

LAWS OF PENNSYLVANIA,

No. 19.

AN ACT

Fixing the time for holding borough elections in Bradford county.

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 borough elections in the county of Bradford, shall hereafter be held on the third Friday in January in each year; and the election held on the third Friday of January, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, in the borough of Towanda, be and the same is hereby made valid.*

JAMES COOPER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CH. GIBBONS,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 20.

AN ACT

Authorizing the supervisors of Passyunk township, in the county of Philadelphia, to regulate and pave the Gray's Ferry road, from Cedar street to Federal street, in the said township.

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 whenever the owners of ground, comprising one half of the actual front on the Gray's Ferry road, from Cedar street to Federal street, in the township of Passyunk, shall require it, it shall be the duty of the supervisors of the said township, to proceed without unnecessary delay, to grade, regulate, curb and pave the same, according to the established regulation of lines and heights, in a workmanlike manner, of good materials, according to the method now practised in the city of Philadelphia and the adjoining districts.*

When supervisors shall grade, &c.

Costs, how to be paid.

SECTION 2. *The cost of grading and regulating the entire width of the said road or street, ready to receive the pavement, to be paid for by the said township; and the cost of curbing and paving the said road or street and footways, to be paid for by the owners of the ground respec-*

tively, in proportion to the actual front thereon that may be owned by each.

SECTION 3. The cartway of the said road or street, to be kept in good Repairs, by order and repair at all times hereafter, at the proper cost and charge of whom to be made the said township; and the curb and footway to be kept in good order and repair at all times hereafter, by the owners respectively, of the ground fronting on the same.

SECTION 4. That if any owner of property, fronting on said Gray's Ferry road, shall refuse or neglect to make payment of the amount due, by reason of the said paving, then it shall be lawful for the said supervisors to file their lien for the same, in any court of the city and county of Philadelphia having jurisdiction of the amount, and collect the same by action of debt, or proceedings by scire facias, in the same manner as is now provided by law, for the collection of municipal claims by the several incorporated districts of the county of Philadelphia: *And pro- Liens to be filed. vided also,* That the amount due from individuals, by reason of the said paving, together with all proper charges, shall be a lien upon the property of the several owners, in proportion to the actual front of their respective properties on the said Gray's Ferry road; and shall have priority to and be fully satisfied, before any incumbrance to which the said estate may become liable, after the passing of this act. *Proviso.*

JAMES COOPER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CH. GIBBONS,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The thirtieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 21.

AN ACT

Authorizing the burgess and town council of the borough of Schuylkill Haven, in the county of Schuylkill, to provide a lock-up house.

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 Schuylkill Haven, in the county of Schuylkill, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to have built, or otherwise provided and supported, in said borough, at the expense thereof, a suitable building for the security and temporary detention of any person or persons, committed by any justice of the peace, burgess or constable of said borough, for any violation of the laws of this commonwealth, or of the ordinance or ordinances of the borough aforesaid, for which such person or persons could lawfully be committed to the common jail of the county aforesaid, there to remain and be kept, until such offender or offenders can be removed to the To provide a lock up house.