

[No. 34.]

RESOLUTION

To enable the Arbon Coal Company to borrow money.

RESOLVED, *By the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met*, That the President and Directors of the Arbon Coal Company shall have power to borrow money on loan, and to give mortgages, certificates or other evidences and securities, in sums [not less than one hundred dollars] for the payment thereof; the same to be convertible or not convertible into stock, as may be deemed expedient; *Provided*, That the sum so borrowed shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars.

Arbon coal co.
to borrow money.
Certificates
&c.
Proviso,

WM. HOPKINS,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,
EB. KINGSBURY, Jr.
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eleventh day of June, A. D., eighteen hundred and forty.

DAVID R. PORTER.

[No. 35.]

RESOLUTION

Relative to the payment of the Troops called to Harrisburg in December, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

RESOLVED, *By the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met*, That the Auditor General be and is hereby authorized to settle the account of the United States railroad car company, for carrying the troops, their cannon, baggage, and wagons to and from Harrisburg, in the winter of 1838-'9, and to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer in favor of

Auditor Gen.
to settle account of U. S.
rail road car
co. &c.

William Colder for the amount that may be so found due to said company; and he is required to notify the persons, whether styled Paymasters, Paymasters General, Quartermasters General, or disbursing officer, to settle their accounts; and on their refusal to do so, or on their doing so, and a balance being found in the hands of any of said officers, on their refusal to pay such excess into the State Treasury, it shall be the duty of the said Auditor General to employ counsel, and bring suit against such person so refusing to settle or pay over any balance due, and remaining in his hands: *Provided, Provide.* That he shall allow said officers at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, for such time as they were actually engaged in the discharge of their duty, as full compensation for their services; and in the settlement of the account of Col. Pleasonton, that he be authorized to allow him a credit for the amount, that he shall show sufficient vouchers for the payment of, for blankets, clothing, and other articles purchased for said troops.

Notice to certain officers to settle their accounts.
Col. Pleasonton to receive credit for certain expenses.

RESOLVED, That the Auditor General be authorized to settle with, and draw his warrant on the State Treasurer, in favor of any persons to whom amounts may be due and authorized to be settled by the resolution numbered thirty-three, approved the sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, relative to the pay of the troops in the service of the commonwealth.

Auditor Gen. to draw warrants on state treasurer &c.

RESOLVED, That the following sums be and the same hereby are appropriated to be paid out of any moneys in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, on the first day of August, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and forty, for the purpose of compensating the holders of Pennsylvania stock other than the banks of Pennsylvania, for the losses which may have been sustained by such holders in consequence of the payment of the interest on said stocks in a currency of less value than gold or silver.

Compensation to holders of Penn. stock

First, To the holders or legal representatives of the persons who were then holders of the Pennsylvania stocks, except as aforesaid, on the first day of August, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, the sum of fifty-three thousand two hundred and one dollars and twenty-five cents.

First.

Second, To the holders or legal representatives of the persons who were then holders of Pennsylvania stocks, except as aforesaid, on the first day of February, Anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, the sum of twenty-nine thousand six hundred and six dollars and twenty-five cents. Which several sums hereby appropriated, shall, by the Governor's warrant drawn on the State Treasurer, be placed in the hands of the agents or banks of this commonwealth, who may be authorized to pay the interest on the Pennsylvania stocks, on the first day of August, eighteen hundred and

Second.
Money how drawn and paid.

forty, for the purposes herein directed; and be paid to such holders in proportion to the several amounts by them respectively held on said days.

Interest on
stock hereaf-
ter to be paid
in specie or its
equivalent.

RESOLVED, That hereafter the interest falling due on Pennsylvania stock shall always be paid in specie or its equivalent, and whenever the funds accumulated in the treasury for the payment of interest shall be of less value than specie, it shall be lawful for the Governor, and he is hereby required to cause the difference in value between such funds and specie to be ascertained and certified to him on the day preceding that on which any semi-annual portion of interest becomes due by the Auditor General, and State Treasurer, under oath or affirmation, and thereupon to issue his warrant to the agents or banks who may be authorized to pay such interest on behalf the commonwealth, to allow such difference in value to the holder or legal representative of the holder of any Pennsylvania stock on the interest due to such holder, or to pay the same in specie, if required by such holder; *Provided*, No bank incorporated by this state which shall at the time any such interest becomes due, neglect or refuse to pay any of its notes, bills or obligations, or deposited moneys in gold or silver, be entitled to receive or be paid any such difference in value; and all other creditors of the commonwealth shall be paid in gold or silver, or its equivalent.

Com'wth to
pay all her cre-
ditors in spe-
cie.

WM. HOPKINS,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
EB. KINGSBURY, Jr.
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twelfth day of June, eighteen hundred and forty.

DAVID R. PORTER.

[No. 36.]

RESOLUTION

Relative to the claim of Amos Addis.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is represented that Amos Addis, late a contractor on section number twelve, Tioga line, North Branch canal, has suffered great loss by coming in contact with an