

erwise known as the New Brighton hotel company, are hereby authorized as trustees of said association, in pursuance of existing or executed contracts made by and between the managers of said company with Timothy B. White, for the building or erection of said hotel or work thereon, to make a deed of conveyance to said Timothy B. White, his heirs or assigns, or other person or persons, of all the right, title and interest of the stockholders of said association in and to lot number three hundred and forty-seven, (347) in the borough of New Brighton, bounded north by lot number three hundred and forty-five, east by Second street, south by lot three hundred and forty-nine, and west by Front street, as is marked on plot of said town.

E. B. CHASE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.

No. 51S.

AN ACT

To construe the act of second of February, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, entitled "A further supplement to the act, entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Philadelphia.'"

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 it was the true intent and meaning of the Legislature, in and by the thirty-seventh section of the said act, and such is hereby declared to be the construction thereof, that the estates, incomes and property therein mentioned should be vested in the corporation of the city of Philadelphia, and enjoyed by said city in possession on the organization of the councils of said city, to be elected in June next, and that in the meantime the same should be preserved and maintained, uninjured by the existing municipal corporations in whom the said estates, income and property were then vested, in special trust for the new city government and for the benefit of all the inhabitants thereof.

Construction of
certain section.

SECTION 2. It shall not be lawful for the present corporation of the city of Philadelphia, to tear down, demolish or otherwise injure any real estate, nor any market houses to which said corporation was in any manner entitled at the time of the passage of the said act.

City corporation
not to tear down
market houses,
&c.

SECTION 3. It shall be lawful for the supreme court or any judge thereof in vacation, or the court of common pleas or dis-

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strict court of the city and county of Philadelphia, to give relief on the application of any tax payer of said city or county, by injunction for any violation of the said act of second of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, or this act.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.

No. 519.

AN ACT

To legitimate George Humphrey Stump and Abraham Harrison Stump.

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 George Humphrey Stump and Abraham Harrison Stump, illegitimate sons and only children of Abraham Stump and Jane his wife, of the township of St. Thomas, in the county of Franklin, who were born before the marriage of their said named parents, shall have and enjoy all the rights, privileges, benefits and advantages of legitimate children; and they shall be capable in law to inherit and transmit any estate whatever, as fully and completely, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been born in lawful wedlock.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER