

No. 192.

AN ACT

Amending an act, approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to restrain and regulate the sale of vinous and spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixtures thereof," by prohibiting the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, transportation, importation, exportation, furnishing, or possession, for beverage purposes, of anything determined and found to be intoxicating by act of Congress passed pursuant to, and in the enforcement of, the Constitution of the United States of America; and by restraining and regulating the sale of vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixtures thereof, fit for beverage purposes, other than such as are, from time to time, determined and found to be intoxicating by any such act of Congress.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of an act, approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to restrain and regulate the sale of vinous and spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixtures thereof" (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and eight), which now read as follows:—

"Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That it shall be unlawful to keep or maintain any house, room or place, hotel, inn, or tavern, where any vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixtures thereof, are sold by retail, except a license therefor shall have been previously obtained as hereinafter provided," is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That *the phrase "vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors," the phrase "spirituous, vinous, malt, or brewed liquors," and the word "liquors," as used in this act, shall mean vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors fit for beverage purposes, other than such as are, from time to time, determined and found to be intoxicating by act of Congress passed pursuant to, and in the enforcement of, the Constitution of the United States of America.*

The phrase "intoxicating liquors" shall mean anything found and determined, from time to time, to be intoxicating by act of Congress passed pursuant to, and in the enforcement of, the Constitution of the United States of America.

It shall be unlawful to keep or maintain any house, room or place, hotel, inn, or tavern, where any vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, are sold by retail, except a license therefor shall have been previously obtained as hereinafter provided

Intoxicating liquors.

Amendments to the act of May 13, 1887 (P. L. 108).

Section 1, cited for amendment.

Definitions.

"Vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors."

"Intoxicating liquors."

Licenses to sell at retail.

Section 2. That section four of said act, which now reads as follows:—

Section 4, cited
for amendment.

“Section 4. Every person intending to apply for a license as aforesaid in any city or county of this Commonwealth, from and after the passage of this act, shall file with the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the proper county his, her, or their petition, at least three weeks before the first day of the sessions of the court at which the same is to be heard, and shall at the same time pay said clerk five dollars for expenses connected therewith; and said clerk shall cause to be published three times in two newspapers designated by the said court, a list containing the names of all such applicants, their respective residences, and the place for which application is made; the first-publication shall be not less than fifteen nor more than twenty-five days before the time fixed by the court: Provided, That no license shall be granted under the provisions of this act to any person to sell in any room where groceries are sold *at wholesale or retail*: Provided also, That in cities of the first class in the month of January, in each and every year, it shall be the duty of the mercantile appraisers to return under oath, together with the list of mercantile taxes, all licensed and unlicensed hotels, taverns, inns, restaurants or saloons, engaged in selling *intoxicating liquors*, and shall also return a duplicate list of said licensed and unlicensed hotels, taverns, inns, restaurants or saloons, to the clerks of the court of quarter sessions, and the said list of licensed and unlicensed hotels, taverns, inns, restaurants or saloons shall be published in the manner now prescribed for the publication of mercantile appraisers' lists, and said list shall contain the name and amount paid by each licensee, and a list of every unlicensed hotel, tavern, inn, restaurant or saloon; and it shall be their further duty to return to the district attorney in said cities of the first class the name and residence of every proprietor or keeper of any unlicensed hotel, tavern, inn, restaurant or saloon, together with the location thereof, and it shall be the duty of the district attorney to forthwith proceed to prosecute each and every offender according to law. And for each and every license granted by the court for any hotel, tavern, inn, restaurant or saloon, the mercantile appraisers shall receive the sum of two dollars and fifty cents, the said sum to be paid by the applicant or applicants for said license,” is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Applications for
license.

Filing.

