

**SECTION 4.** It shall be the duty of said commissioners, to make out a fair and accurate draft of the location of said road, noting thereon the courses and distances as they occur, the improvements, and also the crossings of township lines, roads and waters, with such other matters as may serve for explanation; one copy whereof shall be deposited in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, on or before the first Tuesday of January next, and one copy in the offices of the clerks of courts of the respective counties in which the said road may be laid out, on the day aforesaid, or as much sooner as practicable, which shall be a record thereof; and from thenceforth the said road shall be, to all intents and purposes, a public highway, and shall be opened to the breadth, and repaired in all respects as roads are opened and repaired, which are laid out by order of the courts aforesaid.

**SECTION 5.** That the accounts of the said commissioners, for their own pay and the pay of their chain carriers, and so forth, shall be made out and returned to the commissioners of such counties in which said road may be located, in proportion to the time spent in the respective counties in locating said road; and that they be paid out of the treasury of each of the respective counties equally, on warrants drawn the usual way.

JAMES COOPER,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

CH. GIBBONS,  
*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 135.

## A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To an act, entitled "An Act to authorize the governor to incorporate the Delaware and Susquehanna railroad company."

**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 time for the performance of the several things mentioned in the act to which this is a supplement, be and the same is hereby extended for five years from the passage of this act. Time extended.

**SECTION 2.** That Frederick A. Rose, John W. Heller, Theodore Bowhannon, of the county of Pike, and Richard Lancaster and Oliver Hamlin, of Wayne, and William Merrifield, Charles H. Silkman, of Luzerne, be appointed, in addition to the commissioners already appointed in the said act. Additional commissioners.

**SECTION 3.** That nothing in this act, or the act to which this is a supplement, shall authorize the said company to enter upon any lands, or take any property without first making compensation to the owner taking it. To make compensation for property before taking it.

or owners of said property, or giving adequate security therefor; and that nothing in this act, or the act to which this is a supplement, shall be so construed as to give to the said company mining privileges, and so much of the original act as is hereby altered, is hereby repealed.

JAMES COOPER,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

CH. GIBBONS,

*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.

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No. 136.

## AN ACT

Relative to the Girard college for orphans.

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

Proceedings to  
bind poor orphan  
children to city  
authorities.

guardians for the relief and employment of the poor of the city of Philadelphia, the district of Southwark, and the townships of the Northern Liberties and Penn, be and they are hereby authorized, with the consent of the surviving mother, guardian, next friend, or by their own authority, if there be no such mother, guardian or next friend of any poor white male orphan child within this commonwealth, between the age of six and ten years, for whose admission to the Girard college for orphans application shall have been made, to bind such orphan child, by indenture, to the mayor, aldermen and citizens of Philadelphia, as trustees under the will of Stephen Girard, deceased, as an orphan to be admitted into the said college, to be there maintained and educated according to the provisions, and in the manner and under all the regulations and restraints directed or contained in the said will, or as the said corporation of the mayor, aldermen and citizens of Philadelphia shall lawfully ordain, under the said will; which said indenture shall not express any term or time when the said binding shall expire; but such binding shall, nevertheless, expire at furthest, before the said orphan shall attain the age of eighteen years, or at the pleasure of the said trustees at any time after he shall have arrived at between the ages of fourteen and eighteen years, or at any other time before his attaining the said age of fourteen years, when the said orphan shall, by mal-conduct, cease to merit the benefits of the said college; and the said trustees shall duly declare the said fact, and such orphan child shall be bound to abide by and submit to such provisions, regulations and restraints, as fully as if he were of full age, and consented thereto at the time of such binding, and shall be entitled to the benefits of the said college, according to the will of the said testator; and the said parties shall be mutually entitled to relief for breach of duty by the other, in the same manner and by

Admission.

When indenture  
to expire.