## No. 139.

## AN ACT

To amend an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thon-sand nine hundred cleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled."An act to establish a public school system in the Com-monwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and main-tain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," by adding to article excent thereof special forty. ewenty thereof section two thousand forty.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That article twenty of an act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, and the method of collecting such revenue; and repealing all laws, general, special, or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," is hereby amended by adding the following section, which shall be known as section two thousand forty:-

The State Board of Education is Section 2040. hereby authorized and empowered to inquire into the propriety of purchasing the Cheyney Training School for Teachers, located at Cheyney, Pennsylvania, and, if it be found that the owners thereof are desirous of selling and conveying said school, including real estate, buildings and equipment, to the Commonwealth, it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to make the most advantageous arrangements possible for the purchase of the same, and, when said negotiations have been concluded, if they are satisfactory to and approved by the State Board of Education, it shall enter into an agreement in writing, upon which the purchase shall be effected, and the property agreed to be conveyed to the Commonwealth: Provided, That Provise, no more shall be paid or agreed to be paid for said institution than the actual cost thereof to the corporation now owning the same.

APPROVED—The 26th day of April, A. D. 1921.

WM. C. SPROUL.

Chevney Training School for Teachers.

Act of May 18, 1911 (P. L. 309), supplemented.

Board of Education.

May investigate.

And purchase.