

their respective townships; to be by them applied towards repairing the roads therein; and the office of overseer of the poor within the said townships shall from thenceforth be abolished.

Section XVI. (Section XVI, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That so much of the laws of this commonwealth relating to the poor, as is by this act altered or supplied, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Section XVII. (Section XVII, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the powers conferred and the duties imposed on the overseers of the poor, in and by an act to empower the overseers and guardians of the poor of the several townships within this commonwealth, to recover certain fines, penalties, and forfeitures, and for other purposes, are hereby conferred and imposed on the supervisors of the highways within the said townships, and that the justices of the peace and sheriff of the county are hereby required and enjoined to pay to the said supervisors, to be by them applied to the repair of the highways the aforesaid fines, penalties and forfeitures, within the time and in the manner prescribed by the said act, for the payment thereof to the overseers of the poor, and to give notice of the receipt thereof to the said supervisors within the time and in the manner aforesaid, and that for any neglect or refusal to perform any of the duties enjoined on them by the said act, the said justices of the peace and sheriff shall be subject to all the fines, penalties and forfeitures, to which the justices of the peace and sheriffs in other parts of the county are by the said act subject and liable.

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## CHAPTER MMDCCCLXV.

AN ACT TO RENDER PERPETUAL A CERTAIN ACT RESPECTING THE PHILADELPHIA AND LANCASTER TURNPIKE ROAD.

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 act, entitled "A further supplement to the act, entitled "An act for making an artificial road from the city of Philadelphia, to the borough of Lancaster, for the more effectual preventing evasions of the salutary regulations intended in and by the act for making an artificial road from the city of Philadelphia, to the borough of Lancaster," passed on the fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight,<sup>(1)</sup> be, and the same hereby is, except so much thereof as limits its continuance to the term of two years, rendered perpetual.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That instead of the power and authority given and allowed to the president, managers and company of the Philadelphia and Lancaster turnpike road, in and by the thirteenth section of the act, entitled "An act to enable the governor of this commonwealth, to incorporate a company for making an artificial road from the city of Philadelphia, to the borough of Lancaster,"<sup>(2)</sup> to seize and take by any of their officers and servants, one of the horses attached to any wagon or other carriage which shall be drawn along the said road contrary to the provisions and intentions of the said section, any person or persons offending against the said section, or transgressing against the provisions and restrictions therein imposed, shall forfeit and pay to the president, managers and company aforesaid, for every offense, the sum of ten dollars, to be recovered as other penalties are directed to be recovered in the said recited act, or by distress and sale according to law, in case of neglect or refusal forthwith to pay the said penalty; and the power and authority to take and seize a horse as is provided and directed in and by the said thirteenth section, is hereby annulled and made void: Provided nevertheless, that no part of this act shall have any force or effect until the said president, managers and company shall in writing under their corporate seal, to be deposited in

the office of the secretary of this commonwealth, declare their consent and agreement hereto; and as soon as the said company shall so consent and agree, the governor shall declare this act to have full operation and effect.

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Note (\*) Chapter 2008; 16 Statutes at Large, p. 130.

Note (2) Chapter 1640; 14 Statutes at Large, p. 279.

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## CHAPTER MMDCCCLXVI.

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### AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF THE SUPERVISORS OF CAMBRIA AND ALLEGHENY TOWNSHIPS, IN CAMBRIA COUNTY.

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 in the next road tax which shall be assessed after the passing of this act, in the townships of Cambria and Allegheny, in Cambria county, by the supervisors thereof respectively, it shall and may be lawful for them to assess and collect the sum of eighty-four dollars and eighty-five cents, and as soon as the sum is collected, pay it over to the supervisors for the years eighteen hundred three and four, to indemnify them for monies advanced in the years aforesaid.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That in the next road tax which shall be assessed after the passing of this act, in the townships of Allegheny, in the counties of Cambria and Huntingdon, by the supervisors thereof respectively, it shall and may be lawful for them to collect the sum of two hundred and eight dollars and thirty-eight cents: And as soon as the sum is collected, pay it over to the supervisors for the years eighteen hundred three and four, to indemnify them for monies advanced in the years aforesaid.

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