

No. 98.

AN ACT

To authorize Samuel Eberly, committee of Leah Wechter, lunatic, of Lancaster county, to convey certain real estate.

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 Samuel Eberly, committee of Leah Wechter, lunatic, of Elizabeth township, Lancaster county, be and the same is hereby authorized to sell and convey in fee simple, a tract of four acres, being the property of the said Leah Wechter: *Provided,* That this act shall not invalidate the bonds of indemnity given by George Wechter and Elias Wechter, to the said Samuel Eberly: *Provided further,* That before this law shall be operative, security shall be given by the said committee, to be approved by the orphans' court of Lancaster county, for the faithful application of the proceeds of said sale.

Power to sell.

Proviso.

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JAMES COOPER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CH. GIBBONS,
Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 99.

AN ACT

Relating to the road and bridge laws of Butler county.

WHEREAS, The general assembly passed a law altering the road laws in the county of Butler, approved the tenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty six, to go into effect on the tenth day of March next:

Preamble.

And whereas, Petitions have been presented, asking for the repeal of said law; 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 qualified voters in the county of Butler may, on the third Friday in March next, at their usual time and place of holding borough and township elections, vote for or against the new law, by each voter putting in law.

Electors to vote on the adoption or rejection of road

a ticket labeled "road law," the words written or printed thereon, "for the new law," in case he shall vote in favor of it, or "against the new law," if opposed to it; and it shall be the duty of the commissioners of said county, to give at least ten days' notice of such election, in each newspaper printed within the county.

Duty of election
officers.

SECTION 2. The officers of elections in the several election districts, shall make return of the votes polled for and against the new law, to the next court of quarter sessions of the said county; and if a majority of the votes polled be found to be against the new law, then it shall not go into effect in the said county of Butler; but if a majority shall vote in favor of it, then the new law shall go into effect as though this act had not been passed.

By whom roads
are to be repaired.

SECTION 3. If a majority shall decide against the new law, then of the three commissioners, who shall be elected in accordance with the provisions of said law, the two highest in vote shall act as supervisors for the ensuing year, and shall proceed to repair roads and bridges, as if the law of eighteen hundred and forty-six had not been passed.

JAMES COOPER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CH. GIBBONS,

Speaker of the Senate.

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

FRS. R. SHUNK.

No. 100.

AN ACT

Authorizing the burgesses and town council of the borough of Wrightsville, in the county of York, to provide a lock-up house.

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 burgesses and town council of the borough of Wrightsville, in the county of York, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to have built, or otherwise provided and supported in or near 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 common prison of said county, (if committed for an indictable offence, or until discharged according to law :) *Provided,* That no person or persons shall be confined in said lock-up house, at any one time, for a longer period than twenty-four hours, except such person or persons be