

## CHAPTER MMDCCCLXXXIX.

AN ACT GRANTING TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, A SUM OF MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENABLING THEM TO ESTABLISH A BOTANICAL GARDEN.

Section I. (Section I, P. L.) 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 sum of three thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby granted to the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania out of the monies they owe the state; for the purpose of enabling them to establish a garden for the improvement of the science of botany, and for instituting a series of experiments to ascertain the cheapest and best food for plants, and their medical properties and virtues.

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## CHAPTER MMDCCXC.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ACADEMY IN THE BOROUGH OF WILKESBARRE IN THE COUNTY OF LUZERNE, AND GRANTING A SUM OF MONEY THERETO.

Section I. (Section I, P. L.) 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 there shall be, and hereafter is established in the borough of Wilkesbarre in the county of Luzerne, an academy or public school for the education of youth in the useful arts, sciences, and literature, by the name and style of "The Wilkesbarre Academy."

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the first trustees of the Wilkesbarre academy shall consist of the following persons: to wit, Reverend Andrew Hoyt, Lord Butler, Jesse Fell, Matthias Hollerback, William Ross, Rosewell Welles, Ebenezer Bowman, Samuel Bowman, John P. Arndt, Arnold Colt, Peleg