

## No. 54.

**An Act**

Granting aid to Marshall College.

**SECTION 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 be, and he is hereby authorized and required to pay to the trustees of Marshall College, in the county of Franklin, the sum of six thousand dollars, and the further sums of three thousand dollars on the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty \$3000, May eight, and the first day of May one thousand eight hundred 1st 1838, and and thirty nine, and to be applied to the support of the institution. May 1st 1839

**SECTION 2.** That the trustees of Marshall College shall cause annually to be instructed gratis twenty students, if 20 Students that number apply, who shall be citizens, or the sons of citizens of this state, in the elementary branches of an English education, in a manner best calculated to qualify them for teachers in the English language: *Provided,* That the trustees aforesaid shall signify their assent in writing to the conditions of this act, directed to the State Treasurer, on or before the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven.

Proviso.

LEWIS DEWART,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.  
THOMAS S. CUNNINGHAM,  
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty ninth day of March, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven.

JOS: RITNER.

## No. 55.

**An Act**

To confer on Mark Bratten Hannum, the rights and benefits of a child born in lawful wedlock.

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in Gen-*

*eral Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Mark Bratten Hannum, of the township, of Concord, in the county of Delaware, shall have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and advantages of a child born in lawful wedlock, and shall be able and capable in law to inherit and transmit any estate whatsoever, as fully and completely, to all intents and purposes, as if he had been born in lawful wedlock.*

LEWIS DEWART,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives  
THOMAS S. CUNNINGHAM,  
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty ninth day of March, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven.

JOS: RITNER

No. 56.

An Act

To incorporate the Society of Equal Rights, of Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and for other purposes.

SECTION 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 all and every the persons who shall at the time of the passing of this act be members of the society called the "Society of Equal Rights, of Carlisle, Pennsylvania," shall be, and they are hereby created and declared to be one body politic and corporate, by the name, style and title of "The Trustees of the Society of Equal Rights, of Carlisle, Pennsylvania," and by the same name shall have perpetual succession, and shall be able to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, in all courts of record or elsewhere, and to purchase, receive, have, hold and enjoy, to them and their successors, lands, tenements, rents, annuities, franchises and hereditaments, goods and chattels, of what nature, kind or quality soever, real personal or mixed, or choses in action, and the same from time to time, to sell, grant, devise, alien or dispose of: Provided, That the clear yearly value or income of the houses, lands and tenements, rents, annuities, or*

Style and title.  
Powers.  
Proviso.