

confirmed, and the same vested in the present corporation or borough, their successors and assigns forever; therefore,

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 ancient title in the old corporation aforesaid, to all that certain lot or piece of ground, commonly called the market-house lot, in the borough of Germantown, in the county of Philadelphia, situate, lying and being on the easterly side of the Main street, and northerly side of Church lane, and containing in front, on the said Main street, fourteen perches, and in depth, easterly, five perches and three-quarters of a perch, bounded southerly by the said Church lane, and westerly by the said Main street, be confirmed and made good; and that the same, and the said one-half acre of ground, or market-house lot above described, and all improvements thereon, be and is hereby absolutely vested in the present corporation of the borough of Germantown, their successors and assigns, forever.

SECTION 2. That the burgess and town council of the said borough of Germantown, be and they are hereby authorized to tear down the present ancient market house, erected on said market-house lot, and to erect and build on said lot, at their discretion, a town hall, and such other buildings as to them may seem best and advantageous for the interest and welfare of said borough.

SECTION 3. That the records and papers relative to the ancient borough of Germantown, properly belonging to said borough, now in the office of the recorder of deeds of the city and county of Philadelphia, be placed in the keeping of the burgess and town council of the present borough of Germantown, in the county of Philadelphia; and that the recorder aforesaid, is hereby required to deliver over to an authorized person of said borough, the said records and papers, to be placed among the archives of the borough.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WM. F. JOHNSTON,

Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 336.

AN ACT

In relation to the courts in the twenty-first judicial district.

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 several courts in the twenty-first judicial district, shall commence

and be held as follows:—In the county of Schuylkill, the several courts shall commence on the second Monday of March, on the first Monday of June, the first Monday of September, and the first Monday of December in each and every year, and continue three weeks, if necessary, at each term. The courts of the county of Carbon shall commence on the first Monday of March, the last Monday of May, the Monday next after the fourth Monday of September, and the last Monday of November in each and every year, and continue for one week at each term, if necessary. The courts of the county of Monroe shall commence on the last Monday of February, the Monday next preceding the last Monday of May, the fourth Monday of September, and the Monday preceding the last Monday of November in each and every year, and continue for one week at each term, if necessary.

Time of holding courts in Schuylkill, Carbon and Monroe, changed.

SECTION 2. This act shall not go into operation until the first Monday of September next: *Provided*, That the courts of general quarter sessions of the peace, and the courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery, to be holden in and for the county of Schuylkill, shall commence on the second Monday of the several terms of the courts for said county, to continue two weeks, if necessary; and that the venires, and other process, issued out of said courts of general quarter sessions of the peace, and the courts of oyer and terminer and general jail delivery for said county, shall be made returnable accordingly.

Operation of this act.
Proviso.

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

WM. F. JOHNSTON,
Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 337.

AN ACT

To enable the committees appointed by "Zion's church" and others, situate in West Brunswick and other townships, in the county of Schuylkill, to sell and make title to certain real estate.

WHEREAS, Zion's church, Saint Paul's church, Saint John's church, Salem's church and Jacob's church, being five separate religious congregations in West Brunswick, Manheim, Wayne and Pinegrove townships, Schuylkill county, together and undivided hold a certain messuage, tenements and tract of land, constituting a parsonage, and containing fifty-two acres and one hundred and forty-six perches, situate near to the town of Bredensburg, in Wayne township, in the said county, and bounded by lands of Joseph Fertig, John Stine, and others:

And whereas, The said five above named congregations agreed to sell the said parsonage, and the said Zion's church appointed George

Preamble.