make such [appropriation] appropriations [thereto] as may be necessary; and the said board of health, Report. health officer, or officers, shall, in the month of January of each year, submit a report, in writing, to [councils] council or the township commissioners of its [operations] appropriation and expenditures for the preceding year, together with such other information on subjects relative to the sanitary conditions or requirements of the borough or township as may be necessary, and [councils] council or township commissioners shall publish the same in their official journal.

Section 4. That the said act is hereby amended by Section 9-A added. adding thereto the following section:

Section 9-A. Any borough or first class township may cooperate with the county, or with any city in the county in which such borough or first class township is located, as well as with the State Department of Health, in the administration and enforcement of health laws.

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

JOHN S. FISHER

## No. 124

## AN ACT

To provide for the care and treatment of the indigent insane of the several counties of the Commonwealth, in the State and semi-State hospitals for the insane.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the expense of the care and treatment of the indigent insane, whether chronic or otherwise, in the State and semi-State hospitals for the insane, is hereby fixed at the uniform rate of three dollars per week for each person, including clothing, chargeable to the respective county or nance. poor district from which such insane person shall come, and the excess over said three dollars per week shall be paid by the State; but in no case shall said excess exceed three dollars per week for each indigent insane person.

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

JOHN S. FISHER

## No. 125

## AN ACT

Authorizing boroughs to levy and collect a special tax for the purpose of lighting the streets, highways, and other public places.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the burgess and Boroughs. council, or town council, of each of the several boroughs of this Commonwealth, are authorized to levy

administration health laws.

Cooperation in

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Insane.

Expense of mainte-

Special tax.

For purpose of lighting streets and highways. and collect, in each and every year, when necessary, an annual, special tax, in addition to the taxes now allowed by law to be assessed and collected for the general purposes, not exceeding eight mills on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the borough as ascertained for county purposes.

Section 2. The money so raised and collected shall be used and expended, under the direction and authority of the councils of the several boroughs, for the purpose of lighting and illuminating the streets, highways, and other public places, with electric light, gas light, or other illuminant.

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

JOHN S. FISHER

# No. 126

# AN ACT

To amend sections one, four, and five of an act, approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and forty-one), entitled "An act providing for the protection of the public health and the prevention of fraud and deception by regulating the weighing, testing, buying, and selling of milk and cream; providing for the examination and appointment of certified testers and the issuing of licenses and making of tests; and providing penalties."

Public health.

Section 1 of act of May 6, 1925 (P. L. 541), amended.

Purchase of milk and cream.

Permit.

Proviso.

Fee and filing information for permit. Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of an act, approved the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, five hundred and forty-one), entitled "An act providing for the protection of the public health and the prevention of fraud and deception by regulating the weighing, testing, buying, and selling of milk and cream; providing for the examination and appointment of certified testers and the issuing of licenses and making of tests; and providing penalties," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That every creamory, shipping station, milk factory, cheese factory ice cream factory, or milk condensary, or person receiving, buying, and paying for milk or cream, regardless of the method of settlement, shall be required to hold a permit for each and every place where milk or cream is received by weight or measure: Provided, however, That nothing in this act shall apply to individuals buying milk or cream for private use, or to producers buying milk in emergencies to make up their regular supply, or to hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, railroad dining cars, *retail stores*, or drug stores. The permit shall be issued by the Secretary of Agriculture to such creamery, shipping station, milk factory, cheese factory, ice cream factory, or milk condensary, or