

county for the use of the poor appropriated for the repairs of roads and highways.

private sale for the best and highest price which can be gotten for the same, and to give assurances and conveyances valid in law to the purchaser or purchasers, and his, her or their heirs and assigns for ever, and they are hereby required to pay over the monies arising from such sale to the supervisors of the highways of the said township for the time being; and the said supervisors are hereby directed and required to place the same at interest on mortgage or other sufficient security; and the interest arising therefrom shall be applied by the said supervisors and their successors to the repair of the roads and highways of the said township.

SIMON SNYDER, *Speaker*  
of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seven.

THOMAS M'KEAN.

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CHAPTER XCV.

An ACT to alter and amend an act entitled “an Act for the better support of the Public Credit, &c.” (passed the tenth day of April, one thousand seven hundred and eighty one.)

WHEREAS authority has been granted by law to the inspectors of the prison in Philadelphia, to sell or otherwise appropriate all the interest of the Commonwealth, in the vacant lots, the property of this Commonwealth in the city of Philadelphia, unimproved by the state: And whereas it is represented that several of the said lots are possessed by persons who have no just or legal title to the same; and that doubts have arisen as to the right of using the summary remedy, provided by the act of which this is amendatory for certain cases therein mentioned, to obtain possession of the said lots, granted to the said inspectors: Therefore,

Powers formerly exercised by the wardens of Philadelphia now vested in the mayor, or recorder and any two Aldermen of Philadelphia. Proviso in favour of the party in possession pleading title under an office right.

SECTION I. *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 all and singular the powers and authorities vested in the wardens of the city of Philadelphia, by the act of which this is amendatory shall be, and the same hereby are vested in the mayor or recorder, and any two aldermen of the said city, with full right to use and exercise the same, in as full a manner, as the same might or could be exercised by the said wardens of the city of Philadelphia; *Provided,* That if the party in possession shall plead title to the premises under any office-right from this Commonwealth, and produce the same, the justice of the supreme court shall proceed no further therein.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Former proceedings and remedies used to give possession of the lots, granted by law to the inspectors of the prison in Philadelphia, by virtue of this act, and of the thirteenth section of the act, of which this is a- mendatory, as might or could be had or used to obtain possession of the said lots if the same continued to be the property of this Commonwealth. remedies re- vived in fa- vour of the inspectors of the prison of Philadelphia.

SIMON SNYDER, *Speaker*  
of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seven.

THOMAS M'KEAN.

CHAPTER XCVI.

An ACT granting a sum of money to the Trustees of the Union Academy of Doylestown, in the county of Bucks, for the use of said Academy.

SECTION I. *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 sum of eight hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby granted to the trustees of the Union Academy of Doylestown, to assist and enable them to finish said academy, to be paid by a warrant to be drawn by the Governor on the State-treasurer, out of any unappropriated money in the state-treasury. A grant of \$800 to the Union Academy of Doylestown.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That there shall be admitted into said academy, any number of poor children who may at any time be offered, in order to be taught gratis: *Provided,* The number so admitted shall at no time exceed three, and that none of the said children shall continue to be taught gratis more than one year. Poor children may be taught gratis. Limitation of the number to be admitted at one time, &c. of the period for tuition.

SIMON SNYDER, *Speaker*  
of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seven.

THOMAS M'KEAN.

CHAPTER XCVII.

An ACT granting a tract of donation land to the heirs of John Allen.