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OF THE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

PASSED AT THE

SESSION OF 1871,

In the Ninety-fifth year of Independence.

WITH AN APPENDIX.

BY AUTHORITY.

HARRISBURG:

B. SINGERLY, STATE PRINTER.

1871.

No. 811.

An Act

To incorporate the Lackawanna hospital of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

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 William N. Monies, John B. Smith, William F. Halstead, B. H. Throop, R. A. Squire, A. Davis, E. C. Fuller, William Merrifield, Henry Griffin, Charles Dowd, and W. W. Winton, and other contributors to the foundation and endowment of a public hospital and dispensary, in the city of Scranton, for the reception and care of the sick and injured, their associates and successors, be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate, in law and fact, under the name, style and title of the Lackawanna hospital of Scranton, Pennsylvania, and shall have and enjoy all the rights, powers, privileges and franchises incident by law to a corporation, for the purpose of establishing, maintaining and managing a hospital and dispensary for the reception, care, medical and surgical treatment of the sick and injured.

Corporators.

Name.

Purpose.

SECTION 2. That except wherein the same shall conflict with this act, the several sections of an act, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Medical and Surgical hospital of Johnstown, Pennsylvania," approved April fifteenth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, are made applicable hereto.

Subject to.

JAMES H. WEBB,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM A. WALLACE,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighteenth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

JNO. W. GEARY.

No. 812.

A Supplement

To an act incorporating the Scranton Gas and Water Company, approved March sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

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,*

Company may borrow money and issue bonds. That the Scranton Gas and Water company, in addition to the powers heretofore granted, shall have the right and power to borrow one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and to issue bonds therefor, secured by mortgage upon the property of the company, bearing such rate of interest not exceeding ten per centum per annum, and payable at such times and places as the directors of said company may elect.

Rate of Interest.

Capital may be increased. SECTION 2. That the capital stock of said company may be increased from time to time, as the directors may elect, to an amount equal to the entire cost of the real and personal property of the company, not exceeding the sum of five hundred thousand dollars.

Annual meeting. SECTION 3. The annual meeting of the stockholders, after the year Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, shall take place on the first Tuesday in May in each year.

JAMES H. WEBB,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM A. WALLACE,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eighteenth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

JNO. W. GEARY.

No. 813.

An Act

Supplementary to an act authorizing the governor to incorporate a company for erecting a bridge over the Monongahela, opposite Pittsburg, in the county of Allegheny, and to the act re-enacting the same, and the several supplements thereto.

Preamble

WHEREAS, In order to the free navigation of the Monongahela river, it is desirable that the suspension bridge over said river, erected at the end of Smithfield street, in the city of Pittsburg, should be removed and another bridge erected in its place, having a roadway elevated so as to give a greater height for the passage of boats; now, therefore, to enable the said company owning said bridge to remove the same and erect a suitable structure in its stead:

Authority to erect a bridge.

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 it shall be lawful for the company incorporated under the name and style of the president, managers and company for erecting a bridge over the river Monongahela, opposite the borough of Pittsburg, in the county of Allegheny, to erect a new, substantial and permanent bridge over the said river,