No. 86.

AN ACT

To annul the marriage contract of John H. Bohls and Mary Bohls.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, It appears that Mary Bohls, formerly Mary Aulenbach, was married in the county of Berks, and state of Pennsylvania, to John H. Bohls, on the twenty-second of May, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, and in eight or ten days after, removed to the state of Ohio, with her said husband, where they lived and cohabited together as man and wife, for about fourteen months, when the said John H. Bohls deserted and abandoned his said wife, without any just or reasonable cause, and thereby compelled the said Mary to return to her friends in Pennsylvania, for assistance and support; therefore,

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 marriage contract entered into between John H. Bohls and Mary Bohls, be and the same is hereby declared null and void, and the parties discharged from all the obligations and liabilities growing out of the same, as fully and absolutely as if they had never been joined in marriage.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 87.

AN ACT

To authorize George Plummer, administrator with the will annexed, of Robert Harvey, deceased, to convey certain real estate.

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

Certain acts of Wm. Stewart declared valid.

the acts and contracts of William Stewart, performed and entered into by him whilst acting as the executor of Robert Harvey, late of Hopewell township, Washington county, deceased, so far as the same are in conformity to the directions of the said testator, are hereby declared to

be as valid in law, and as obligatory upon all parties concerned, as if the letters testamentary under which the said William Stewart acted, had been legally granted; and all sales of real estate made by him, the said William Stewart, while acting as executor aforesaid, in pursuance to the directions of the will of said decedent, are hereby ratified and confirmed; and George Plummer, the legal acting administrator with the will annexed of the said Robert Harvey, deceased, is hereby authorized and directed to make, execute, and deliver to the purchasers of the real estate so sold by the said William Stewart, on the compliance of said purchasers, with the terms of sale, deeds of conveyance for the real estate so purchased by them; such deeds of conveyance being hereby declared good and valid: *Provided however*, That the said administrator with the will annexed, shall, before the execution of the said deed, hereby authorized, present a petition to the orphans' court of Washington county, setting forth particularly the contracts made by the said William Stewart, as executor of the said Robert Harvey, deceased, and if the court shall be of opinion that the same were entered into in good faith, and are beneficial to the estate of deceased, they are hereby authorized to approve of the same, upon the said administrator executing a bond to the commonwealth, with sufficient security for the use of all persons interested, in such penalty as the said court may direct, with condition for the faithful application of the proceeds of sales, according to law, and in pursuance to the will of deceased. Deeds. Bond.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighth day of March, one thousand eigh hundred and forty-five.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 88.

AN ACT

Relating to the estate of the late William M. Camac.

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 it shall and may be lawful for the trustees appointed by the will of William M. Camac, late of Penn township, in the county of Philadelphia, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, from time to time, to invest any of the funds of the estate in the purchase of ground rents or other real estate, situate in this commonwealth, and to purchase at any sheriff's sale, or at any other public or private sale, any real estate upon which the estate of the said William M. Camac now has or holds, or may hereafter have or hold, any mortgage, judgment, or Investment of funds.