

Robert Milligan, of Wilkins township, Allegheny county, guardian of Robert Milligan, Martha Graham, Elizabeth M. Graham, Eveline R. Graham and Margaret R. Graham, be and he is hereby authorized to sell and convey certain undivided real estate, being part in Northumberland, Schuylkill and Columbia counties; that the said guardian may sell and convey all the interest said minors have in either of the above counties, or all the interest in the above named three counties, if he in his judgment deems it best for said minors; the orphans' court of Allegheny county to require sufficient bail from said guardian for the faithful performance of the power herein vested in him, before the approval of said sale by the said court: *Provided*, That the said sale or sales shall be approved by said court before any deed or deeds shall be executed: *Provided further*, That the proceeds of said sale or sales shall be invested for the benefit of said minors by said guardian, under the direction and with the approval of said orphans' court: *And provided also*, That this act shall not in any manner prejudice or affect the legal title of any adverse claimant.

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SECTION 2. That from and after the passage of this act the Vigilant fire company of the city of Philadelphia shall be authorized to erect upon their engine house in the said city a stationary alarm bell, with privilege to ring said alarm bell in time of fire; anything contained in the third section of the act of the seventh March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, entitled "An Act for the better regulation of the fire department in the city and incorporated districts of the county of Philadelphia," to the contrary notwithstanding.

Certain powers granted to the Vigilant fire company of the city of Philadelphia.

J. S. M'CALMONT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

V. BEST,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty,

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 246.

A N A C T

To amend the act of assembly incorporating the Bucks County contributionship for insuring houses and other buildings from loss by fire, passed April second, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and eleven; relative to the collection of taxes in the borough of Doylestown; and to the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike road 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 twenty-third section of the act of assembly incorporating the said Bucks County contributionship be amended to read as follows: "Sec- relative to,

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tion twenty-third, That to prevent frauds and avoid inconvenience, no person or persons insuring their buildings in this office, shall receive benefit from the same, if such buildings are or shall be insured in any other office," (without the consent of the directors for the time being, and having said consent endorsed on said policy of insurance.)

SECTION 2: That so much of said act of incorporation as shall be supplied or rendered inconsistent with the provisions of this act, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. That the town council of the borough of Doylestown, in the county of Bucks, shall have full power and authority in all cases, to appoint any suitable taxable inhabitant collector of taxes in and for said borough; and that the chief burgess of said borough shall have power and authority to direct his precept as often as may be required, to such person as may be appointed collector, commanding him to collect all taxes assessed and levied in pursuance of the act to incorporate the borough of Doylestown.

SECTION 4. It shall be the duty of the person so appointed collector of taxes, so soon as he receives the precept of the chief burgess, with the duplicate containing the assessment of taxes, to give public notice by printed handbills, that all persons so assessed and taxed are required to pay the same to the collector within ninety days from the date of the precept of the chief burgess; and all who fail to pay their taxes on or before the time specified, shall be charged at the rate of five per cent. additional on the taxes assessed, for failing to pay the same, with such other costs as may accrue in the collection thereof.

SECTION 5. The said town council of the borough of Doylestown may at any time remove any person so appointed collector, who may fail to comply with the requirements contained in the precept of the chief burgess, or refusing to comply with any resolution or direction of the town council relative to the collection and payment of the taxes to the borough treasurer.

SECTION 6. That so soon as the president and managers of the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike road company shall have perfected the said road to the line between the counties of Philadelphia and Bucks, and also, when they shall have completed intermediate portions, and the remainder of said road, they shall give notice thereof to the governor of the commonwealth, who shall, thereupon, forthwith nominate and appoint three disinterested persons to view and examine the same, and report to him in writing whether the said road is so far executed in a masterly and workman-like manner, according to the true intent and meaning of the act incorporating said turnpike road company, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight; and if their report shall in either case be in the affirmative, then the governor shall, by license under his hand and the lesser seal of the commonwealth, permit and suffer the said president, managers and company, to erect and fix so many gates upon and across said road as will be necessary and sufficient to collect the tolls and duties authorized to be collected by the said act of incorporation; and that so much of the tenth section of said act as is hereby altered or supplied, be and the same is hereby repealed.

J. S. M'CALMONT,

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