

May change the location of the Martie Forge road.

SECTION 3. That the president and managers of the said corporation are hereby authorized to change the location of the said Martie Forge road, whereon the aforesaid branch turnpike road shall be constructed, from its commencement at the said Willow Street road, to such distance as will be required to keep the turnpike road within the rise and fall required by the aforesaid act of assembly; the said company to pay the damages sustained by the landholders *by the landholders* by reason of such change of location, to be fixed and determined as provided for in the aforesaid act of assembly, in respect to damages occasioned by reason of the construction of turnpike roads.

Erect gates.

Collect tolls.

SECTION 4. Whenever the said company shall have finished the said turnpike road and branch, the length whereof being less than five miles, the same proceedings may be had to enable the company to erect and fix gates upon and across the same, and collect tolls as is provided in the aforesaid act of assembly, in relation to any five miles of a turnpike road finished.

Commencement and completion of road.

SECTION 5. The said company shall commence said road within three years, and finish it within the space of ten years, and failing so to do, the provisions of this act shall be null and void.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

GEORGE DARSIE,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

283.

AN ACT

To exempt certain certificates of loan from taxation for county and municipal purposes.

Certificates of loan issued by the county of Allegheny, city of Pittsburg, city of Allegheny and city of Philadelphia, exempt from taxation, except for state purposes.

Corporations of the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny, au-

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 certificates of loan heretofore issued, or which shall hereafter be issued by the county of Allegheny, by the city of Pittsburg, by the city of Allegheny or by the city of Philadelphia, in payment of any subscription made by said county or cities, to the capital stock of the Pennsylvania railroad company, or to the capital stock of the Ohio and Pennsylvania railroad company, be and the same are hereby exempted from all taxation within this commonwealth, except for state purposes.

SECTION 2. That the city corporations of the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny, are hereby authorized to subscribe to the capital stock of the Ohio and Pennsylvania railroad company, each to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars, if they should deem it expe-

dient so to do, and to vote at elections by their authorized officers, in the same manner as individual stockholders.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

GEORGE DARSIE,
Speaker of the Senate.

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APPROVED—The fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 284.

AN ACT

To authorize John H. Townsend and William Guthrie to construct a dam in the Kiskiminetas river; exempting the fire association of Philadelphia, and the Washington hall association of Bucks county, from taxation; and authorizing the Danborough and Point Pleasant turnpike road company to borrow money.

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* John H. Townsend and William Guthrie, of the county of Westmoreland, be and they are hereby authorized to erect a dam, not exceeding six feet in height, over the Kiskiminetas river, at or near Warren, in Armstrong county, in such manner as shall do no damage to either public or private property: *Provided however, That a plan and location of said dam shall be first approved by the canal commissioners, and shall be commenced within two years, and completed within five years after the passage of this act.*

SECTION 2. *That the real estate and all other property belonging to the fire association of Philadelphia, and the Washington hall association of Bristol, Bucks county, and all such dividends as may from time to time be declared by said companies, be and the same are hereby exempted from taxation, except for state purposes.*

John H. Townsend and William Guthrie authorized to erect a dam.
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Property of fire association of Philadelphia, &c. exempt from taxation except for state purposes.
Danborough and Point Pleasant turnpike company authorized to borrow money.

SECTION 3. *That the president and managers of the Danborough and Point Pleasant turnpike road company are hereby authorized to borrow, for the purposes of the company, any sum not exceeding two thousand dollars, in addition to what they are already authorized to borrow, under the same provisions and restrictions as are imposed and provided for by the second section of an act, entitled "A supplement to an act, entitled 'An Act to incorporate the president and managers of the Danborough and Point Pleasant turnpike road company,' approved the thirteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight."*

WILLIAM F. PACKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

GEORGE DARSIE,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.