

supplement, and so much of the sixth section of said act as is hereby altered or supplied, be and the same is hereby repealed.

JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM BIGLER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twelfth day of February, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four.

DAVID R. PORTER.

No. 21.

AN ACT

To change the Franklin Blues, an infantry company of Chambersburg, into a rifle company, to be called the Franklin Riflemen, and the Franklin Guards, of Venango county, to that of Franklin Artillery.

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 from and after the passage of this act, the infantry company of the borough of Chambersburg, in the county of Franklin, called the Franklin Blues, shall be, and it is hereby changed into a rifle corps, to be called the Franklin Rifleman, and that the seven years service of each individual member thereof, shall be calculated from the respective date of his enrollment as a member; and it shall be the duty of the adjutant general to furnish, upon the order of the proper brigade inspector, out of any of the arsenals of this commonwealth, where a sufficient number of unappropriated arms and accoutrements may be had, the usual stand of rifles and accoutrements for the use of the said company, under the restrictions, provisions and securities as are now provided by law; and the election which was held by the said company for officers on the seventeenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, is hereby legalized, and commissions directed to be issued to the said officers elect, by the proper authority: *Provided*, That before the said company shall receive any of the arms and accoutrements, as provided for in this act, the arms and accoutrements heretofore received by said company, shall first be returned, if not already returned, to the proper person, duly authorized to receive the same.

SECTION 2. That the volunteer infantry company, the Franklin Guards, in the county of Venango, shall be changed into an artillery company, called the Franklin Artillery, subject to same regulations and provisions of the foregoing section.

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