

wealth *vs.* Thomas Weaver and Frederick Fritz, approved May twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the attorney general is hereby directed to Repeal. proceed in the prosecution of said suits with as little delay as practicable.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 5.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the election of overseers of the poor of the city of Pittsburg.

WHEREAS, At an election for overseers of the poor for the city of Pittsburg, held on the seventh of January last, there was a failure to Preamble. elect one of said overseers, in consequence of there being a tie vote between two of the candidates: *And whereas,* There are doubts as to the power of the councils of said city to order a special election to supply the vacancy; therefore,

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the Councils order select and common councils of the city of Pittsburg, be and they are a special election. hereby authorized to order a special election to supply the before mentioned vacancy; and when hereafter a vacancy shall occur in the board of overseers of the poor of said city, it shall and may be lawful for the before mentioned councils to order a special election to fill the same, and the general powers conferred upon said councils in regard to regular elections of overseers of the poor, are hereby extended to special elections held under this act.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twentieth day of February, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-five.

FRS. R. SHUNK.