

enth of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, with the exception of the provisions of the first, second, tenth, fourteenth, and twenty-seventh sections of the original law.

SECTION 2. That it shall be lawful, under its charter, for the "Summit Branch railroad company," to take and hold such land for stationary engines, sidings, transfers, connections, water stations, reservoirs and pipes, at or near their respective inclined planes and schutes, as may be considered necessary for the full, effectual, working and operation thereof; and also, to connect any such points with the common wagon roads nearest thereto: *Provided*, That before any land or private road or roads now belonging to the Lykens Valley coal company, be taken or occupied by this company for the purposes set forth in this section, the assent thereto, shall be first had in writing from the said Lykens Valley coal company. Hold lands, &c.
Proviso.

SECTION 3. That whenever it shall be found that the "Lykens Valley railroad company" is unable, satisfactorily, to accommodate the trade of the Summit Branch railroad, and its officers or agents do not despatch the cars and freight therefrom and thereto, at fair and equal rates for tolls and motive power, in due order, as presented at either end of said Lykens Valley railroad, then the said "Summit Branch railroad company" shall be and they hereby are authorized to extend their railroads to the Wiconisco canal, with all the privileges and immunities, and subject to the restrictions and liabilities of their several acts of incorporation: *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed, so as to confer on said company any banking or mining privileges. When said company authorized to extend their road.

J. S. M'CALMONT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

V. BEST,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 55.

AN ACT

For the relief of the Pennsylvania institution for the instruction of the blind.

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 fifteen thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the use of the managers of the Pennsylvania institution for the instruction of the blind. Appropriation of \$15,000 to the Pennsylvania institution for the instruction of the blind.

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tion of the blind, for the purpose of enabling said managers to erect and furnish additional buildings, for the accommodation of a larger number of pupils.

J. S. M'CALMONT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

V. BEST,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 56.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To an act to incorporate the Dauphin and Susquehanna coal company, passed April fifth, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six.

Dauphin and
Susquehanna
coal company
authorized to is-
sue additional
stock, &c., to
complete their
road, &c.

Proviso.

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 to enable the Dauphin and Susquehanna coal company to construct a railroad, to connect their own with other railroads in Dauphin and Lebanon counties, as heretofore authorized, and to complete their works with additional tracks, if necessary, and for their general business, the said company are hereby authorized to issue, not exceeding sixteen thousand shares, of fifty dollars each, of additional capital of the said company, and to dispose of the same in such manner and on such terms as they may deem proper; and the said company are hereby further authorized to employ such persons as superintendents and agents as they may deem proper; and so much of the act of the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, hereby amended and supplied, as provides that the said company shall hold no lands except they are situated on Sharp mountain or on Stony creek, shall not apply to any real estate wherever situated, which they may deem necessary for wharves, depots or stations, for the accommodation of their business; but as hereby altered, amended and supplied, all the provisions now in force, of the said act of the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, and of the several supplements thereto, shall continue in force for the period of twenty-five years from the passage of this act: *Provided,* That the said company shall pay to the treasurer of this commonwealth a bonus of one per centum upon any increase of capital which they may make under the provisions of this act, in annual instalments of five hundred dollars each, the first of which shall become payable on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and the remaining instalments on the first day of July, of each succeeding year, until the whole amount of said bonus