except in case the grant is of incorporeal interests which are not susceptible of livery." For this he cites *Huss v. Stephens*, 51 Pa. 282,—a case containing a dictum to that effect by C. J. Woodward. The remark of the Chief Justice was not a part of the decision, and the case does not pretend to overrule *Morris v. Stephens (supra)*, a decision in which C. J. Woodward participated.

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