

CHAPTER MCMXXVI.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ROBERT DEAN AND JOSEPH SMITH TO ERECT
A WING-DAM ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE FRANKSTOWN BRANCH
OF THE JUNIATA, IN HUNTINGDON COUNTY.

[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 Robert Dean and Joseph Smith, their heirs and assigns, be, and they are hereby, authorized and empowered to erect a wing dam on the river Juniata, in the county of Huntingdon, to extend not more than one half across the said river, and to keep the same in good repair forever, and also to lead off thereby, on their own land, so much of the water of the said river as may be found necessary for the supply of their water works. Provided always, That the said Robert Dean and Joseph Smith, their heirs or assigns in erecting the said wing dam, or in keeping the same in repair, or in drawing off the water as aforesaid, shall not thereby, in any degree, injure or impede the navigation of the said river, or prevent fish from passing up the same. And provided also, That by erecting said wing dam they shall not interfere with any private property on the said river.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That on the complaint of any person or persons to the judges of the court of quarter sessions of the said county, it shall and may be lawful for the said judges to appoint three commissioners to view the said dam, and to compare it with the limitations and provisions herein set forth and enacted, and report to them, at their next sessions in the said county, the state thereof, which report, on oath or affirmation, if it contain an offense against this act, shall be sufficient ground for the court to direct a bill of indictment to be sent to the grand jury, and, upon prosecution

to conviction of an offense against this act, the party or parties so convicted shall be liable to pay a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars at the discretion of the court, and the court shall adjudge so much of the said dam to be abated and altered as shall bring the same within the limitations and provisions in this act.

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CHAPTER MCMXXVII.

AN ACT FOR RAISING, BY THE WAY OF LOTTERY, A SUM NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, TO BE APPLIED TO DEFRAYING THE EXPENSES OF PAVING THE STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF LANCASTER, IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER.

[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 Edward Hand, Paul Zantzinger, Abraham Witmer, Matthias Slough, Adam Reigart, junior, Jacob Graff, Philip Diffenderfer, Jacob Krugh, George Musser, John Miller, James Crawford, Caspar Shaffner, John Huber, Adam Weaver and John Hubley, or a majority of them, be, and they are hereby, appointed commissioners to raise, by way of lottery, a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, to be by them applied to the defraying the expenses of paving the streets in the borough of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, in such manner as to the said commissioners, or a majority of them, may appear most beneficial to the inhabitants of said borough, and the public in general. Provided always, That the said commissioners shall begin by applying such part of the money, so to be raised as aforesaid, as may be necessary, to the paving that part of King street which lies between the Philadelphia and Lancaster and the Lancaster [and] Susquehanna turnpike roads.