

LAWS OF PENNSYLVANIA,

further proceedings to be taken as may be necessary and proper to procure the abatement thereof by due course of law.

That the sum of two thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated towards carrying on the said proceedings; the said sum, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, to be expended under the direction of the governor, and the account thereof to be settled in the usual manner.

J. S. M'CALMONT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

V. BEST,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The nineteenth day of February, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 4.

RESOLUTION

Giving the consent of the state to certain purchases of real estate heretofore made by the United States of America.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the consent of this legislature be and the same is hereby given to the purchase heretofore made by the United States of America in the city of Philadelphia, for a certain lot or piece of ground on the south side of Chesnut street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, extending in depth to Library street, upon which the building now used as a custom house by the United States is erected; and also, that the further consent of this legislature be and the same is hereby given to the purchase heretofore made by the said United States of America of other ground in the said city, situate on the north side of Chesnut street, between Juniper and Broad streets, upon which the mint of the United States has been erected, and that all the right, title, property and interest of this commonwealth in the aforesaid premises, are hereby ceded to and vested in the United States of America, as fully, absolutely, and to the same extent as this commonwealth now holds, and is entitled to in the same: *Provided,* That this commonwealth may re-occupy and re-possess the same as they have occupied and possessed the same heretofore, whenever the United States of America shall cease to occupy the same for public purposes: *And provided,* That the jurisdiction over the said premises in civil and criminal cases, be the same as before the passing of this resolution.

J. S. M'CALMONT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

V. BEST,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.