

with any es- relating to the establishment of the poor-house in the city of
 tablishment Philadelphia, or in any of the counties of the said commonwealth.
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JAMES ENGLE, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the eleventh day of March, one thousand eight
 hundred and nine,

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER XXXII.

*A SUPPLEMENT to an act entitled "An act to provide a more ef-
 fectual method of settling the public accounts of the commissioners
 and treasurers of the respective counties."*

Citizens of the respec- SECTION I. *BE* it enacted by the Senate and House of Represen-
 tive coun- tatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in Ge-
 ties to elect neral Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,
 three audi- That the electors qualified to vote for members of the state leg-
 tors for the is- lature, shall at their respective general elections within the city
 proper coun- of Philadelphia, and the several counties of this state, on the sec-
 ty. ond Tuesday in October, one thousand eight hundred and nine,
 Judges of the quarter and annually thereafter, elect three respectable citizens to be au-
 sessions to ditors of the proper county; and if any auditor or auditors shall
 supply va- die, remove from the county, or decline to serve in said office,
 cancies. the judges of the court of quarter sessions for such county, shall
 appoint a suitable citizen or citizens to fill the vacancy.

Auditors to meet on the first Monday of January, annually, may hold ad- journed meet- ings. Allowed one dollar thirty-three cents per day. Return judges to make out a return of the persons elected, to be deposited with the prothonotary, who is to give ten days notice to the auditors of their annual meeting.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*
 That the auditors of each and every county shall meet on the
 first Monday of January in every year, and at such other times
 to which they may adjourn at the commissioners' office, within
 their respective counties, for the purpose of settling and adjust-
 ing the accounts of the preceding year, agreeably to the act to
 which this is a supplement.

SECT. III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*
 That each of the auditors shall be allowed out of the county
 stock, the sum of one dollar and thirty-three cents and no more
 for every day's attendance on the duties of his office.

SECT. IV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*
 That it shall be the duty of the return judges of the several coun-
 ties of this commonwealth, when met at their respective court
 houses, to make out a return of the persons elected for auditors,
 which return shall be by one of the judges deposited with the protho-
 notary of the proper county, and it shall be the duty of the said
 prothonotary, to inform the auditors of the time of their meet-
 ing annually, at least ten days previous thereto.

SECT. V. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*

That so much of any law as is by this act altered or supplied, shall be, and the same is hereby repealed.

JAMES ENGLE, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the sixteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and nine.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

An ACT to incorporate the Farmers and Mechanics' Bank.

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 all those persons who at the time of the passing of this act, are members of the association called "The President and Directors of the Farmers and Mechanics' Bank, in the city of Philadelphia," and the proprietors of the capital stock thereof, shall be, and they and their successors and assigns are hereby created and made a corporation and body politic, by the name and style of "The Farmers and Mechanics' Bank," and by the same name shall have continued succession, and shall be able to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, in all courts of record and elsewhere, and to purchase, have, hold, receive, possess, enjoy and retain, to them and their successors, lands, tenements, hereditaments, rents, goods, chattels and effects of whatsoever kind, nature or quality, to an amount not exceeding in the whole, one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, including the capital stock of said company, except such as may be held by said company in security for debts, and the same from time to time, sell, grant, demise, alien or dispose of; to make and have a common seal, and the same to alter or renew at their pleasure; to make by-laws not contrary to the constitution and laws of the United States, or of this state, and generally to have and be invested with the duties, powers, rights and privileges which by the laws of this commonwealth belong to corporations.

The members and the President and Directors of the Farmers' and Mechanics' bank, incorporated. Their style and title. Privileges and franchises.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*

That the joint stock, and all the goods, chattels, monies, debts, and other property, real or personal, now belonging or due and payable, or to become due and payable to or held in trust for the said association, shall be, and the same are hereby respectively transferred to, and vested in the corporation hereby created, and all contracts made with the said association or with any person or persons for their use, shall inure and operate to the benefit of, and be performed to and with the said corporation, and the said

Property of the members of the association transferred to the corporation. And all contracts, &c. to inure as aforesaid.