

No. 194.

AN ACT

For the relief of Thomas B. Lytle.

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 canal commissioners be and they are hereby authorized and required to re-examine the claim for damages, alleged to have been sustained by Thomas B. Lytle, of Lancaster county, by fire from a locomotive on the Philadelphia and Columbia railroad, causing the destruction of his barn; and if in their opinion, the damages done to said Thomas B. Lytle were occasioned by fire from a locomotive as aforesaid, then to settle and adjust the amount of said damages, and pay the same out of the damage fund: *Provided,* Said barn was erected previous to the location of said railroad.

Canal commissioners to examine claim for damages of J. B. Lytle.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DANIEL L. SHERWOOD,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 195.

AN ACT

To authorize an examination of the claims of George Hogg, a canal contractor.

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 canal commissioners are hereby authorized and required to examine the claim of George Hogg, surviving partner of Forsyth and Hogg, in contracts for section number three, and for aqueduct number twenty, on the Erie extension of the Pennsylvania canal; and if it shall appear that injustice has been done in making incorrect estimates, or in the condemnation of timber and stone taken out for said contracts on account of a change in the location of said section, and an increase of mucking and other labor arising therefrom, and that damages have been sustained in the premises, for which the commonwealth should be reasonably bound to make a compensation, then the said commissioners

Canal commissioners to examine claim.

Report to legis-
lature.

shall assess such amount of damages in favor of the said George Hogg, as he shall be justly entitled to, and report the same to the legislature, together with a statement of the facts upon which their award may be predicated.

FINDLEY PATTERSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DANIEL L. SHERWOOD,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 196.

AN ACT

Relative to roads and bridges, in Lower Mount Bethel township, in the county of Northampton, and for other purposes.

Elect supervisors.

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 qualified voters of the township of Lower Mount Bethel, in the county of Northampton, shall on the third Friday of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, at the township election, elect three persons, who shall be styled supervisors of roads and bridges.

Term of serving
of supervisors to
be classified.

SECTION 2. Within ten days after said election, the persons so elected supervisors, shall meet at the office of the township clerk, or in his absence, at the clerks of the election in said township, who shall proceed to class, by lot, the said supervisors—one to serve three years, one to serve two years, and one to serve one year; and as soon as the clerk shall have completed the classification, he shall administer an oath or affirmation to each of said supervisors, faithfully and impartially to administer the duties of said office, and shall record the same in the township record; and the qualified voters of the said township, shall annually, at the township election thereafter, elect one person for supervisor, who shall hold his office for three years, and if any vacancy occurs, such vacancy shall be supplied, by appointment, by the board, until the next election.

Annually elect
one supervisor.

Duplicate of the
names of taxables
to be made.

SECTION 3. As soon as the supervisors are qualified, they shall notify the assessor of the said township, who made the last assessment, to meet them at a day and place, to be named by them, and when so met they shall proceed to draw off, in a duplicate, the names of all the taxables in said township, together with all the property of each taxable assessed by said assessor, for county rates and levies, and place the same valuation on such as was placed for county purposes; and the said assessor shall certify the same to be a true copy of the last assessment of said township.