

the said dam, or in keeping the same in repair, or in drawing off water as aforesaid, shall not, in any degree, injure or impede the navigation of the said river, or prevent fish from passing up the same. And provided also, That the said William Beatty shall not interfere with any private property on said river.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That on the complaint of any person or persons to the judges of the court of quarter sessions of the said county, it shall and may be lawful for the said judges to appoint three commissioners, to view the said dam, and to compare it with the limitations and provisions herein set forth and enacted, and report to them at their next sessions in the said county, the state thereof, which report, on oath or affirmation, if it contain an offense against this act, shall be sufficient ground for the court to direct a bill of indictment to be sent to the grand jury; and upon prosecution to conviction of an offense against this act, the party or parties so convicted shall be liable to pay a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars, at the discretion of the court, and the court shall adjudge so much of the said dam to be abated and altered, as shall bring the same within the limitations and provisions in this act.

Passed March 13, 1795. Recorded L. B. No. 5, p. 391, etc.

CHAPTER MDCCCX.

AN ACT TO ERECT BALD EAGLE TOWNSHIP, AND PART OF POTTER'S TOWNSHIP, IN THE COUNTY OF MIFFLIN, INTO A SEPARATE ELECTION DISTRICT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED.

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) 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 Bald Eagle township, and so much of Potter's township, in the county of Mifflin, as will lie north of a line to be drawn from the house lately occupied by Nathaniel Adams, at the end of Nittany mountain, to the centre

between Tussey's mountain and Bald Eagle Ridge, on the Huntingdon county line, be, and the same are hereby, erected into a separate election district; and the freemen thereof are hereby authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by Richard Miles, in the town of Milesborough.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the freemen of Potter's township, in the county of Mifflin, living on the south side of the aforesaid line, shall, and they are hereby, authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by William King, in the township of Potter aforesaid, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

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CHAPTER MDCCCLXI.

AN ACT TO ERECT THE TOWN OF BEDFORD, IN THE COUNTY OF BEDFORD, INTO A BOROUGH.

Whereas the inhabitants of the town of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, have, by their petition, prayed to be incorporated:

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) 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 town of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, shall be, and the same is hereby erected into a borough, which shall be called the borough of Bedford, and shall be comprised within the following boundaries, to wit, beginning at West street, where it enters into the west branch of the Juniata river; thence down the same, at low water mark, to East street; thence along said street to John street; thence along said street to West street; thence along said street to the place of beginning.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the freemen of the borough of