

there to be proceeded on to trial and determination according to law, in the same way, and subject to the same rules as they or any of them were in the county of Allegheny on the said Monday; and the prothonotary of Allegheny county shall, and hereby is required to make out a transcript docket, containing a statement of all such actions then pending and yet remaining undetermined in the said county of Allegheny, at, or before the first Monday of June next; and shall have said docket, together with the records, declarations and other papers relative to any such actions as may be yet pending and undetermined as aforesaid, ready to be delivered to the prothonotary of Armstrong county; who before he receives the same shall pay to the prothonotary of Allegheny county, for every action so transcribed, as aforesaid, the usual fees allowed for similar services which shall be reimbursed to him by the county as aforesaid; and all actions transferred as aforesaid by the prothonotary of Allegheny county, to the prothonotary of Armstrong county, shall be considered as pending in the courts of common pleas and circuit court of Armstrong county, from and after the aforesaid first Monday of June next, as effectually to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been originated and commenced in the county of Armstrong, any law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

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Note (*). Chapter 2553; 17 States at Large, p. 920.

CHAPTER MMCLXII.

AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PUBLIC FERRY ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE WEST BRANCH OF THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER, IN THE COUNTY OF LYCOMING, AND TO VEST THE RIGHT THEREOF IN MARTIN UPDEGRAFF, HIS HEIRS AND ASSIGNS.

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 Martin Updegraff, his heirs and assigns, shall have the right at his or their own costs to make a good and convenient landing on the north side of the west branch of the river Susquehanna, on the estate of the said Martin Updegraff, situate on the great road leading from the town of Dunnsburg, (which was laid out on the land of the said Updegraff,) above the head of the great Island, to John Meyer's in the county of Lycoming; and the owner or occupier shall keep the same in good order and repair, fit for men and horses and carriages to pass; and the said owner or occupier shall keep a good substantial boat or boats, and careful ferrymen, who shall constantly as occasion may require, attend for the purpose of transporting travelers and others over the said river; and for services rendered shall receive such price as is customarily paid at other ferries on said branch; and the said ferry shall moreover be subject to such rates and regulations as the courts of quarter sessions of the county of Lycoming, may order and direct: Provided always, that nothing in this act contained shall be construed so as to vest the said Martin Updegraff, or his legal representatives with a right to receive or discharge any travelers, carriages or other loading on land belonging to any other person, without the consent of the owner.

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CHAPTER MMCLXIII.

AN ACT TO VEST IN, AND CONFIRM TO THE ELDERS, AND WARDENS OF THE JOINT CONGREGATIONS OF LUTHERANS AND GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH, IN BERN TOWNSHIP, IN THE COUNTY OF BERKS, THE TITLE TO A TRACT OF LAND THEREIN MENTIONED.

Whereas it has been represented by the elders and wardens of the joint congregations of Lutherans and German Reformed church, in Bern township, in the county of Berks, that the said joint congregations have been for upwards of forty years