

laws of the said company, shall be entitled to their equitable proportion of dividends declared by the company in the respective departments to which they may belong.

Report to be published.

SECTION 6. That within thirty days after the annual election for choice of directors, it shall be the duty of the secretary of this company to publish in one or more papers in the city of Pittsburgh, a report stating the amount of premiums received, the losses and expenses paid during the year, the amount at risk, and a general balance sheet of the affairs of the company.

Punishment for embezzlement.

SECTION 7. That any officer, director, or agent, who shall knowingly and wilfully defraud the said company, by embezzling any of its funds in his hands or entrusted to his care, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twice the sum embezzled, and in default of payment thereof, shall be imprisoned, not exceeding six months, in the county jail, at the discretion of the court having jurisdiction of the offence.

Banking privileges prohibited.

SECTION 8. That this corporation shall not exercise any banking privileges, or issue any certificates or other paper to be circulated as bank paper.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. McCASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The seventeenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.

No. 42.

A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT

To an act to incorporate the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, passed April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

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 in proceedings by the Pennsylvania railroad company for the appropriation of land under any act of Assembly, when it shall appear to the court of common pleas, by affidavit or otherwise, that there is a disputed, doubtful or defective title, or that any party in interest is absent, covert, not of full age, or from any cause incapable of being served with notice, or of having a bond tendered within the county where the land is situated, the said court shall, on application of the said company, direct the filing of a bond in an amount, and with security, to the Commonwealth, to be approved by the court, for the use of the party found to be entitled thereto, and shall direct notice thereof, and of the petition to assess damages, and the meeting of viewers,*

to be published in two newspapers of the county where the land is situated, for two weeks before the day appointed for the meeting of the viewers; and the said bond so filed, and the said notice so given, shall have like effect as if the provisions of the twelfth section of the act of Assembly, entitled "An act to incorporate the Pennsylvania railroad company," approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, in regard to giving bond, had been fully complied with, and as if personal notice had been served on the party owning the said lands, as provided for by the fourth section of an act, entitled "A further supplement to an act to incorporate the Pennsylvania railroad company," passed April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, approved the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

SECTION 2. That so much of the eleventh section of the act of Assembly, entitled "An act to incorporate the Pennsylvania railroad company," approved April thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, as prohibits the said company from passing through any dwelling house, shall not be construed so as to prevent the taking in any incorporated city or borough, of any dwelling house by whomsoever possessed or occupied, and the land on which the same is erected, which may be necessary or convenient for depots, warehouses, offices, toll houses, engine and water stations, or other buildings or appurtenances; but the right of the said company to take such property for such purposes, is hereby declared and affirmed: *Provided*, That full compensation be made to the owner or owners of such buildings for all damages sustained thereby, the same to be ascertained as in other cases: *Provided*, That the prices heretofore agreed to be paid by said railroad company, and agreed to be received by the owners of property in the city of Pittsburgh shall not, in any case, be reduced by any decision or decisions of a jury or juries that may be appointed to assess damages: *And provided further*, That the said power of entering upon property, as authorized by this act, shall be limited to that part of the first ward in said city of Pittsburgh, being between Marbury, Water, Liberty and Penn streets.

E. B. CHASE,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,

Speaker of the Senate.

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

WM. BIGLER.