

No. 97.

AN ACT

Making an appropriation for the repairs of the canals and railroads belonging to this commonwealth.

Appropriation,
\$60,000.

\$2,000.

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 the sum of sixty thousand dollars is hereby specifically appropriated to defray the cost of such repairs as are or may be necessary to be made, on the finished lines of canals and railroads, in order to repair and maintain in good order said works, for the business of the coming spring; and that the said sum of sixty thousand dollars be paid out of any money in the treasury: *Provided*, That no money shall be drawn from the treasury for repairs on the finished lines of canals and railroads, except as is herein specifically appropriated; and that the sum of two thousand dollars, of which may be expended, to put in passable order the descending navigation on the Franklin line, if the canal commissioners deem it expedient, and shall be of opinion that the said sum of two thousand dollars will be sufficient to repair the two lower dams and locks on said line, so as to be navigable for the descending trade.

JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM BIGLER,
Speaker of the Senate.

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

DAVID R. PORTER.

No. 98.

AN ACT

Giving out for a term of years, all the public printing and binding of the commonwealth to the lowest bidder, with ample security for performance.

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 on the fourth Tuesday of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, or as soon thereafter as practicable, and on the fourth Tuesday of January, of every third year thereafter, the legislature shall meet in convention, and the speakers thereof shall receive proposals for doing

Triennial selection.