entitled "An act to further regulate the admission of attorneys and counsellors at law to practice in the several courts of this Commonwealth," is hereby repealed.

Approved—The 7th day of April, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 139

## AN ACT

Validating certain proceedings and elections of counties, cities, boroughs, townships, school districts, and other incorporated districts or municipalities, had and held for the purpose of increasing the indebtedness of such municipalities or the refunding of the existing indebtedness; to provide for the redemption of same; and validating bonds issued or authorized to be issued in pursuance to such proceedings and elections.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That all proceedings Municipalities. and elections heretofore had and held by any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipal or incorporated district, within this Commonwealth, to increase the indebtedness or to refund its existing indebtedness or both, where the majority of votes cast at such election was in favor of the increase of indebtedness, be and the same are hereby ratified, confirmed, and made valid, notwithstanding the authorities of such county, city, borough, township, school district, or incorporated district, did not, by separate and independent action prior to the ordinance or vote in pursuance of which notice of election was given to the electors, signify their desire for such increase of indebtedness, or refunding of existing indebtedness, or did not properly signify their desire for such increase of indebtedness or refunding of present indebtedness; and nothwithstanding the ballots were not certified or signed by the county commissioners, or were not printed on the official ballot after Ballots. the list of candidates, but were printed on separate ballots; and notwithstanding full, complete, proper return of the votes was not made to the proper court or counted or computed by the court, or a record showing the results made and certified by the clerk of said court to the proper authorities of such district or municipality; and notwithstanding any defect or informality in the manner of holding, or any defect, informality or error in figures or amounts in giving notice of such election; and notwithstanding mistake in stating the amount of percentage of the Mistakes. existing debt, or the percentage of the proposed increase or of the assessment, debt or deductions, or patent error of orthography or of numerical statement, on any or all of the ballots, or any error or mistake in the figures or amounts of actual debts, assets, assessments or in the amount of percentage of

Proceedings and elections to inelections to in-crease indebtedness.

Validation.

Failure to signify

Return of votes.

Defect or informality.

Bonds validated.

Proviso.

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actual debt, or the percentage of the proposed increase of debt in any statement filed in pursuance of the act of April 20th, 1874 (Pamphlet Laws, sixty-five), and its amendments and supplements. All of the bonds, securities, and obligations issued or to be issued in pursuance of every such election are hereby made valid, binding obligations of every such county, city, borough, township, school district, or incorporated district: Provided, All the other requirements of law concerning such procedure, election, and issue of bonds have been complied with: And provided further, That the provisions of this act shall not apply in any instance to any litigation in any court of this Commonwealth instituted prior to the passage of this act and still pending and undetermined.

Approved—The 7th day of April, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 140

## AN ACT

To fix the salary of the coroner of counties of the fourth class.

Counties of fourth class.

Salary of coroner.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the salary of the coroner in counties of the fourth class is hereby fixed at two thousand five hundred dollars per annum, payable semi-monthly, from the county treasurer in the manner provided by law.

Repeal.

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

APPROVED—The 7th day of April, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 141

## AN ACT

To amend section nineteen of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and fifty-two), entitled "An act establishing a fee bill," by increasing the fees of the coroner in counties of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth classes.

Fees.

Section XIX of act of March 28, 1814 (P. L. 352), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section nineteen of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred and fifty-two), entitled "An act establishing a fee bill," is hereby amended to read as follows: