

[No. 76.]

A N A C T

To legalize certain proceedings in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, 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 of the same,* That judgment shall be entered, and is hereby declared to be entered, *nunc pro tunc*, as of the proper time, on all verdicts rendered in the court of common pleas of the counties of Adams and Franklin, where no motion for a new trial or reasons in arrest of judgment have been regularly entered, and are still pending; and all executions and proceedings had under such verdicts are hereby declared to be good and valid, as if judgment had been regularly entered.

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SECTION 2. That the time fixed by law for continuing and constructing the road of the Little Schuylkill Navigation rail road and coal company, to the foot of the Broad Mountain, be and the same is hereby extended to five years from the date of this act.

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SECTION 3. That the eighteenth section of an act, entitled "an act relating to the lien of mechanics and others upon buildings, passed the sixteenth June, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, requiring the publication of the writ of *Scire Facias*, by advertizements in daily or weekly newspapers is hereby repealed.

The act
requiring the
advertisement
of mechanics
liens repealed

SECTION 4. The qualified voters of Middletown township in the county of Susquehanna, be and they are hereby authorized to elect three supervisors annually, at the usual time and place of electing township officers, and the said supervisors shall be the overseers of the poor, of said township, and that all laws in relation to said supervisors and overseers of the poor, so far as relates to Middletown township, inconsistent with the above provision, be and they are hereby repealed.

Middletown
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na County
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SECTION 5. That it shall and may be lawful for all persons entitled to vote, who have resided in the borough of Washington, Lancaster county, six months previous to such election, to meet at the public house of Abraham Bitner, or such other place as may hereafter be appointed, on the second Tuesday in May in every year, and then and there elect by ballot, between the hours of twelve and six o'clock of the

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same day, one reputable citizen residing therein, he shall be styled the burgess, and one who shall be styled assistant burgess, and four persons as council men; the assistant burgess to preside in council, and to have only the casting vote when there is a tie, and that so much of the twelfth section of the act to which this is a supplement as conflicts with this act is hereby repealed.

WHEREAS, Samuel Awl, of Augusta township, in the county of Northumberland, was appointed collector of taxes assessed in the said township for county purposes for the years one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and one thousand eight hundred and forty; *And whereas*, The said Samuel is since deceased and a considerable amount of said taxes remain due and uncollected.

Bail of Samuel Awl to collect a tax

SECTION 6. Therefore, That the Honorable George C. Welker, and Gideon Leisensing, who are the bail of the said said Samuel Awl, in a bond given by him to the county commissioners of said county for the faithful collection of said taxes, be and are hereby authorized to proceed under the warrants directed and issued to the said Samuel by the said commissioners, to collect the said taxes remaining due and unpaid, in the same manner and with like power and authority as were vested in the said Samuel by existing laws.

JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN STROHM,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The thirtieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

DAVID R. PORTER.