Section 4. Every person intending to apply for a license as aforesaid in any city or county of this Commonwealth, from and after the passage of this act, shall file with the clerk of the court of quarter sessions of the proper county his, her, or their petition, at least

three weeks before the first day of the sessions of the court at which time the same is to be heard, and shall, at the same time, pay said clerk five dollars for expenses connected therewith; and said clerk shall cause to be published three times in two newspapers a list containing the names of all such applicants, their respective residences, and the place for which application is made. The first publication shall not be less than fifteen nor more than twenty-five days before the time fixed by the court: Provided, That no license shall be granted, under the provisions of this act, to any person to sell in any room where groceries are sold *or in any place of resort for minors*: Provided also, That in cities of the first class, in the month of January in each and every year, it shall be the duty of the mercantile appraisers to return under oath, together with the list of mercantile taxes, all licensed and unlicensed hotels, taverns, inns, restaurants, or saloons, engaged in selling *vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors*, and shall also return a duplicate list of said licensed and unlicensed hotels, taverns, inns, restaurants, or saloons to the clerks of the court of quarter sessions, and the said list of licensed and unlicensed hotels, taverns, inns, restaurants, or saloons shall be published in the manner now prescribed for the publication of mercantile appraisers' lists, and said list shall contain the name and amount paid by each licensee, and a list of every unlicensed hotel, tavern, inn, restaurant, or saloon; and it shall be their further duty to return to the district attorney in said cities of the first class the name and residence of every proprietor or keeper of any unlicensed hotel, tavern, inn, restaurant, or saloon, together with the location thereof; and it shall be the duty of the district attorney to forthwith proceed to prosecute each and every offender according to law. And for each and every license granted by the court for any hotel, tavern, inn, restaurant, or saloon, the mercantile appraisers shall receive the sum of two dollars and fifty cents, the said sum to be paid by the applicant or applicants for said license.

Section 3. That section five of said act, which, as amended by an act, approved the twenty-fourth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one, entitled "An act amending the ninth clause of the fifth section and the tenth section of the act, entitled 'An act to restrain and regulate the sale of vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof,' approved the thirteenth day of May, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven; authorizing bondsmen from any part of the county, or a security, trust, or surety company, organized under the laws of this State or any other State of the United States, to execute the bond required, and fixing the

Fee.

Advertising.

Places which may
not be licensed.Cities of the first
class.

amount thereof, and providing for the filing and approval thereof," now reads as follows:—

Section 5, as amended by section 1, act of April 24, 1901 (P. L. 102), cited amendment.

"Section 5. Said petition shall contain,

"First. The name and present residence of applicant, and how long he has there resided;

"Second. The particular place for which a license is desired;

"Third. The place of birth of said applicant, and if a naturalized citizen where and when naturalized;

"Fourth. The name of owner of premises;

"Fifth. *That the place to be licensed is necessary for the accommodation of the public;*

"Sixth. That none of the applicants are in any manner pecuniarily interested in the profits of the business conducted at any other place in said county, where any of said liquors are sold or kept for sale;

"Seventh. That the applicant is the only person in any manner pecuniarily interested in the business so asked to be licensed, and that no other person shall be in any manner pecuniarily interested therein, during the continuance of the license;

"Eighth. Whether applicant, or any of them, has had a license for the sale of liquors in this Commonwealth, during any portion of the year preceding this application, revoked;

"Ninth. *The names of no less than two reputable freeholders of the county where the liquor is to be sold, who will be his, her, or their sureties on the bond which is required, and a statement that each of said sureties is a bona fide owner of real estate in said county worth over and above all incumbrances the sum of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars, and that it would sell for that much at public sale, and that he is not engaged in the manufacture of spirituous, vinous, malt or brewed liquors: Provided, That when any person is surety upon more than one bond, he shall certify that he is worth four thousand (\$4,000) dollars, over and above all incumbrances, and over and above any previous bond he may be on as surety; or of a security, trust, or surety company, organized and existing under the laws of this Commonwealth, or of any other State of the United States of America, duly authorized to do business within the State of Pennsylvania by the Insurance Commissioner thereof;*

"Tenth. This petition must be verified by affidavit of applicant, made before the clerk of the court, a magistrate, notary public, or justice of the peace, and, if any false statement is made in any part of said petition, the applicant or applicants shall be deemed guilty of the crime of perjury, and upon indictment and conviction shall be subject to its penalties," is hereby further amended to read as follows:—

Section 5. Said petition shall contain:

First. The name and present residence of *the* applicant, and how long he has there resided.

