

centum of the total sum of such odd cents, which tax is hereby imposed and shall be paid by the permit holder to the Department of Revenue for credit to the State Harness Racing Fund.

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 16th day of July, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 135

AN ACT

Repealing the act of April 23, 1870 (P. L. 1258), entitled "An act to divide the borough of Bellefonte into three wards."

Borough of Bellefonte.

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

Specific repeal.

Section 1. The act of April 23, 1870 (P. L. 1258), entitled "An act to divide the borough of Bellefonte into three wards," is repealed.

APPROVED—The 16th day of July, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 136

AN ACT

Amending the act of December 22, 1959 (P. L. 1978), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for and regulating harness racing with pari-mutuel wagering on the results thereof; creating the State Harness Racing Commission as an independent administrative commission and defining its powers and duties; providing for the establishment and operation of harness racing plants subject to local option; imposing taxes on revenues of such plants; disposing of all moneys received by the commission and all moneys collected from the taxes; authorizing penalties; and making appropriations," requiring the secretary to keep a docket containing certain information relative to stockholders; providing that when there is a transfer of stock, the agreement pursuant to which stock is held must be in writing; requiring licensees to furnish the commission with lists of shareholders and to notify the commission of transfers of stock; prohibiting stock to be held in trust, except under certain conditions, and forfeiting stock so held to the Commonwealth; prohibiting public officers, public employes and party officers from having an interest in pari-mutuel racing activities; prohibiting the attendance at harness horse race meetings by minors, and requiring the commission to provide by rule for enforcement of certain provisions of the act.