

LAWS

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OF THE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

PASSED AT THE

SESSION OF 1873,

In the Ninety-seventh year of Independence.

WITH AN APPENDIX.

BY AUTHORITY.

HARRISBURG:

BENJAMIN SINGERLY, STATE PRINTER.

1873.

No. 68.

A Further Supplement

To an act to incorporate the Philadelphia and Montgomery County Railroad Company, approved April second, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty, to change the name of said company, and to authorize the extension of its lines and the increase of its capital stock and bonds.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That the name of the Philadelphia and Newtown Railroad Company shall be and is hereby changed to the Philadelphia, Newtown and New York Railroad Company, and said company is hereby authorized and empowered to extend and construct its line of railroad to such point on the Delaware river as will afford a convenient point of connection with the Mercer and Somerset railroad, in the state of New Jersey, by a bridge; and also to extend said line to the borough of New Hope, in Bucks county, or to any other point in the counties of Bucks or Northampton counties; and said company shall have authority to issue mortgage or income bonds to such amount as the directors of said company may deem necessary to complete and equip said railroad, and to secure the said bonds or any portion of the same by first, or second, or general mortgage or mortgages of the franchise and property, real and personal, acquired and to be acquired by said company; said bonds may be issued in such form as said company may determine, but they shall not bear more than seven per centum interest, and no bond shall be issued of a smaller denomination than one hundred dollars, and the capital stock of said company may be increased by the board of directors to an amount not exceeding three millions of dollars.

APPROVED—The 29th day of January, A. D. 1873.

J. F. HARTRANFT.

No. 69.

A Further Supplement

To an act providing for the introduction of water into the borough of Lebanon, approved April fifteenth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That the burgess and council of the borough of Lebanon, in the county of Lebanon, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow, in ad-

dition to the two hundred thousand dollars authorized to be borrowed by the act to which this is a further supplement, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of paying off the indebtedness incurred by building and erecting the water works of said borough, and for the extension of water mains in said borough, on the faith and credit of said borough, and to issue bonds or certificates of indebtedness therefor, in the mode and manner, and pursuant to the directions prescribed in the first section of the act of April fifteenth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, to which this is a further supplement, and at a rate of interest not exceeding seven per centem per annum: *Provided*, The bonds so issued, under the original act as well as under this further supplement, shall be subject to taxation for state purposes only, and all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED—The 29th day of January, A. D. 1873.

J. F. HARTRANFT.

No. 70.

An Act

To enable the borough of St. Mary's to vote with the rest of Elk county on the question of license.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That the qualified electors of the borough of St. Mary's, in the county of Elk, be and they are hereby authorized to vote at the usual place of holding elections therein, on the eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, under the provisions of the general law, entitled "An Act to permit the voters of this commonwealth to vote every three years on the question of granting licenses to sell intoxicating liquors," approved the twenty-seventh day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, upon the question of granting licenses in Elk county; and the said election shall be held by the same officers who hold the corporate or municipal elections in said borough under like provisions, penalties and restrictions; and the returns of said elections shall be made to the same place, in the same manner, and counted with the returns of the rest of the county of Elk voting upon that question on the said eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, as fully to all intents and purposes, as if by existing laws the municipal elections in the said borough were fixed upon said day.

APPROVED—The 31st day of January, A. D. 1873.

J. F. HARTRANFT.