

No. 204.

AN ACT

To confer on Elizabeth Mittonk, the rights and benefits of a child born in lawful wedlock.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, Sarah Williams, late of the township and county of Bedford, lately died intestate, leaving a small estate, situate in said county, and an illegitimate child, named Elizabeth, now intermarried with Henry Mittonk :

And whereas, It is just and proper that whatever estate was left by the mother of the said Elizabeth Mittonk, should be possessed and enjoyed by the said Elizabeth ; 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 above named Elizabeth Mittonk shall be entitled to inherit all and every part of the estate of the said Sarah Williams, deceased, as fully and effectually, as though she had been born in lawful wedlock, unless within two years hereafter, the collateral heirs of said Sarah Williams, file a paper in the office of the recorder of said county of Bedford, asserting their claim to said estate ; and a failure to file such paper, within said two years, shall be deemed a conclusive bar against the recovery of any part of said estate, by any of said heirs.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DANIEL L. SHERWOOD,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The seventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

FRS. S. SHUNK.

No. 205.

AN ACT

For the relief of the Methodist Episcopal church in Bellefonte, Centre county, and for other purposes.

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 estate vested in James M'Ghee, William Ward, Edward Purdew, James Crawford and George Henning, trustees for the Methodist Epis-

Estate vested in
other trustees.