

No. 60.

AN ACT

To change the time of holding the courts in the counties of Somerset and Bedford.

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 from and after the twentieth day of February, eighteen hundred and fifty, the several courts for the county of Somerset, shall commence and be held on the fourth Monday in April, the fourth Monday in August, the second Monday in November and the first Monday in February, to continue one week, if necessary; in the county of Bedford, on the Mondays next succeeding the days hereinbefore fixed for the commencement of the courts in the county of Somerset, to continue for two weeks if necessary; and the writs of venire, and all other writs, rules, process or precepts whatsoever, which have already or may hereafter be issued in the counties aforesaid, shall be returnable agreeably to the times appointed by this act for the holding of said courts.

Time of holding courts in the counties of Somerset and Bedford.

J. S. M'CALMONT,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

V. BEST,

*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 61.

AN ACT

To incorporate the Philadelphia steam-tug and navigation company.

WHEREAS, It is manifest that the commerce of the city of Philadelphia, as well as the interests of the State, would be greatly benefitted by increased facilities for the ingress and egress by the aid of steam power, of the vessels arriving and departing, and generally in increasing the despatch to all or any other vessel or craft, trading to or from Philadelphia:

*And whereas,* The want of powerful and efficient steam-tugs to afford assistance to vessels stranded on the neighboring coast, has recently caused large losses of vessels and property:

Preamble.