

No. 168.

AN ACT

To establish a ferry at Alexander Guffey's salt works, in Westmoreland county.

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 be lawful from and after the passage of this act, for Alexander Guffey, his heirs and assigns, at his and their own proper costs and charges, to make good and convenient landings upon both sides of the Youghiogheny river, opposite the said Alexander Guffey's salt works, or nearly opposite to the same; and he shall at all times hereafter maintain the same in good order and repair, fit for men, horses, carriages, wagons and cattle to pass and re-pass; and further, the said Alexander Guffey, his heirs and assigns, shall provide and maintain good and substantial boats and other craft, and careful ferrymen, who shall duly and constantly, as occasion may require, attend for the purpose of transporting travelers and others, their cattle, horses and carriages and wagons over the said river; which ferry shall be subject to such rules, rates and regulations as the court of quarter sessions for the county of Westmoreland may in future direct and appoint, and the said court is hereby invested with all the power necessary in the premises; and the rates of transportation shall be as follows, until the said court shall fix such rates, to wit: six cents for a man and horse in day time, and eight cents at night; three cents for a footman; for a one-horse carriage twelve and a half cents, and twenty cents at night; for a two-horse wagon twenty cents, and for a four-horse wagon thirty cents in day time, and forty cents at night: *Provided*, That nothing in this act contained shall be so constructed to vest in the said Alexander Guffey, his heirs and assigns, a right to land any boat or boats upon any landing belonging to any other person or persons, without their consent first had and obtained.

Lawful for Alexander Guffey, his heirs and assigns, to make landings on the Youghiogheny river.

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J. S. M'CALMONT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

V. BEST,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fourteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.