Second. The particular place for which a license is desired.

Third. The place of birth of said applicant, and, if a naturalized citizen, where and when naturalized.

Fourth. The name of owner of premises.

Fifth. That none of the applicants are in any manner pecuniarily interested in the profits of the business conducted at any other place in said county where any of said liquors are sold or kept for sale.

Sixth. That the applicant is the only person in any manner pecuniarily interested in the business so asked to be licensed, and that no other person shall be in any manner pecuniarily interested therein during the continuance of the license.

Seventh. Whether applicant, or any of them, has had a license for the sale of liquors in this Commonwealth during any portion of the year preceding this application revoked.

Eighth. This petition must be verified by affidavit of applicant, made before the clerk of the court, a magistrate, notary public, or justice of the peace, and, if any false statement is made in any part of said petition, the applicant or applicants shall be deemed guilty of the crime of perjury, and, upon indictment and conviction, shall be subject to its penalties.

Section 4. That section seven of said act, which now reads as follows:—

“Section 7. The said court of quarter sessions shall hear petitions from residents of the ward, borough or township, in addition to that of the applicant, in favor of and remonstrance against the application for such license, and in all cases shall refuse the same whenever, in the opinion of the said court having due regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such application, *such license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers or travelers, or that the applicant or applicants is or are not fit persons to whom such license should be granted*; and, upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the said court that the party holding a license has violated any law of this Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the court of quarter sessions shall, upon notice being given to the person so licensed, revoke the said license,” is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Section 7. The said court of quarter sessions shall hear petitions from residents of the ward, borough, or township, in addition to that of the applicant, in favor of and remonstrance against the application for such license; and in all cases shall refuse the

Section 7, cited for amendment.

Additional petitions and remonstrances.

Refusal of license.

same whenever, in the opinion of the said court, having due regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such application, the applicant or applicants is or are not fit persons to whom such license should be granted, *or the place applied for is not a fit place*; and, upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the said court that the party holding a license has violated any law of this Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the court of quarter sessions shall, upon notice being given to the person so licensed, revoke the said license.

Revocation of license.

Section 5. That section eight of said act, which, as last amended by an act, approved the twenty-sixth day of February, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, entitled "An act to amend section eight of the act, approved the thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred eight), entitled 'An act to restrain and regulate the sale of vinous and spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixtures thereof,'" now reads as follows:—

Section 8, act of February 26, 1919 (P. L. 10), cited for amendment.

"Section 8. That all persons licensed to sell at retail any vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, in any house, room or place, hotel, inn or tavern, shall be classified and required to pay annually for such privilege, as follows:—Persons licensed to sell by retail, resident in cities of the first and second classes, shall pay the sum of *one thousand* dollars, and those resident in cities of the third class shall pay the sum of *five hundred* dollars; those resident in all other cities shall pay *three hundred* dollars, and those resident in boroughs shall pay *the sum of one hundred and fifty* dollars; those resident in townships shall pay the sum of *seventy-five* dollars to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties in the following proportion. In cities *the sum of one hundred dollars*, in boroughs and townships one-fifth of the amount of license, shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties, and the balance shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective cities, boroughs, and townships for their respective use: Provided, however, That the money thus paid into any township treasury shall be applied to keeping the roads in good repair: *Provided further, That each person licensed to sell vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, under the provisions of this act, may pay the annual license fees herein provided for and any additional tax or license fee now established by law, in twelve monthly instalments. The instalment for the first month shall be paid as now required by law before a license is issued to the applicant, and each subsequent instalment at any time before the be-*

ginning of each succeeding month. Failure to make any of said monthly payments in advance shall terminate said license and all rights therein, and the licensee shall forthwith return the same to the court or authority by which it was issued," is hereby further amended to read as follows:—

