

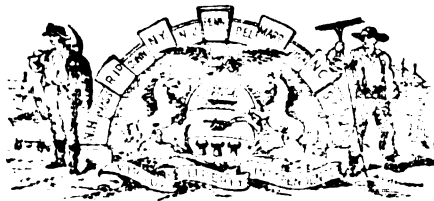
**LAWS**  
OF THE  
**GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,**  
PASSED AT THE  
**SESSION OF 1865,**

In the Eighty-Ninth Year of Independence.

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*With an Appendix.*

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**HARRISBURG:**  
**SINGERLY & MYERS, STATE PRINTERS.**  
1865.

hereafter be required, by any general law of the state, when such increase is made.

ARTHUR G. OLMSTED,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM J. TURRELL,  
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-first day of June, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

A. G. CURTIN.

No. 844.

## An Act

To incorporate the Petrolia Gas and Water Company.

<b>Commissioners.</b>	<i>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,</i>
<b>Title.</b>	That F. Bishop, D. W. M'Lane, W. H. Ewing, J. J. Winger, Wilson Davis, J. H. Shively, P. H. Siverly, W. H. Steffee, J. R. Say, William Phillips, William L. Lay, George S. Leidy, Eugene Ferren, James M. Bredin, Henry M'Kim, Hugh C. Graham, Walter R. Johns, or any seven of them, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, and authorized and empowered to open books, receive subscriptions, and organize a company, by the name, style and title of the Petrolia Gas and
<b>Capital stock.</b>	Water Company, with a capital stock of fifty thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of not less than ten dollars each; and said company shall have the exclusive right to supply the borough of Oil City, Laytonia and vicinity, in Venango county,
<b>Privileges.</b>	with gas and with water, by pipes, and, also, to all such persons, partnerships, firms and corporations, residing, or doing business, therein, as may desire the same, at such prices as may be agreed upon; and be subject to all the restrictions,
<b>Subject to.</b>	and entitled to all the powers, and rights, and privileges, of an act to provide for the incorporation of gas and water companies, approved the eleventh day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and the several supplements thereto, except so far as it and they are altered, or supplied, by this act.
<b>Capital stock may be increased.</b>	<i>SECTION 2.</i> That the said company shall have power, by a vote of the majority of the stockholders, at a meeting convened for that purpose, to increase the capital stock, to such an

amount as will enable it to carry out the purposes of its organization.

ARTHUR G. OLMSTED,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM J. TURRELL,  
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-second day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

A. G. CURTIN.

No. 845.

## An Act

To incorporate the Lehigh Rolling Mill Company, under the provisions of the charter of the Allentown Iron Company, and its supplements, and increasing its capital stock.

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 the Lehigh Rolling Mill Company, a company incorporated under an act of the general assembly of this commonwealth, of the seventh of April, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and its several supplements, commonly called the general manufacturing law, the principal place of business of which is in Lehigh county, shall have all the rights and privileges, and be subject to all the restrictions, granted to the Allentown Iron Company, by its charter of incorporation, by act of the general assembly of this commonwealth, approved the twelfth day of April, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, with the privilege, at any time, of increasing its present capital stock, of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, to five hundred thousand dollars.

Certain rights and privileges extended to the Lehigh Rolling Mill Company.

May increase capital stock.

SECTION 2. That if the board of directors of the Lehigh Rolling Mill Company shall conclude to accept this bill, they shall meet, within sixty days from the time of its approval by the governor, and give notice, to that effect, to the secretary of the commonwealth, who shall endorse the same upon their charter papers, on file in his office; and that, from and after such meeting of said board of directors, and the notice aforesaid, said Lehigh Rolling Mill Company shall be deemed to be acting under the same charter, and no other, as the Allentown Iron Company, except in so far as the same may be changed by this act; this corporation shall pay, into the treasury of the commonwealth, a bonus of one-half of one per centum, on the

Notice of the acceptance of this act to be given to the secretary of the commonwealth.

Bonus.