

No. 265.

A SUPPLEMENT

To an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Borough of East Mauch Chunk," approved the twenty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

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 ^{Power to borrow money.} for the purpose of providing for a supply of water for the use of the inhabitants of the borough of East Mauch Chunk, the burgess and town council of said borough are hereby authorized, if they shall think proper so to do, to borrow any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of ten thousand dollars, and to issue certificates of loan therefor, payable not more than ten years after the date thereof, and bearing interest not exceeding six per centum per annum, no bond to be issued for less than the sum of one hundred dollars: *Provided,* That ^{Proviso} said burgess and town council may stipulate to pay all taxes which may by force and virtue of any law of this Commonwealth, be levied on said money loaned.

SECTION 2. That the said burgess and town council, for the ^{Tax to be levied.} purpose of paying the interest on the loan aforesaid, and to provide for the extinguishment of the principal when the same shall become due, are hereby authorized annually to levy and collect, upon all property in said borough made taxable for county purposes, such tax not exceeding in any one year fifty cents on the hundred dollars, as shall be necessary in addition to the water rents hereinafter mentioned for the purpose aforesaid, and also to fix the rates to be charged for the use of the water and collect the same: *Provided,* That the rates to be ^{Proviso.} charged to the citizens for the use of the water aforesaid, shall not exceed the rates now charged by the Mauch Chunk water company for similar use: *And provided also,* That no citizen of ^{Proviso.} said borough who is rated for the use of said water an amount equal to or exceeding the sum of five dollars per annum, shall be subject to the payment of the water tax aforesaid.

SECTION 3. That if the burgess and town council shall deem ^{Erection of works.} it inexpedient out of the borough funds to erect the proper water works and fixtures, for the supply of the inhabitants of the borough, and the same shall be erected by a company incorporated for that purpose, it shall and may be lawful for the said burgess and town council annually to levy and collect such tax as they shall think proper and expedient, not exceeding in any one year the sum of fifty cents on the hundred dollars of taxable property; and the tax so levied and collected shall annually be set apart and invested as may be directed by said burgess and town council, as an accumulating fund for the purchase by the borough of the rights and property of the water company, by which said works shall be erected, whenever the said borough

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may, by the terms of the charter of the said company, become the purchaser of said works.

E. B. CHASE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.

No. 266.

AN ACT

to re-annex certain Farms to Clarksville Borough, in Mercer county.

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 fourteenth section of an act, entitled "An act to incorporate the Caledonia Cold Spring association; repealing the ninth section of an act of April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, erecting the borough of Waynesboro' into an independent school district; relative to the Pittsburgh and Steubenville turnpike road company; attaching certain farms to Pymatuning township, Mercer county, et cetera," approved the twenty-eighth day of March, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, be and the same is hereby repealed.*

E. B. CHASE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

M. M'CASLIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

WM. BIGLER.