

No. 418.

AN ACT

For the relief of Joshua Pugh, of Luzerne county, and to incorporate the Odd Fellows hall association of Manayunk.

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 the duty of the canal commissioners to examine what amount of damages, if any, have been sustained by Joshua Pugh, of Luzerne county, by the destruction of a mill seat and injury to a basin for the receiving of logs in the vicinity of his mill, with the appurtenances and other privileges thereunto belonging, occasioned by the re-construction of the Nanticoke dam, and the construction of a new portion of canal near to said Nanticoke dam, in Plymouth township, in said county, and to report the sum to which in equity and justice they shall think him entitled; and it shall be the duty of the canal commissioners to take the examination of witnesses in relation to said claim.

Canal commissioners authorized to examine the claim of Joshua Pugh.

SECTION 2. That Alonzo Robb, James Ralston, Edward Holt, James Holt, George Oldfield, Hudson Carlisle, junior, Curtis Knowlton, Edward Holgate, William Tibben, Enoch Boothby, John Laycock, Christian Klein, James Bisset, Thomas Cromby, William Eastwood, Charles H. Sutton, William Munn, Samuel Lawson and Frederic Bucking, and their successors, and all persons who now are or may hereafter be associated with them, be and they are hereby created and erected into a body politic and corporate, in deed and in law, by the name, style and title of "The Odd Fellows hall association of Manayunk, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and be able to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in any court of law or equity and elsewhere, and shall be able and capable in law and equity to take and hold to them and their successors, either by grant, gift, devise, or lease any lands or real estate, for the purpose of erecting thereon a suitable building or buildings for the use of said association; and also to take and hold for the use of the said association any goods and chattels, sum or sums of money, by gift, grant, bargain, sale, will, devise, bequest or otherwise, from any person or persons whatsoever capable of making the same; and the same at their pleasure to grant, bargain, and sell for the use of said association; and generally to do all and singular the matters and things which shall be lawful for them to do for the well being and due management of the affairs of said association: *Provided,* That the real estate of said corporation shall not exceed the net yearly income of two thousand dollars.

Corporators.

Style.

Privileges.

SECTION 3. The object of said corporation shall be to provide, erect and furnish a hall or suitable building or buildings in the borough of Manayunk, for the accommodation of various lodges and encampments of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, established or to be established there; and also to answer the purpose of library and reading room.

Object.

SECTION 4. It shall and may be lawful for the said corporation to have a common seal, and the same at will and pleasure to change, alter and renew as they shall think proper, and shall have and exercise all

Seal.

the rights, privileges and immunities necessary for the purposes of the corporation hereby constituted, and as herein expressed.

Board of trustees.

SECTION 5. The government of said Odd Fellows hall association, and the management and disposition of its affairs and property, shall be vested in a board of trustees, who shall be elected at such time and in such manner as the said association shall by its by-laws provide: at the first meeting of the trustees after their election in each year, they shall elect a president, secretary and treasurer.

By-laws:

SECTION 6. The trustees shall have power and authority to make by-laws conformable to this charter, and not in violation of the laws of the United States or of this commonwealth.

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

V. BEST,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 419.

AN ACT

To incorporate the Manheim, Petersburg and Lancaster turnpike or plank road company; and relative to the banking house of Longenecker, Grubb, & Co., at Lewistown.

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 John Shaeffer, David B. Hostetter, Jacob E. Cross, John H. Bossler, John Hostetter, Henry Arndt, Daniel Brandt, A. Bates Grubb, Adam M'Connell, Jacob Singer, George Mullin, Henry Imhoff, Samuel Parker, John Stauffer, Daniel L. Bear, Jacob Zerby, Robert Moderwell, William Gleim, Jacob H. Kurtz, David Hartman, C. B. Grubb, Benjamin Mishler, Emanuel Kauffman, John Michael, Andrew Holtzworth, Emanuel Shober, F. J. Kramph, George W. Hammersly and David Longenecker, are hereby appointed commissioners to open books, receive subscriptions, and organize a company, by the style and title of "The Manheim, Petersburg and Lancaster turnpike or plank road company," with power to construct a turnpike or plank road company, commencing at the north end of Prussia street, in the borough of Manheim; thence by the nearest and best route to the village of Petersburg, passing down North street in said village; thence by the nearest and best route to the city of Lancaster, in Lancaster county, subject to all the provisions and restrictions of an act regulating turnpike and plank road companies, approved the twenty-sixth day

Commissioners.

Style.

Location.

Subject to provisions of certain act.