

of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and the supplement thereto.

SECTION 2. That the capital stock of said company shall consist of eight hundred shares at twenty-five dollars per share: *Provided*, That Capital stock. said company may from time to time, by a vote of the stockholders at a meeting called for that purpose, increase their capital stock so much as may be necessary, in their opinion, to carry out the true intent and meaning of this act.

SECTION 3. That the said company shall commence said road within three years, and finish it within the space of ten years, and failing so Commencement and completion of road. to do, the provisions of this act shall be null and void.

SECTION 4. That the operation of the fiftieth section of the act, entitled "An Act regulating banks," approved the sixteenth day of April, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and fifty, be and the same is hereby Office of Longenecker, Grubb & Co., at Lewistown, relative to. suspended until April first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, so far as relates to the agency or office already established at Lewistown, under the name of Longenecker, Grubb, & Co.

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. 420.

A N A C T

Relative to the duties of justices of the peace in the counties of Beaver, Somerset and Franklin; and to authorize the Coal Hill and Upper St. Clair turnpike road company to extend their road.

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 Justices of the peace within the counties of Somerset, Beaver and Franklin shall be required to return to the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the respective counties, all the recognizances entered into before them, by any person or persons charged with the commission of any crime, (except such cases as may be ended before a justice of the peace under the existing laws,) at least ten days before the commencement of the session to which they are made returnable respectively; and in all cases where any recognizances are entered into less than ten days before the commencement of the session to which they are made returnable, the said justices are required to return the same in the same manner as if this act had not been passed; and any justices of the peace who shall refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions hereof, make return of recognizances, &c.

shall be liable to a fine of twenty dollars, to be recovered as debts of like amount are recovered under existing laws: *Provided*, This act shall not go into effect until the first day of October next.

Coal Hill and
Upper St. Clair
turnpike com-
pany authorized
to extend their
road.

SECTION 2. That the president and managers of the Coal Hill and Upper St. Clair turnpike road company, incorporated June seventh, one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to extend their road to the Washington county line, and if they shall deem it expedient, to change the same, or any part thereof, into a plank road.

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. 421.

AN ACT

To incorporate the Ocean Mail steam packet company; relative to the Philadelphia loan company; and to authorize Rebecca Large to sell and convey certain real estate.

Corporators.

Style.

Privileges.

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 Ambrose W. Thompson, Benjamin W. Tingley, William M. Godwin, Stephen R. Crawford, William Craig; William G. Alexander, Davis B. Stacy, James M'Clintock and John L. Linton, and such other persons as may become associated with them, be and they are hereby created and made a body politic and corporate, by the name, style and title of "The Ocean Mail steam packet company;" and the said corporators hereby have full power to fill all the subscriptions to the capital stock, and organize the said company at such time as may to them be proper so to do; and that they further have all the powers and privileges granted to the Philadelphia and Atlantic steam navigation company; and also, that they be and are hereby authorized to increase their capital stock to such an amount as may be necessary, not exceeding three millions dollars, to establish lines of mail steamship packets, for the conveyance of the United States mails from any port in Pennsylvania, and from any port in California, Europe or South America: *Provided*, That nothing in the act referred to or in this act shall be construed to give the company the privilege of trading to any port on the Atlantic coast in the United States, north of Charleston, South Carolina.