

No. 527.

AN ACT

To authorize the Larry's Creek Plank 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 the Larry's Creek plank road company is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, on the credit of said company, any sum of money not exceeding six thousand dollars, and to issue bonds therefor, in sums not less than one hundred dollars; and to secure the same, the said company are further authorized to mortgage the whole or any part of their road, its rights, privileges and franchises, to the party or parties who may loan any money in pursuance of the provisions of this act.

SECTION 2. That the said Larry's Creek plank road company shall be authorized, under their present charter, to extend their road from the southern terminus of the same, near the mouth of Larry's creek, by the nearest and most practicable route to any point within the borough of Jersey Shore; and for this purpose may occupy the whole or any part of any public road lying between the points aforesaid.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

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

WM. BIGLER.

No. 528.

AN ACT

To confirm the Title to certain Real Estate in the City of Philadelphia.

WHEREAS, By a decree of the court of common pleas of the county of Philadelphia, made on the thirteenth day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, a charter was granted to certain persons, citizens of this Commonwealth, constituting them a body politic and corporate, under the name and title of the Workingmen's Saving Society

of the city and county of Philadelphia, but, through inadvertency or oversight, the said charter was not recorded in the office for recording deeds, et cetera, in the said county of Philadelphia, until the fourteenth day of July, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two: *And whereas*, During the interval between the granting of the said charter by the said court and the recording of the same in the proper office as aforesaid, there was conveyed to the said the Workingmen's saving society of the city and county of Philadelphia, certain messuages or tenements and lots of ground within the city and county of Philadelphia, and some of the said messuages and lots were subsequently, by the said the Workingmen's saving society of the city and county of Philadelphia, conveyed to certain persons for a valuable consideration, and doubts have arisen whether, by the said grants and conveyances so made by the said the Workingmen's saving society of the city and county of Philadelphia, during the interval aforesaid, good and valid titles to the premises, in the said deeds described, passed to the respective grantees therein named: Therefore,

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 grants and conveyances heretofore made by the said the Workingmen's saving society of the city and county of Philadelphia, or that may hereafter be made, of any property now held by them, shall be good, valid and effectual in law and in equity, to pass the same to the purchasers thereof, in all respects and in like manner as if the said the Workingmen's saving society of the city and county of Philadelphia had been fully authorized and empowered by law to purchase, hold and convey all and all manner of real estate, and as if the charter of the said society had been recorded in the office for recording deeds, et cetera, of the county of Philadelphia, at the time the same was granted by the court of common pleas as aforesaid.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

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

WM. BIGLER.

No. 529.

AN ACT

To exempt certain loans and bonds from tax

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 certificates of loan now issued or which may be hereafter