in the Department of Public Instruction, there shall be a Bureau of Higher Education, which shall be in charge of a deputy superintendent, and which shall have the responsibility for all matters relating to higher education assigned thereto by law or by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

APPROVED—The 10th day of August, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE

## No. 276

## AN ACT

To amend Article X of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," by further providing for the appointment and removal of supervisors, their qualifications, term of office, duties, salary, and method of filling vacancies.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Penn-

sylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Article X of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," is hereby amended by adding, at the end thereof, the following:

# \*(f) Supervisors.

Section 1084. Number of Supervisors.—In addition to the assistant county superintendents and supervisors of special education herein provided for, there may be appointed the number of additional supervisors as is authorized by the county convention of school directors, in the same manner as is provided in section one thousand fifty-three of the act to which this act is an amendment for the appointment of assistant county superintendents. No additional supervisors shall be appointed unless the secretaries of all districts under the supervision of the county superintendent shall have been notified in writing, forty (40) days prior to the county convention of school directors, that action will be considered to provide such supervisors.

Section 1085. Supervisors' Qualifications; Appointment.—Any person who is certified to teach in the public

"Public School Code of 1949."

Article X, act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, amended by adding, at end thereof, a new subdivision (f).

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;(e)" in original.

schools of the Commonwealth and who is certified by the Department of Public Instruction as a supervisor in accordance with standards prescribed by the State Council of Education shall be eligible for appointment as a supervisor.

Such supervisors shall be appointed by a majority vote of the county board of school directors or, in the case of supervisors employed by more than one county, by a majority vote of the members of the several county boards of the counties served, on the nomination of the county superintendents, to serve for a period to be determined by the county convention of school directors, not to exceed the end of the county superintendent's term of office.

Section 1086. Salaries.—Supervisors shall be paid an annual salary, to be determined by the county convention of school directors. Said salaries shall be paid by the Commonwealth out of the school appropriations apportioned to the school districts under the supervision of the county superintendent, and to the school districts not under his jurisdiction but contracting with the county board of school directors for such services, before the same is distributed.

Section 1087. Duties of Supervisors.—It shall be the duty of supervisors to assist the county superintendent of schools and the boards of school directors served by them in such manner as the county superintendent may direct.

Section 1088. Vacancies; Substitutes.—Any vacancies occurring in the position of supervisor shall be filled by the county superintendent and county board of school directors in like manner as at the beginning of a term. Any substitute required as the result of the granting of any leave of absence to any such supervisor shall be chosen by the county board of school directors on nomination by the county superintendent.

APPROVED-The 10th day of August, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE

#### No. 277

### AN ACT

To repeal the act, approved the twentieth day of May, one thousand eight hundred seventy-one (Pamphlet Laws 1037), entitled "An act to limit the power and authority of the borough authorities of the borough of Emporium, in the county of Cameron, over the streets therein, and to authorize the setting out of shade trees along the streets."