

CHAPTER MMLVII.

AN ACT TO REPEAL PART OF AN ACT, ENTITLED, "AN ACT FOR REGULATING, PITCHING, PAVING AND CLEANSING THE HIGHWAYS, STREETS, LANES AND ALLEYS, AND FOR REGULATING, MAKING AND AMENDING THE WATER COURSES AND COMMON SEWERS, WITHIN THE INHABITED AND SETTLED PARTS OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, FOR RAISING OF MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED."¹

Whereas the inhabitants of the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, the district of Southwark, and the townships of Moyamensing and Passyunk, and inhabitants of the city of Philadelphia, holding or possessing lands within the said district and townships, are much aggrieved by the restrictions laid on the transportation of produce and manure from or to their respective possessions, on or over the paved parts of the said city, by an act, entitled, "An act for regulating, pitching, paving and cleansing the highways, streets, lanes and alleys, and for regulating, making and amending the water courses and common sewers within the inhabited and settled parts of the city of Philadelphia, for raising of money to defray the expenses thereof, and for other purposes therein mentioned," passed the eighteenth day of February, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine.¹ Therefore:

[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 act aforesaid, as debars or prevents any person or persons residing within the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, the district of Southwark, the townships of Moyamensing and Passyunk, or within the city of Philadelphia, holding or possessing lands within the said districts or townships, from transporting in his, her or their wagons, wains or carts, for his, her or their own

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proper use, any matters or things whatsoever, on or through any of the paved parts of the said city, unless the felines of the wheels of such wagons or carts be of certain dimensions, and the loads thereon do not exceed a certain weight, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

Passed April 5, 1799. Recorded L. B. No. 6, p. 438, etc.

CHAPTER MMLVIII.

AN ACT FOR INCORPORATING THE CONGREGATION OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. JOHN, IN WEST CALN, IN THE COUNTY OF CHESTER, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED.

Whereas it has been represented, by the minister, vestry and congregation of St. John's, in West Caln township, in the county of Chester, that by virtue of an act of assembly, passed the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, certain trustees, therein named, were empowered to sell and convey certain lands belonging to said church, and the money arising therefrom to place at interest, for the use of the said church, and that, in consequence of the death of some of the trustees, and by means of other money belonging to the said congregation and not under the care of any particular person, great inconveniences have arisen, and praying that the same might be remedied by incorporating the aforesaid minister, vestry and congregation. Therefore:

- [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 the Reverend Joseph Clarkson, minister of the said church, Archibald Henderson, junior, and James Dunlap, the present wardens, and Jerman Davis, John Anderson, James Lytle, Matthew Henderson, Archibald Hen-