any instrument, now or hereto by law recordable, shall be presented to him, which shall show, by the certificate and seal of the recorder thereon, that such instrument had been previously recorded in the office of the said recorder of deeds, and the record of such instrument in the said office is not available for examination, by reason of the destruction or loss of the book in which it was recorded, or of the destruction in whole or in part of the leaves of the book upon which the instrument was recorded, or by reason of the defacement or obliteration of the record by reason of the fading of ink or other cause, to rerecord such instrument, together with a certificate of the recorder, setting forth the original date of the recording of such instrument and the volume, book, and page of the original record.

Section 2. The new record of such instrument shall have the same force and effect in law and in equity as the original record would have had.

Section 3. The cost of such rerecording shall be certified by the recorder of deeds, and paid out of the county-funds, upon orders drawn by the commissioners on the treasurer of the proper county.

APPROVED—The 21st day of April, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 202

AN ACT

To amend sections five and six of an act, approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and twenty-six), entitled "An act authorizing a State association of township commissioners, and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof by the respective counties."

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section five of an act, approved the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred and twenty-six), entitled "An act authorizing a State association of township commissioners, and providing for the payment of the expenses thereof by the respective counties," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 5. Within thirty days after each annual meeting of the State association the treasurer of the respective county association shall file with the county [treasurer] commissioners an itemized statement, under oath, setting forth where and when the annual meeting of the State association was held, the number of delegates from the respective association in attendance, and the expenditures due from the county association for such annual meeting.

Rerecording of instruments the original record of which is destroyed.

Effect of new record.

Cost of rerecord-

State associations of township commissioners.

Section 5 of act of April 4, 1925 (P. L. 126), amended.

Statement of treasurer.

Section 6 amended.

Payment by county treasurer.

Section 2. That section six of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 6. The county treasurer shall pay to the treasurer of the respective county association, on warrant of the county commissioners, out of the county funds, the amount expended by the county association under the provisions of this act.

APPROVED-The 21st day of April, A. D. 1927

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 203

AN ACT

To repeal an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred), entitled "An act directing the investment of moneys remaining to the credit of the several sinking funds of cities of the second class in loans of said cities, or of the United States, or of the State of Pennsylvania, and repealing all acts inconsistent therewith."

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That an act, approved the thirteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred), entitled "An act directing the investment of moneys remaining to the credit of the several sinking funds of cities of the second class in loans of said cities, or of the United States, or of the State of Pennsylvania, and repealing all acts inconsistent therewith," is hereby repealed.

APPROVED—The 21st day of April, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 204

AN ACT

. To repeal an act, approved the twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred thirty-nine), entitled "An act fixing salaries of county officers in counties containing over one hundred thousand and less than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and requiring the payment of the fees of such officers into the respective county treasuries."

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That an act, approved the twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred thirty-nine), entitled "An act fixing salaries of county officers in counties containing over one hundred thousand and less than one hundred and fifty thousand inhabitants, and requiring the payment of the fees of such officers into the respective county treasuries," is hereby repealed.

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Cities of the second class.

Act of June 13, 1883 (P. L. 100), repealed.

Countles containing over 100,000 and less than 150,000 inhabitants.

Act of June 22, 1883 (P. L. 139), repealed.