken and George A. Frick, of the county of Columbia, by reason of the construction of the Pennsylvania canal; and it shall be the duty of the said board of appraisers to issue subpoenas for witnesses, and examine them upon oath or affirmation, in relation to the claims of the persons named in this bill; and the said board of appraisers, or any one of them in the presence of the others, shall have power to administer oaths or affirmations to all such witnesses as it may be necessary to examine. M. M'Allister,  
J. Knorr,  
D. Petriken,  
G. A. Frick.

*Resolved,* That the canal commissioners and appraisers shall consider the case of Abraham Adams, Andrew Voncomp and A. Adams,  
A. Voncomp,

## RESOLUTIONS,

A. Roath. Anthony Roath, of Perry county, for canal damages, under the existing laws of this Commonwealth, as if no decision had been made.

J. S. Espy. *Resolved*, That the canal commissioners be and they are hereby required to ascertain the balance due, if any, to James S. Espy, late a contractor on the Juniata division, Pennsylvania canal, for cast iron furnished by him for the Big Buffalo aqueduct on said division, and pay the amount thereof out of the internal improvement fund.

JAMES THOMPSON,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

THOMAS S. CUNNINGHAM,  
Speaker of the Senate.

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

GEO: WOLF.

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No. 22.

### Resolution

Relative to the Franklin bridge.

WHEREAS, by an extraordinary flood and accumulation of ice in French creek, in eighteen hundred and thirty-two, the one half of the Franklin bridge across said stream was destroyed entirely and the remaining part much injured: *And whereas*, The Legislature appropriated two thousand dollars to rebuild said part of the bridge thus destroyed; Therefore,

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met*, That the board of managers of the Franklin Bridge company, are hereby authorized to retain and apply to the permanent repair of the Franklin bridge all surplus funds, money on hands and debts due said company, until in their opinion the same shall be rendered sufficiently permanent.

JAMES THOMPSON,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

THOMAS S. CUNNINGHAM,  
Speaker of the Senate.

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

GEO: WOLF.