mary district, number three; and said court shall issue their orders, requiring the said directors to use the school house or houses so designated, for the purposes herein mentioned.

> HENDRICK B. WRIGHT. Speaker of the House of Representatives.

B. CRISPIN. · Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED-The eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

DAVID R. PORTER.

[ No. 38.]

## AN ACT

Relative to school directors in the first school district, and for other purposes.

· 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 electors of the township of Passyunk, in the county of Philadelphia, shall, on the third Friday in March next, at the time and place of holding constable's elections, elect three citizens in addition to the number now required by law, to serve as school directors; and the said directors so elected, shall divide themselves into three classes, in accordance with the provisions of the thirtysecond section of an act relative to the election of borough and township officers, and for other purposes, passed the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty, and annually thereafter, the qualified electors shall elect two citizens to serve as school directors.

Section 2. That the present comptrollers of the public schools of the first school district, shall continue in office until Comptrollers the first day of July next, and the term of service shall thereafter expire on the thirtieth day of June, annually; and hereafter the said comptrollers shall be elected on the first Monday in June, annually, in the manner now prescribed by law; and the school directors of the first school district now in office, shall continue in office until the first day of July next,

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and annually thereafter, the term of service of the said directors shall expire on the last day of June: Provided, That if Proviso any directors shall have been elected for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, before the passage of this act, they shall not take their seats or perform any duties as such, until the first of July next.

Section 3. That it shall be lawful for the commissioners Comms of the districts of Kensington and Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, to elect one-third of their number of school

directors annually.

HENDRICK B. WRIGHT, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

B. CRISPIN, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

DAVID R. PORTER.

[ No. 39.]

## ANACT

To repeal the Nicholson Court of Pleas, and to release the lien of the Commonwealth on the estate of John Nicholson, deceased.

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 act, entitled "An Act to settle the estates of John Nicholson and Peter Baynton," pass-Repeal of fored the sixteenth day of April, Anno Domini, one thousand mer law eight hundred and forty, and all other acts or parts of acts relating to the Nicholson court of pleas and commissioners, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 2. That the alleged lien of the commonwealth on all the lands belonging or supposed to belong to the estate of Lien of com-John Nicholson, deceased, be, and the same is hereby released monwealth and discharged, as fully and effectually, to all intents and purreleased poses whatsoever, as if the same had never existed; and the act passed the twenty-sixth day of March, Anno Domini, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, entitled "An Act for