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CHAPTER MDCXCIX.

An ACT to declare Little Juniata and Standing Stone creeks, in the county of Huntingdon, public highways.

Little Juniata from the mouth to Logan's Narrows, declared a public highway.

SECT. I. 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 from and after the passing of this act, Little Juniata, in the county of Huntingdon, from the mouth up to the head of Logan's Narrows, shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a public highway, for the passage of boats and rafts, under the limitations and restrictions herein after specified; and it shall and may be lawful for the inhabitants, desirous of using the navigation of the said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions, from the mouth thereof up to the head of Logan's Narrows aforesaid, and to erect such slopes and locks at the mill-dams now built, as may be necessary for the passage of boats and rafts; provided such slopes and locks shall be so constructed as not to injure the works of said dams.

Also Standing Stone creek, from its mouth to the mouth of Laurel run.

SECT. II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That Standing Stone creek, in the county aforesaid, from the mouth thereof up to the fork or junction of its north branch, or mouth of the Laurel run, near to the house of William M'Alvey, shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a public highway, for the passage of boats and rafts, under the limitations and restrictions herein after specified; and it shall and may be lawful for the inhabitants, desirous of using the navigation of the said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions, from the mouth up to its fork or mouth of Laurel run aforesaid, and to erect such slopes and locks at the mill-dams now built on the said creek, as may be necessary for the passage of boats or rafts; provided such slopes and locks shall be so constructed, as not to injure the works of such dams.

Who may erect dams, &c.

SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That nothing in this act contained shall be deemed, taken or understood, to prevent any person or persons possessing land on the said creeks, or either of them, in the county of Huntingdon aforesaid, who before the passing of this act had authority, under the laws of this commonwealth, to erect a dam or dams, that he, she or they may think proper: Provided always, That such dam or dams be so constructed, and kept in repair by the owners thereof, with complete slopes and locks on convenient parts of such dams, as that the navigation for boats and rafts will not be injured thereby.

How to be kept.

Passed 5th February, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 182.

CHAPTER MDCCI.

An ACT to erect the townships of Tinnicum, Nockamixon and Durham, in the county of Bucks, into a separate election district.

SECT. I. 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 townships of Tiunicum, Nockamixon and Durham, in the county of Bucks, be, and they are hereby erected into a separate election district, to be called the third election district in the said county; and the freemen thereof are hereby authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by Jacob Young, in Nockamixon township aforesaid.

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The third election district of Bucks county.

Passed 5th February, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 183.

CHAPTER MDCCII.

An ACT to erect the townships of *Quemahoning* and *Stony creek*, in the county of *Bedford*, into a separate election district.

SECT. I. 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 townships of *Quemahoning* and *Stony creek*, in the county of *Bedford*, are hereby erected into a separate election district, to be called the ninth district in the county aforesaid; and the freemen of the said district shall hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by *Joseph Buck*, in *Quemahoning* township aforesaid.

The ninth election district of Bedford.

Passed 5th February, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 181.

CHAPTER MDCCIII.

An ACT declaring *Cockalamus creek* a public highway.

SECT. I. 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 from and after the passing of this act, *Cockalamus creek*, in *Cumberland* and *Mifflin* counties, from the mouth thereof up to the forks at *David Cargil's*, shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a public highway, for the passage of rafts, under the limitations and restrictions herein after specified; and it shall and may be lawful for the inhabitants, desirous of using the navigation of the said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions, from the mouth thereof up to *David Cargil's* aforesaid, and to erect such slopes at the mill-dams now built on the said creek, as may be necessary for the passage of rafts; provided such slopes shall be so constructed, as not to injure the works of said dams.

Part of *Cockalamus creek* declared a public highway.

SECT. II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That nothing in this act contained shall be deemed, taken or understood, to prevent any person or persons possessing lands on said creek, who before the passing of this act had authority, under the laws of this commonwealth, to erect a dam or dams, that he, she or they may think proper: Provided always, That such dam or dams be so constructed, and kept in repair by the owners thereof, with proper

Who may erect dams, &c.

Proviso.