

No. 85.

AN ACT

To confer the rights of legitimacy on William Frederick Myer, Julius Albert Beck, Henry Swink, Catharine Swink, and James Taylor.

SECTION 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*

W. F. Myer and
J. A. Beck, legiti-
matized.

William Frederick Myer, son of F. Myer, of Shrewsbury, in the county of York, and Julius Albert Beck, son of E. S. Beck, of the same place, shall have and enjoy all the rights and benefits of children born in lawful wedlock; and shall be able and capable in law to inherit and transmit all the estate, real, personal and mixed, of their said fathers, respectively, as fully and completely, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been born in lawful wedlock.

Henry and Cath-
arine Swink, le-
gitimatized.

SECTION 2. That Henry Swink and Catharine Swink, children of George Swink, and Catharine Swink, late of Bullsken township, Fayette county, shall have and enjoy all the rights and benefits of children born in lawful wedlock, and shall be able and capable in law to inherit and transmit all the estate, real, personal and mixed, of their said father or mother, as fully and completely, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been born in lawful wedlock: *Provided*, That the passage of this act shall in no wise affect or impair the rights of others to any estate of said George Swink, which may have lawfully vested previous to the passage of this act.

James Taylor, le-
gitimatized.

SECTION 3. That James Taylor, son of James Taylor, of Antis township, Huntingdon county, shall have and enjoy all the rights and benefits of a child born in lawful wedlock, and shall be able and capable in law to inherit and transmit all the estate, real, personal and mixed, of his said father, as fully and completely, to all intents and purposes, as if he had been born in lawful wedlock: *Provided*, That the passage of this act shall in no wise affect or impair the rights of others, to any estate of said James Taylor the father, which may have lawfully vested previous to the passage of this act.

JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM BIGLER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fifteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four.

DAVID R. PORTER.