

may be agreed on, and for the punctual payment of interest for the same.

WM. HOPKINS,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

EB. KINGSBURY, Jr.

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fifth day of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

DAVID R. PORTER.

[No. 229.]

AN ACT

To incorporate the Saint Patrick's Beneficial Society of Port Carbon, in the county of Schuylkill, and for other purposes.

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* Corporations. *of the same, That* Edward Colahan, Hugh Kinsley, Thomas Doget, Patrick Scanlan, Thomas Quin, James Nevin, and Society estab- *their successors, and all such other persons being citizens of* lished. *the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as shall hereafter be admitted or become members of the association, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic, in law and in deed, by the name, style and title of the "St. Patrick's Beneficial Society of Port Carbon," in the county of Schuylkill, and by* Name. *the same name they and their successors, shall for ever hereafter be able and capable in law to have, hold, receive and enjoy lands, tenements, rents, franchises, gifts and bequests, of what nature soever, in fee simple or for term of life, years Liberties and and otherwise, and also to give, grant, let, sell, alien or as-franchises. sign the same, according to the nature of the respective gifts, grants or bequests, made to them the said society, and of their estates therein, to be employed and disposed of according to the objects, articles and conditions hereafter to be adopted by the society hereby incorporated: Provided, That the amount of the clear yearly value or income of such real estate,*

Income. and the interest of money by them lent, do not exceed the sum of fifteen hundred dollars.

Liberties and privileges. SECTION 2. That the said society shall be forever hereafter, able and capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded in all law causes and things, and to obtain and sustain all legal judgments, executions and decrees incidental to the same, and enjoy all such privileges, rights, powers and franchises, as other corporations of the like kind in this commonwealth enjoy.

Seal. SECTION 3. That the said society shall have power to use a common seal, and the same to change, alter or amend at pleasure.

Officers. SECTION 4. That for the well governing of the said society, and ordering and managing their affairs, they shall choose from among themselves, in such manner as shall be determined upon in their fundamental articles and regulations, a president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, and such other officers and committees as they may deem necessary or useful, and shall have power and authority to order stated and special meetings of the said society, to do and transact all business and matters appertaining thereto, agreeably to such rules, regulations and by laws as a majority of the society shall judge necessary or convenient, and shall from time to time establish and make, and put into execution such by-laws, rules and regulations, as may be passed from time to time by the society aforesaid, or the same to revoke, annul, alter or amend at pleasure: *Provided*, That the said rules, regulations and by-laws relate only to the charitable purposes before mentioned, and be not repugnant to the constitution and laws of the United States or of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, nor repugnant to any of the provisions of this act: *Provided*, That it shall be lawful for the legislature at any time to amend or repeal any of the foregoing provisions, and to rescind the powers hereby granted.

Meetings.

By-laws.

Proviso.

Repealing clause.

Schuylkill co. a separate school district formed from Lower Mahantongo tps SECTION 5. That from and after the passage of this act, the qualified citizens of Lower Mahantongo township, Schuylkill county, residing within the following limits, to wit: beginning at the Barry township line, on the north side of the Broad mountain, in said township; thence along the said mountain, so as to include the house of John Kunselman; thence across the said township of Lower Mahantongo, in a line so as to include the house of Joseph Snyder; thence along the said township line, so as to include the house of Daniel Fidler; thence along the south side of the Little mountain, so as to include the house of John Gehrus; thence along the said mountain to a point, in a direct line to the Barry township line aforesaid, shall form a separate school district, subject to the same provisions and restrictions contained in the act, entitled "an act to establish a general system of education by

common schools," passed April first, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and its supplements. The first election of school directors to be held at the house of Peter Stutzman, in said township, under the directions of Peter Stutzman, Jr., Peter Bressler, and Peter Dinger, who are hereby required, or a majority of them, to give public notice of the time and place of the holding such election, at least ten days prior thereto. Elections how and by whom held.

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[No. 230.]

A N A C T

To incorporate the Williamsport Mutual Insurance Company, in the county of Lycoming.

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 Jacob Grafius, Robert Faries, William Wilson, Esq. Joseph B. Anthony, Abraham Updegraff, James Corporation. Armstrong, Francis C. Campbell, Samuel H. Lloyd, Ellis Lewis, John Cummings, Asher Davidson, Thomas W. Lloyd, John Bennett, Jr. Hepburn M'Clure, Henry D. Ellis, and also all other persons who may hereafter associate with them in the manner herein prescribed, shall be a corporation by the name of the Mutual Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring their respective dwelling houses, stores, shops, barns and all other buildings, farming stock and household furniture, merchandise, and all other property against loss or damage by fire. Name. Object.

SECTION 2. All persons who shall hereafter insure with the said corporation, and also their heirs and executors, administrators and assigns, continuing to be insured with said corporation as hereinafter provided, shall thereby become members. Members.