Section 8. That all persons licensed to sell at retail any vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, in any house, room or place, hotel, inn, or tavern, shall be classified and required to pay annually for such privilege, as follows: Persons licensed to sell by retail, resident in cities of the first and second classes, shall pay the sum of *five hundred* dollars, and those resident in cities of the third class shall pay the sum of *two hundred and fifty* dollars; those resident in all other cities shall pay *one hundred and fifty* dollars, and those resident in boroughs shall pay *seventy-five* dollars; and those resident in townships shall pay the sum of *forty* dollars, to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties in the following proportion: In cities, boroughs, and townships, one-fifth of the amount of *the* license shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties, and the balance shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective cities, boroughs, and townships for their respective use: Provided, however, That the money thus paid into any township treasury shall be applied to keeping the roads in good repair.

License fees.

Distribution of fees.

Repair of roads.

Section 6. That section eleven of said act, which now reads as follows:—

"Section 11. The constable of the respective wards, boroughs or townships in each county shall, in the first week in each term of the court of quarter sessions, make returns, under oath, of all places in his bailiwick where vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, are kept for sale or sold, except stores kept by druggists and apothecaries, stating which of said places are licensed under this act and which are unlicensed; and it shall be the special duty of the judge of said court to see that this return is faithfully made. And on failure of any constable to comply with this provision, or if it be found upon examination or inquiry by said court that any constable has either wilfully or negligently omitted to return all such houses and the names of the proprietors thereof in his bailiwick, he shall be guilty of wilfully or negligently making a false return, and the court shall suspend him from office, and direct the district attorney to indict and try said officer, and if found guilty he shall be fined in a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars and undergo an imprisonment, either simple or solitary, not exceeding two years, both, or

Section 11, cited for amendment.

either, in the discretion of the court," is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Constables' returns.

Section 11. The constable of the respective wards, boroughs, or townships in each county shall, in the first week in each term of the court of quarter sessions, make returns, under oath, of all places in his bailiwick where vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, or *any intoxicating liquors*, are kept for sale or sold, except stores kept by druggists and apothecaries, stating which of said places are licensed under this act and which are unlicensed; and it shall be the special duty of the judge of said court to see that this return is faithfully made. And, on failure of any constable to comply with this provision, or if it be found upon examination or inquiry by said court that any constable has either wilfully or negligently omitted to return all such houses and the names of the proprietors thereof in his bailiwick, he shall be guilty of wilfully or negligently making a false return, and the court shall suspend him from office, and direct the district attorney to indict and try said officer; and, if found guilty, he shall be fined in a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, and undergo an imprisonment, either simple or solitary, not exceeding two years, both or either, in the discretion of the court.

Failure to make return.

Penalty.

Section 7. That section twelve of said act, which now reads as follows:—

Section 12, cited for amendment.

"Section 12. It shall be the duty of each constable in the county to visit, at least once in each month, all places within their respective jurisdictions, where any of said liquors are sold or kept, to ascertain if any of the provisions of this or any act of Assembly relating to the sale or furnishing of such liquors have been or are being violated, and whenever any of the officers above mentioned shall learn of any such violation, it shall be his duty to forthwith make written returns of the same to the court of quarter sessions, with the names of the witnesses, and to do whatever shall be in his power to bring the offender to justice; and upon any neglect or refusal of any of said officers to perform the aforesaid duty the said court shall impose the same penalties provided in section eleven of this act," is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Visitations by constables.

Section 12. It shall be the duty of each constable in the county to visit, at least once in each month, all places within their respective jurisdictions where any of said liquors are sold or kept to ascertain if any of the provisions of this or any act of Assembly relating to the sale or furnishing of such liquors or *intoxicating liquors* have been or are being violated, and, whenever any of the officers above mentioned shall learn of any such violation, it shall be his duty to forthwith

Returns.

make written returns of the same to the court of quarter sessions, with the names of the witnesses, and to do whatever shall be in his power to bring the offender to justice; and, upon any neglect or refusal of any of said officers to perform the aforesaid duty, the said court shall impose the same penalties provided in section eleven of this act.

