

1795. the river not to be obstructed. 2. Complaints shall be proceeded on by viewers to be appointed by the sessions.]

Passed 13th March, 1795.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 391.

CHAPTER MDCCXCIX.

An ACT to erect Bald-Eagle township, and part of Potter's township, in the county of Mifflin into a separate election district, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

SECT. I. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That Bald-Eagle township, and so much of Potter's township, in the county of Mifflin, as will lie north of a line to be drawn from the house lately occupied by Nathaniel Adams, at the end of Nittany mountain, to the centre between Tussey's mountain and Bald-Eagle ridge, on the Huntingdon county line, be, and the same are hereby erected into a separate election district; and the freemen thereof are hereby authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by Richard Miles, in the town of Milesborough.*

Bald-Eagle and part of Potter's township erected into an election district.

When the freemen of the other part of Potter's township shall elect.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the freemen of Potter's township, in the county of Mifflin, living on the south side of the aforesaid line, shall, and they are hereby authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by William King, in the township of Potter aforesaid, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.*

Passed 13th March, 1795.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 391.

CHAPTER MDCCC.

An ACT to erect the town of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, into a borough.

SECT. 1. [BEDFORD erected into a borough. Boundaries thereof. 2. Of the election of Burgesses, Assistants, High Constable and Town Clerk. 3. The borough incorporated and its powers, 4. Of borough markets and the clerks thereof. 5. The borough to enjoy the same powers as Reading.]

(See vol. 2, page 76.)

Passed 13th March, 1795.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 393.

CHAPTER MDCCCLI.

An ACT to erect the township of the Northern-Liberties of the city of Philadelphia into two districts, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

WHEREAS the increase of population and improvement in the township of the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia,

require that the said township should be divided into two districts, for the purpose of admitting each district to choose one assessor and two inspectors : 1795.

SECT. I. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That Second-street continued from the city of Philadelphia to where the same terminates in the Germantown road, thence by said road to the northern boundary of the township of the Northern-Liberties, shall be the line for dividing the said township into two districts : and all that part of the said township, between the river Delaware and the aforesaid division line, shall be called the eastern district, and the remaining part thereof shall be called the western district of the township of the Northern-Liberties.

The eastern and western district of the Northern-Liberties defined.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That it shall and may be lawful for the electors residing in the township of the Northern-Liberties to meet together in their respective districts, at the time and in manner and form prescribed by law, to choose one assessor and two inspectors for each district respectively, any thing in any law to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

The inhabitants of each district to choose one assessor and two inspectors.

Passed 13th March, 1795.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 395.

CHAPTER MDCCCLII.

An ACT for building a town-house and market-place between Coates'-street and Poplar-lane, on Second-street continued in the Northern-Liberties of the county of Philadelphia, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

WHEREAS the proprietors and owners of the ground between Coates'-street and Poplar-lane, to encourage the improvement of that part of the Northern-Liberties, did leave open, for public use, a piece of ground, of the breadth of twenty feet on each side of Second-street continued, between Coates'-street and Poplar-lane : And whereas a number of freeholders and other inhabitants of the county of Philadelphia, and of the Northern-Liberties thereof, have, by their petition, represented to the Legislature, that they labour under many difficulties by reason of the remote distance they are from any Market-place, that a market established at the place contemplated by the petitioners will be very convenient for the accommodation of the people residing near the same, as well as the citizens who inhabit that part of the Liberties called Kensington, which consists chiefly of ship-builders, and other useful mechanics, and having offered to build by subscription, without any charge to the public, and that after all the costs of the buildings and incidental expenses thereof are paid and satisfied, all the profits and income of the said market shall be appropriated to the benefit of a charity school for the said township of the Northern-Liberties, and praying that the Legislature will pass a law for the purpose.

SECT. I. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That