

No. 4.

A SUPPLEMENT

To the act, entitled "An Act to provide for the erection of a house for the employment and support of the poor for the county of Lehigh."

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 qualified citizens of Lehigh county, at the time and place of holding the usual elections for constable in the borough of Allentown, and the several townships in the said county of Lehigh, on Election of directors of the poor; and it shall be the duty of the judges and inspectors of the said several election districts to make out duplicate returns, setting forth the whole number of votes polled for each person so voted for, which said duplicates shall be transmitted to the clerk of the court of quarter sessions, in the same manner as the returns of the election of constable are now made; one whereof the said clerk shall file in his office, and the other he shall dispose of as provided in the second section of this act. Duty of judges and inspectors.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of said clerk to produce one of the said several duplicates in the court house of said county, on the Tuesday next succeeding said election, or as soon as the whole of said returns shall have been received—and there, in the presence of at least one of the associate judges of said court, he shall proceed to ascertain the number of votes polled for each candidate as aforesaid, and shall make out a certificate under his hand and seal of office, setting forth the names of the three persons who shall have received the highest number of votes, and certifying that they were duly elected; which said certificate being attested by said judge, the said clerk shall file in his office, and he shall forthwith give notice, in writing, to the said directors of their being elected; and shall also notify them to meet at the court house aforesaid, on the Friday next succeeding their election, at which time and place the said directors shall meet and proceed to divide themselves by lot, or otherwise, into three classes—the place of the first to become vacant on the first Monday in November next, the second on the first Monday in November, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, and of the third on the first Monday in November, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven—and the said directors shall immediately deliver to the said clerk of the court of quarter sessions a certificate of said classification, to be filed in his office. Duty of clerk of quarter sessions.

SECTION 3. The said directors shall, on or before the tenth day of April next, furnish to the county commissioners of said county, estimates as ordained by the fourth section of the act to which this is supplementary; whereupon the said county commissioners shall proceed in all respects as directed by said act, and that so much of said act as is herein altered or superseded, be and the same is hereby repealed. Classification of directors.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

FRS. R. SHUNK.