Section 8. That section fifteen of said act, which now reads as follows:—

“Section 15. Any person who shall hereafter be convicted of selling or offering for sale any vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, without a license, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than five hundred dollars, nor more than five thousand dollars, and undergo an imprisonment in the county jail of not less than three months nor more than twelve months. Any person having license who shall hereafter be convicted of violating any of the provisions of the license laws shall be subjected to a fine of not less than one hundred, nor more than five hundred dollars, and for any second offense whereof he shall be convicted of not less than three hundred, nor more than one thousand dollars, and for any third offense whereof he shall be convicted a fine of not less than five hundred, nor more than five thousand dollars, and undergo an imprisonment in the county jail not less than three months, or more than twelve months, or both, or either, at the discretion of the court. Any person convicted of more than one offense shall not again be licensed in any city or county of the Commonwealth; and the license of any person permitting the customary visitation of disreputable persons, or keeping a disorderly place, may, upon proof, be at any time revoked by the court, and when thus revoked the same party shall not again be licensed in any city or county of the Commonwealth,” is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Section 15, cited for amendment.

Section 15. Any person who shall hereafter be convicted of selling or offering for sale any vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, without a license, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than two thousand dollars, or undergo imprisonment in the county jail of not more than six months, or both. Any person having license who shall hereafter be convicted of violating any of the provisions of the license laws shall be subjected to a fine of not more than five hundred dollars or to an imprisonment in the county jail of not more than three months, or both. Any person convicted of more than one offense shall not again be licensed in any city or county of the Commonwealth; and the license of any person permitting the customary visitation of disreputable persons or keeping a disorderly place may, upon proof,

Selling without a license.

Penalty.

Violations of law.

Penalty.

Violators not to be licensed.

Revocation of licenses.

be at any time revoked by the court, and, when thus revoked, the same party shall not again be licensed in any city or county of the Commonwealth.

Section 9. That section seventeen of said act, which now reads as follows:—

Section 17, cited for amendment.

“Section 17. That it shall not be lawful for any person with or without license to furnish by sale, gift, or otherwise to any person any spirituous, vinous, malt or brewed liquors, *on any day upon which elections are now or hereafter may be required to be held, nor on Sunday, nor at any time to a minor, or a person of known intemperate habits, or a person visibly affected by intoxicating drink, either for his or her use or for the use of any other person, or to sell or furnish liquors to any person on a pass-book or order on a store, or to receive from any person any goods, wares, merchandise, or provisions in exchange for liquors, shall be held and deemed a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof the offender shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars, and undergo an imprisonment of not less than twenty nor more than ninety days,*” is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Sale, etc., on Sunday.

Section 17. That it shall not be lawful for any person, with or without license, to furnish, by sale, gift, or otherwise, to any person, any spirituous, vinous, malt, or brewed liquors on Sunday, nor at any time to a minor or a person of known intemperate habits or a person visibly affected by intoxicating drink, either for his or her use or for the use of any other person, or to sell or furnish liquors to any person on a pass-book or order on a store, or to receive from any person any goods, wares, merchandise, or other provisions in exchange for liquors. *Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than five hundred dollars, or to undergo an imprisonment of not more than ninety days, or both.*

To minors.

To persons of intemperate habits.

On pass-book or order.

In exchange for merchandise

Misdemeanor.

Penalty.

Section 10. That section eighteen of said act, which now reads as follows:—

Section 18, cited for amendment.

“Section 18. Any house, room or place, hotel, inn or tavern, where vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors are sold, offered for sale, drank or given away in violation of any law of this Commonwealth, shall be held and declared a nuisance and shall be abated by proceedings at law or equity. All expenses connected with such proceedings, including a counsel fee of twenty dollars for the counsel of complainant, shall be paid by defendant or defendants,” is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Places where liquor is illegally sold.

