

L A W S *statutes, etc.*

OF THE

*W. Foot*

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

PASSED AT THE

SESSION OF 1863,

In the Eighty-Seventh Year of Independence.

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With an Appendix.

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HARRISBURG.

SINGERLY & MYERS, STATE PRINTERS.

1863.

No. 338.

**An Act**

To prevent actions at law, or proceedings in equity, in certain cases.

**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 if it shall appear, in any proceeding at law, or in equity, heretofore instituted and now pending, or hereafter instituted, in any of the courts of this commonwealth, by, or in, the name of any sequestrator, county, city, or borough, to recover, or compel, payment of any subscription, or subscriptions, or part, or parts, thereof, made by any person, or persons, to the capital stock of any railroad company, incorporated by the general assembly of this commonwealth, subject to the provisions of the act, entitled "An Act regulating railroad companies," approved the nineteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, that before such proceeding was instituted, the act incorporating such railroad company had been repealed, or the charter thereof revoked, by an act of the general assembly of this commonwealth, no judgment, or decree, shall be entered, or made, against the person, or persons, aforesaid, but he, or they, shall have judgment, or an order, for his, or their, reasonable and proper costs.

**JOHN CESSNA,**

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

**GEORGE V. LAWRENCE,**

Speaker of the Senate.

**APPROVED**—The eleventh day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

**A. G. CURTIN.**

No. 339.

**An Act**

To incorporate the Honesdale Water Company.

**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.* Commissioners. That O. F. Young, Z. H. Russell, C. P. Waller, Charles Rob-

inson, John Henigan, John Kelly, R. F. Lord, junior, G. G. Waller, R. L. Seely, S. E. Dimmick, J. Snyder, W. H. Foster, E. F. Torrey and H. B. Beardslee, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, and they, or a majority of them, are hereby authorized to carry into effect the establishment of a water company, to be in, or near, the borough of Honesdale, in the county of Wayne, under the name, style and title of the **Style.** Honesdale Water Company, with a capital of thirty thousand **Capital.** dollars, and the right to issue coupon bonds to the amount of **May issue bonds** twenty thousand dollars, at a rate of interest not exceeding seven per centum, to be organized, managed and governed as provided by an act, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of gas and water companies," approved March eleventh, **Subject to!** one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and subject to all the provisions and restrictions, not supplied by this act, together with all the rights and privileges in said act, or any supplements thereto.

**SECTION 2.** That said company may convey any springs, or streams of water, according to the conditions contained in section eleventh of the act incorporating gas and water companies. **May convey any springs or streams.**

**SECTION 3.** That it shall be lawful for the commissioners of Wayne county, and the town council of the borough of Honesdale, to contract with said company for the use of water for public purposes; and said commissioners and town council may aid in the construction of the works of said company, by subscription to the capital stock thereof, or the issue of the bonds of the county and borough, for the payment of said subscription, or for the use of the water, and shall have power to levy and collect special, or general, taxes, for the payment of the same. **Commissioners and councils may contract for water and subscribe to stock.** **May issue bond and levy taxes for same.**

JOHN CESSNA,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

GEORGE V. LAWRENCE,

Speaker of the Senate.

**APPROVED**—The eleventh day of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

A. G. CURTIN.

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No. 340.

## An Act

To lay out a State Road in Fulton and Bedford counties.

**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 John Sharrer and William A. Gray, of Fulton county, Commissioners