

intestates' estates, and for repealing one other act of general assembly of this province entitled, 'An act for amending the laws relating to the partition and distribution of intestates estates,'" (except the repealing clauses thereof) be, and the same are hereby repealed and made null and void.

[Section XXVI.] Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall in any degree affect the right or claim of any person or persons, which they may have acquired, or to which they may be entitled under any former laws, or prevent them [from] commencing any suit or suits or carrying on and prosecuting any that may have been commenced in the same manner and with the same effect, as if this act had not been passed.

Passed April 19, 1794. Recorded L. B. No. 5, p. 249, &c.

²Passed March 23, 1764. Chapter 512.

CHAPTER MDCCLII.

AN ACT TO SUSPEND FOR THE TIME THEREIN MENTIONED PART OF AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE CERTAIN SUMS OF MONEY FOR THE LAYING OUT, OPENING AND IMPROVING SUNDRY ROADS WITHIN THIS COMMONWEALTH, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED" AND TO CONFIRM PART OF A ROAD LAID OUT IN PURSUANCE OF SAID ACT.

Whereas in and by the act entitled "An act to appropriate certain sums of money for the laying out, opening and improving sundry roads within this commonwealth, and for other purposes therein mentioned"¹ passed the eleventh day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three, it is, among other things, enacted that the sum of four hundred dollars be appropriated for viewing and laying out a road, from Philadelphia to the borough of York, in York county, through West Chester and Strasburg, and crossing the Susquehanna at the place commonly called the Blue Rock. And whereas it appears, as well from the representations of a great number of the inhabitants of the

¹Chapter 1694.

county of Lancaster, as otherwise, that the opening of a certain part of the said road would be not only burdensome and oppressive, but at present useless, as there is not, neither can there be, established any convenient ferry over the Susquehanna at the Blue Rock aforesaid.

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) 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 so much of the aforesaid road, directed to be laid out from Philadelphia to the borough of York, as lies between the city of Philadelphia and the village of Strasburg, is hereby confirmed, as viewed and laid out agreeably to the report and supplementary report made on that part of the said road, by the commissioners appointed for that purpose, and filed in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, and the courts of quarter sessions of the respective counties through which the said road passes, are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be opened, agreeably to the said reports, and the existing laws of this commonwealth. Provided always, That nothing herein contained shall extend to confirm or authorize the opening of that part of said road, which lies between the village of Strasburg and the borough of York, but the same shall be and is hereby suspended, until a permanent bridge shall be built over the Susquehanna at or near the Blue Rock.

Passed April 19, 1794. Recorded L. B. No. 5, p. 236, &c.

CHAPTER MDCCLIII.

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE POWERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF HUNTINGDON COUNTY TO ASSESS AND LEVY A FURTHER SUM, FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AND TO GRANT A LOAN TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE SAME.

Whereas it has been represented to the legislature of this commonwealth, by the trustees for erecting the public buildings of the county of Huntingdon, that by the act passed the twentieth