

LAWS OF PENNSYLVANIA,

No. 39.

AN ACT

Supplementary to an act, entitled "An Act authorizing the construction of an outlet lock on the Delaware division of the Pennsylvania canal," approved the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

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* so much of the act to which this is a supplement, as authorizes the erection of dams in the Delaware river, be and the same is hereby repealed.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WM. WILLIAMSON,

Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 40.

AN ACT

Relative to the roads in Middletown township, Delaware county.

Certain acts revived.

Proviso.

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* so much of the revised act, entitled "An Act relating to county rates and levies, and township rates and levies," approved April fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and the act, entitled "An Act relating to roads, highways and bridges," passed June thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty six, as relates to the public roads and highways of the several townships of this commonwealth, be and the same is hereby revived in the township of Middletown, in the county of Delaware: *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize the supervisors to employ a clerk, collector of road tax, or treasurer, at the expense of said township, nor to prevent them from procuring the necessary assistance in making and repairing the public roads in said township, by special contracts or otherwise, as they shall deem most advantageous to the interest of the inhabitants thereof.

SECTION 2. That the qualified voters of said township are hereby authorized to elect, at their annual township election, in March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, three supervisors, one of whom shall serve one year, one two years, and one three years; and annually thereafter they shall elect one to serve a term of three years, two of whom shall be a quorum. Elect supervisors.

SECTION 3. That so much of an act, entitled "An Act granting certain powers to the authorities of the city of Lancaster and Philadelphia, and for other purposes," passed sixteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, as relates to the roads and highways in the county of Delaware, together with all other acts and supplements inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby declared not to extend to the township of Middletown, in the county of Delaware. Certain acts declared not to extend to Middletown township, Delaware county.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WM. WILLIAMSON,
Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 41.

AN ACT

To authorize the canal commissioners to examine the claim of Randal Evans, for damages sustained by fire on the Columbia railroad.

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 authorized and required to examine the claims of Randal Evans, of Chester county, for damages sustained by fire from the locomotive engine on the Columbia and Philadelphia railroad, March twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, and report the facts to the legislature: *Provided,* That the inquiry shall be limited to such articles of personal property, as were not taken into account in a former settlement, the distinction of which shall be authenticated by the oath of a competent witness.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WM. WILLIAMSON,
Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.