moneys collected by the commission from fees [and] from the sale of its publications and other sales, shall be paid into the State Treasury through the Department of Revenue and credited to a fund to be known as the "Historical Preservation Fund," which is hereby [Except as hereinafter provided, all] All moneys in the fund from time to time are hereby appropriated to the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission for the preservation, care and maintenance of the historical buildings, museums, grounds, monuments, public records and antiquities committed to its custody, for the publication and republication of matters of historical or archeological interest, and for the research and editorial work incidental thereto, and for the purchase of publications, postcards and other souvenirs of an historical nature for sale at the State Museum and at the historical properties administered by the commission, [Whenever the moneys credited to the Historical Preservation Fund during any fiscal biennium exceed the average biennial allocation for the above purposes for the two preceding fiscal bienniums, the excess shall be transferred to the General Fund] and for any other purpose prescribed in section 2801-A of this act.

Approved—The 8th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 643 AN ACT

Amending the act of September 8, 1959 (Act No. 330), entitled 'An act amending the act of June 25, 1947 (P. L. 971), entitled 'An act relating to the annual salaries and compensation of certain county officers of counties of the eighth class,' increasing the annual salaries of certain county officers in counties of the eighth class," clarifying the effective date.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Eighth class counties.

Section 1. Section 3, act of September 8, 1959 (Act No. 330), entitled "An act amending the act of June 25, 1947 (P. L. 971), entitled 'An act relating to the annual salaries and compensation of certain county officers of counties of the eighth class,' increasing the annual salaries of certain county officers in counties of the eighth class," is amended to read:

Section 3, act of September 8, 1959, Act No. 330, amended.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately and Effective date. shall be applicable to all pertinent county officers who shall begin a term of office on or after the first Monday of January, 1960.

APPROVED—The 8th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE