

No. 109.

A SUPPLEMENT

To an act, entitled "An Act erecting the village of Orrstown, in the county of Franklin, into a borough," approved the sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.

School districts.

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 said borough of Orrstown be attached to the township of Southampton, so far as regards forming a sub-school district, and that the said borough and township aforesaid, form one school district.

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

WM. WILLIAMSON,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 110.

AN ACT

To incorporate the Augustinian college of Villa Nova, in the county of Delaware, and state of Pennsylvania.

College estab-
lished.

Style.

Trustees.

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 there be and hereby is erected and established at Villa Nova, in the county of Delaware, in this commonwealth, a college for the education of persons in the various branches of science, literature, and ancient and modern languages, by the name, style and title of "The Augustinian college of Villa Nova, in the state of Pennsylvania."

SECTION 2. The said college shall be under the management, direction and government of seven trustees, who shall appoint a president and faculty; and a majority of said trustees shall be a quorum, and competent to fill vacancies in their own body, and to prescribe the duties authorized and required to be performed by said president and faculty: *Provided,* That no one shall at any time be a trustee, unless

a member of the Roman Catholic church, a citizen of the United States, and conforming to the rules and discipline of said church.

SECTION 3. The first trustees of said college shall consist of the following persons: John P. O'Dwyer, William Harnett, James O'Donnell, Edward M. Mullen, Francis Patrick Kenrick, William A. Stokes, and Daniel Barr; which said trustees, and their successors to be appointed as often as occasion may require by said trustees, shall be forever hereafter, and they are hereby erected into and declared to be a body politic and corporate with perpetual succession, and with all the incidents to a corporation, in deed and in law, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, under the name, style and title of "The Augustinian college of Villa Nova, in the state of Pennsylvania," by which name and title the said John P. O'Dwyer, William Harnett, James O'Donnell, Edward M. Mullen, Francis Patrick Kenrick, William A. Stokes, and Daniel Barr, and their successors, shall be able and capable, at law and in equity, to take to themselves and their successors, for the use of the said college, any estate in any messuages, lands, tenements, hereditaments, goods, chattels, moneys, or other effects, by gift, grant, bargain, sale, conveyance, assurance, will, devise or bequest, of any person or persons, or corporation whatsoever: *Provided*, The annual income of the same, exclusive of the income from students, does not exceed the yearly value of five thousand dollars; and the same messuages, lands, tenements, hereditaments and estates, real and personal, to grant, bargain, sell, convey, assign, demise, and to farm, let and place out on interest or otherwise dispose of, or invest for the use of the said college, in such manner as to them shall seem most beneficial for the said college, and to receive the rents, issues, profits and income of the same, and to apply the same to the proper use of said college; and by the same name to sue, commence actions, prosecute and defend, implead and be impleaded in any courts of law and equity, and in all manner of suits and actions whatsoever; and generally by and in the corporate name, style and title aforesaid, to do and transact all and every business, the education of youth and others, and the management of the house and farm, and the members thereon living or therewith connected, or touching or concerning the premises, or which shall be in any manner incident thereto, as fully and effectually, as any natural person or body politic or corporate have power to manage their own concerns, and to hold, enjoy and exercise all such powers, authorities and jurisdictions as are held, enjoyed or exercised by any other university or college within this commonwealth.

SECTION 4. The said corporators may cause to be made, for their use, a common and corporate seal, with such devices and inscriptions thereon as they may deem proper, and by and with which all deeds, diplomas, certificates, appointments and acts of the said corporation shall pass and be authenticated, and the same seal at their pleasure to break, alter and renew.

SECTION 5. The corporators named in this act, or a majority of them, and their successors, or a majority of them, shall at all times constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. They shall have power to transact all business of the said college, and to exercise all the powers conferred by this act on the corporation, and of electing and removing officers, professors and residents, of appointing and authorizing a person or persons to carry into execution any resolution or business of the board, or to exercise any of the corporate powers, to attend to the duties of the college, and manage the affairs of the corporation.

SECTION 6. The president and professors for the time being, of said college, shall have power to grant and confirm such degrees in the arts

and sciences, to such students of the college, and others, when by their proficiency in learning, professional eminence, or other meritorious distinction, they shall be entitled thereto, as they may see fit, or as are granted in other colleges or universities in the United States, and to grant to graduates or persons on whom such degrees may be conferred, diplomas or certificates, as is usual in colleges and universities.

Enact rules.

SECTION 7. The corporators, or a majority of them, and the president and professors, by the authority of the corporators, shall have power to make rules, laws and ordinances, and the same to alter and repeal, and to do everything needful for the support and government of the college: *Provided*, That the said rules, laws and ordinances, or any of them, be not in violation of the laws and constitution of the United States, or of the laws and constitution of the state of Pennsylvania.

Proviso.

Misnomer.

SECTION 8. No misnomer of the said corporation shall defeat or annul any gift, grant, conveyance, assurance, devise or bequest to the said corporation: *Provided*, That the intent of the parties shall sufficiently appear upon the face of the gift, grant, conveyance, assurance, devise, bequest or other writing whereby any estate or interest was intended to pass to the said corporation.

Proviso.

Reservation.

SECTION 9. That the legislature hereby reserve the right to alter, amend or annul the charter and privileges hereby granted, whenever, in their opinion, the same may be necessary for the public good; in such manner, however, that no injustice shall be done to the corporators.

Trustees appointed.

SECTION 10. The first trustees of said college shall consist of the following persons: John P. O'Dwyer, William Harnett, James O'Donnell, Edward M. Mullen, Francis Patrick Kenrick, William A. Stokes and Daniel Barr.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WM. WILLIAMSON,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The tenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 111.

AN ACT

Authorizing the commissioners of the district of Penn, in the county of Philadelphia, to change the lines of Girard avenue.

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 commissioners of the district of Penn, be and they are hereby*