

No. 19.

AN ACT

Authorising the Governor to incorporate the Pittsburg and Birmingham turnpike road company.

SECT. 1. *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 Jacob Beltzhoover, James Patterson of Birmingham, Oliver Ormsby, Frederick Wendt, Aaron Sullivan, Dominick O'Connor, Robert Burke, John M'Donald and Frederick Bausman be appointed commissioners to open books under the directions and provisions of the act of assembly for the incorporation of the Pittsburg and Coal Hill turnpike road company, and to receive subscriptions in the form and with all the powers and under all the regulations prescribed by said act, passed the tenth day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, for the taking of stock in the Pittsburg and Birmingham turnpike road company.

Commissioners appointed to open books, &c. under direction of former acts.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That when twenty or more persons shall have subscribed one hundred or more shares of the said stock, and five dollars actually paid on each share, the commissioners shall certify under their hands and seals, the names of the subscribers, and the number of shares subscribed by each to the Governor, and thereupon it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, by letters patent under his hand and the seal of the state, to create and erect the subscribers, and if the subscription be not full, then those who may hereafter subscribe, to the amount of five hundred shares, into one body politic and corporate, by the name and title of "The Pittsburg and Birmingham turnpike road company," with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and restrictions of the said Pittsburg and Coal Hill turnpike road company.

Subscribers to be incorporated.

Title, &c.

Provisions of former act declared in force as to this.

Route of road.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That all the provisions of the act aforesaid, incorporating the Pittsburg and Coal Hill turnpike road company, shall be in force as to the election of officers, for the said Pittsburg and Birmingham turnpike road company, and as to the powers of said officers when elected; and the said company hereby incorporated, shall have power to lay out, construct and complete a turnpike road from the borough of Birmingham, in Allegheny county, westward to the intersection of the said road with the Pittsburg and Coal Hill turnpike road, and shall have authority to receive

tolls thereon as soon as the road is completed, and to increase the tolls by adding to the rates prescribed for the said Pittsburg and Coal Hill turnpike road: *Provided*, That the same shall never be higher than will enable the said company to divide five dollars in each year upon every hundred dollars of stock.

Increase of tolls.
Proviso.

SECT. 4. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That the said company are hereby authorised, (if they shall deem it expedient,) to exempt all wagons transporting coal over said road, having wheels or tire of six inches in breadth, from one-half the rates of toll to be taken by said company, and to assess upon all wagons, whose wheels or tire are less than six inches in breadth, fifty per centum additional over the usual tolls.

Company may vary toll according to width of wheels.

FRED'K SMITH, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

DANIEL STURGEON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the fourteenth day of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty.

GEO. WOLF.

No. 20.

AN ACT

Relative to the duties of supervisors of public highways, in the counties of Northumberland, Centre, Venango, Beaver, Crawford and Mercer, and for the election of township auditors in certain counties.

SECT. 1. *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 first day of April next, it shall be the duty of the supervisors of the public highways, in each and every township in the counties of Northumberland, Centre, Venango, Beaver, Crawford and Mercer, to lay out and expend at least one-half of the amount of all the road tax assessed each year, in each and every township aforesaid, in opening and repairing

How supervisors of highways in each township of certain counties are to expend half of road tax.