

Votes. SECTION 9. No member shall be entitled to vote at any election, except such as shall have paid at least one dollar in each year, for the support of the pastor of the congregation.

Tenets. SECTION 10. All matters connected with the doctrine, government, and discipline of the church, shall be conducted according to the acknowledged standard of the Evangelical Lutheran church in the United States.

Construction. SECTION 11. No enumeration of powers, privileges and duties herein contained, shall be so construed as to exclude others not enumerated, which are necessary to the proper fulfilment of the design and purpose of this act, and not inconsistent with its express provision and limitations.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 279.

AN ACT

For the payment of the volunteer troops of this commonwealth, in service during the riots in the city and county of Philadelphia, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-four.

Returns. 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 the duty of Major General Robert Patterson, of the first division, Pennsylvania militia, immediately after the passage of this act, to make out under oath or affirmation, and forward to the auditor general a detailed statement of the names, number and rank of commissioned officers, the names and number of non-commissioned officers, musicians and privates, and the names of the companies, battalions and regiments to which said officers, privates and musicians were attached, who were called into service by the proclamation and orders of the governor and commander-in-chief, and of those who were mustered on their way to "head quarters," to suppress the late riots in the city and county of Philadelphia; also the number of horses employed for the use of cavalry and artillery, and the number of days that said horses were in actual service; also a statement of the actual expenses of transporting said troops and their ordnance, and the expense for hospital stores.

SECTION 2. That it shall be the duty of the auditor general, immediately after receiving the statements provided for in the foregoing section of this act, with the other accounting officers as in other cases, to proceed to settle the claims of troops that were called out by the proclamation of the governor and orders of the commander-in-chief, for services performed during the late riots in the city and county of Philadelphia, and the claims of such troops as were mustered into the service and were on their way to "head quarters," as follows, that is to say : He shall allow to each major general, the sum of two hundred dollars, in full for his services and expenses; to each division inspector, fifty dollars; to each brigadier general, eighty-eight dollars; to each aid-de-camp to major general, forty dollars; to each aid-de-camp to brigadier general, forty dollars; to each colonel, fifty dollars; to each lieutenant colonel, forty dollars; to division quarter master, forty dollars; to each brigade quarter master, forty dollars; to each brigade major, forty dollars; to each major, forty dollars; to adjutants to regiments and battalions, forty dollars; to each quarter master of regiments and battalions, forty dollars; to each surgeon, forty dollars; to each assistant surgeon, thirty dollars; to each captain, forty dollars; to each first lieutenant, thirty dollars; to each second lieutenant, twenty-five dollars; to each non-commissioned officer, musician and private, thirteen dollars, except those who were ordered into service from Berks, Bucks, Dauphin and Montgomery counties, and those belonging to Captain Findlay's and Captain Hambright's companies from the county of Lancaster, who shall each be allowed nineteen dollars; and he shall further allow to the cavalry and artillery, a reasonable compensation for horse hire and forage, not exceeding one dollar and fifty cents per day, for each horse in actual service. He shall also allow the necessary expenses incurred in transporting said troops and their ordnance, and the expenses for hospital stores : *Provided*, That the allowance for transportation of troops and ordnance, shall be subject to a proportional reduction for the remission of tolls, when the same was made by the officers of the commonwealth, or any railroad company; and the amount allowed upon the Philadelphia and Columbia railroad shall not exceed fifty cents upon each passenger passing from Lancaster to Philadelphia, and a proportional allowance for any greater or less distance : *And provided, further*, That no person shall be entitled to receive compensation for services rendered in more than one capacity or rank : *Provided also*, That no troops shall be paid under this act, who have already been paid by the city or county of Philadelphia, nor for services rendered before the proclamation of the governor, whether the same has yet been paid by said city and county or remains unpaid; and the auditor general shall carefully investigate and ascertain the facts necessary to carry out the true intention of this proviso.

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SECTION 3. The manner of making payment to said troops, shall be as follows : The auditor general shall furnish to the county treasurer of each county from which troops were ordered, a detailed statement, exhibiting the amount to which the troops ordered from said several counties are entitled to, under the provisions of this act, with a list of the names of the individuals entitled to the same and the amount due each; and it shall be the duty of the said county treasurers to pay the said troops in accordance with the list so furnished, and to take vouchers for such payments; and the said county treasurers, on presenting said vouchers to the auditor general, shall be entitled to a credit on account of state taxes for their respective counties, in an amount equal to the amount of vouchers presented as aforesaid. The amount necessary to

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pay the actual expenses of transporting said troops and their ordnance, and the expenses for hospital stores, shall be paid on warrants, which the auditor general is hereby authorized to draw on the state treasurer, in favor of the persons or bodies corporate to whom the same be found due.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 280.

AN ACT

Concerning certain drafts and surveys.

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* the burgess and town council of the borough of Woodcock, in the county of Crawford, is hereby authorized and required to cause proof to be made by one or more witnesses, before some judge or justice of the peace, of the original draft of said borough as made by Henry Minium, and on such proof being made, to cause the same to be recorded in the office for recording deeds in the said county of Crawford; and said draft being so recorded, or a duly certified copy thereof, shall in all future time be competent evidence in any controversy respecting property, streets, alleys, or boundaries in said borough.

Draft of Wood-
cock borough to
be proved and
filed.

Surveyor general
to make a draft
of Crawford co.

SECTION 2. That the surveyor general is hereby required to make out from the original surveys and the general drafts, on suitable material, a complete connected draft for the county of Crawford, of so much of the several districts of donation lands as lie within said county, and to certify the same under his hand and official seal; and the same shall be as competent evidence for all purposes, as are the original surveys and the general draft of said donation lands; and said county of Crawford shall pay to said surveyor general for said certified draft, before the delivery thereof, a reasonable compensation, to be fixed by the said surveyor general, not exceeding fifty dollars.

Compensation.

Deputy surveyor
to copy survey
book.

SECTION 3. That the deputy surveyor of said county of Crawford, is hereby required to copy in a suitable book, the original survey book of warranted lands in said county, and shall certify the same to be a true copy; and the same being so certified, shall hereafter be as competent evidence in all cases as the entries in said original book; and a reason-