Section 18. Any house, room or place, hotel, inn, or tavern, where vinous, spirituous, malt, or brewed liquors, *or intoxicating liquors,* are sold, offered for

sale, drank, or given away, in violation of any law of this Commonwealth, shall be held and declared a nuisance, and shall be abated by proceedings at law or equity. All expenses connected with such proceedings, including a counsel fee of twenty dollars for the counsel of complainant, shall be paid by defendant or defendants.

Nuisance.
Abatement.

Section 11. That the said act is hereby further amended by adding thereto the following sections:—

Section 20. That from and after the passage of this act, any person who shall manufacture, sell, offer for sale, furnish, transport, import, export, or possess any intoxicating liquor, within the State, for beverage purposes, except as hereinafter provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than five thousand dollars, or undergo an imprisonment of not more than three years, or both, at the discretion of the court.

Sale, etc., of intoxicating liquor for beverage purposes.

Misdemeanor.
Penalty.

Section 21. When proof of the manufacture, sale, offering for sale, furnishing, transportation, possession, exportation, or importation of any intoxicating liquors has been given in evidence, the jury may infer that the same was for beverage purposes, but this inference shall not apply to medicines or anything unfit for beverage purposes or to extracts ordinarily used for culinary purposes. And this act shall not apply to such extracts when intended to be used for flavoring anything which, when so flavored, shall not violate the provisions of this act.

Presumption.

Medicines.

Extracts.

Section 22. It shall not be unlawful to possess intoxicating liquor in one's private dwelling provided such liquor is for use only for the personal consumption of the owner thereof and his family residing in such dwelling and of his bona fide guests when entertained by him therein, which entertainment shall not be deemed an unlawful furnishing. The term "private dwelling" shall be construed, not only in its ordinary sense, but also to include the room or rooms used and occupied, not transiently, but solely, as a residence, in an apartment house, hotel or boarding house.

Liquor in private dwellings.

Apartment houses, hotels, etc.

Section 23. Any premises for which a license is granted under this act shall be subject at all times to inspection, by authority of any judge of the court which has granted such license or of the district attorney of such county, for the purpose of ascertaining whether any intoxicating liquor is kept upon said premises, and any such liquor found thereon may be seized and used as evidence of the violation of this act.

Inspection of premises.

Section 12. Nothing in this act shall affect any case in which it shall appear that the crime therein charged was committed prior to the date of the approv-

Saving clause.

al hereof, but such offenders may be prosecuted and punished as if this act had not been passed.

Licenses now in force.

Section 13. All licenses in force or granted at the time of the approval of this amendment shall remain in force until the expiration of the time for which they were granted, unless revoked by the court for violation of the law, and the instalments therefor shall be payable as heretofore provided by law until the said instalments have aggregated the amount of the license fee fixed by this amendment.

APPROVED—The 5th day of May, A. D. 1921.

WM C. SPROUL.

No. 193.

AN ACT

Authorizing the county commissioners of counties of the second class within this Commonwealth to appropriate and pay out of the treasury of such county a sum not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars for a national conference on city planning that may be held in such county during the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

County commissioners.

Appropriations for national conference on city planning.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the county commissioners of counties of the second class within this Commonwealth may, and are hereby authorized and empowered to, appropriate and pay, out of the treasury of such county, a sum not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars for the entertainment and other general expenses incident thereto of a national conference on city planning that may be held in such county during the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

APPROVED—The 5th day of May, A. D. 1921.

WM. C. SPROUL.

No. 194.

AN ACT

Authorizing the State Forest Commission to exchange or sell certain portions of the State forest land, and providing for the procedure.

State Forest Commission.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That whenever the State Forest Commission shall determine and declare, by a resolution adopted unanimously at a meeting when a majority of its members are present and voting and approved by the Governor, that it will be to the advantage of the State forest interests, said State Forest Commission may, by such resolution so approved, authorize either of the following actions to be taken: