

## CHAPTER MMCMXLVII.

AN ACT TO ALTER THE TIME OF HOLDING THE FAIRS IN THE BOROUGH OF CARLISLE, IN THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

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 from and after the passing of this act, the fairs allowed by law to be held in the borough of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, on the thirteenth day of May, and thirteenth day of November annually, shall commence and be held on the fourth Thursday of May, and fourth Thursday of October in every year forever, each of the said fairs to continue two days, any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Approved March 21, 1808. Recorded in L. B. No. 11, p. 201.

## CHAPTER MMCMXLVIII.

AN ACT DECLARING BIG MAHONING CREEK IN ARMSTRONG AND INDIANA COUNTIES A PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

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 Big Mahoning creek from its confluence with the Allegheny river in Armstrong county, up said creek to the mouth of the Canoe creek in Indiana county, be, and the same is hereby declared a public highway for the passage of rafts, boats and other vessels; and it shall be lawful for the inhabitants and others desirous of using the navigation of the said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions which may be in the same; excepting dams

for mills and other water works, and also to erect such slopes at the mill or other dams in said creek, as may be necessary for the passage of rafts, boats or other vessels: Provided, such slopes be so constructed as not to injure the works of such dams: And provided also, that any person or persons owning or possessing lands on said creek, shall have liberty to construct any dam or dams across the same, agreeably and subject to all the restrictions and provisions of an act of the general assembly of this commonwealth, passed the twenty-third day of March, one thousand eight hundred and three, entitled "An act to authorize any person or persons owning lands adjoining navigable streams of water declared public highways, to erect dams upon such streams for mills and other water works."<sup>(1)</sup>

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Note (1) Chapter 2353; 17 Statutes at Large p. 297.

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#### CHAPTER MMCMXLIX.

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AN ACT TO RAISE BY WAY OF LOTTERY, A SUM OF MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ERECTING A SCHOOL HOUSE IN MAYERSTOWN, IN THE COUNTY OF DAUPHIN.

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 Godlieb Kintzly, John Batdorf, Henry Hoekly, Peter Shulze, Peter Spangler, Philip Briedenbach, Henry Hilger and Henry Koppenhafer, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to raise by way of lottery, a sum of money not exceeding two thousand dollars to be by them applied for the purpose of erecting a school-house in Mayerstown, in the county of Dauphin.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said commissioners before they proceed to sell any tickets in the lottery aforesaid, shall lay such scheme thereof before the governor as shall