SECT. II And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, An academy es. That there shall be and hereby is established in the county of chester county. Chester, an academy or public school for the education of youth in the English and other languages, the useful arts, sciences and literature, by the name, style and title of, "The style and title of, Chester county academy," under the direction and government of eight trustees, viz. The Reverend Nathan Greer, Trustees ap-Reverend William Latta, James Steele, John W. Cunningham, John Boyd, Park Shee, Jesse John, and James Alexander, and the first meeting of said trustees shall be at Mar-First meeting of

shallton on the second Monday in August next.

endowing the same.

SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority afore- 2000 dollars apsaid. That the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby appro- said academy. priated for the benefit of said academy, which money shall be applied, and the successors of said trustees elected in the Election of succeeding trustees same manner and subject to the same duties and shall possess and their duties. the same power as is directed in the act establishing an acade. my in the county of Adams; Provided nevertheless, That no No part of the part of the monies aforesaid shall be paid by the state treation to be paid surer unless the trustees of said academy for the time because subscribed, ing shall give satisfactory assurances to the said treasurer, &c.

· IOHN WEBER, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

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that one thousand dollars are actually by public subscription or otherwise secured to be paid to the said trustees for the purpose of erecting suitable buildings for said academy and

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CHAPTER XCVII.

A SUPPLEMENT to the act entitled, " An act to incorporate that part of the township of the Northern Liberties lying between the west side of Sixth-street and the river Delaware, and between Vine-street and the Cobocksink creek," passed the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand eight bundred and three.

SECT. 1. 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 from Commissioners and after the passing of this act the commissioners and of a certain part of the Northern inhabitants of that part of the township of the Northern Liberties lying between the west side of sixth-street and the a watch, &c.

river Delaware, and between Vine-street and the Cohocksink creek, shall have full power and authority to establish a nightly watch, and to fix so many lamps within their corporate bounds as from the present state and future improvement of the district may in their discretion appear necessary and proper; to connect and arrange the streets, lanes and alleys, now lighted and watched, and which may hereafter be lighted and watched, into one or more districts for the more convenient watching thereof, from time to time, as to them may appear adviseable and proper, and all the necessary expenses shall be defrayed by an assessment agreeably to the county rates and levies; Provided always, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to authorize the commissioners to connect any district with the districts heretofore established until the lamps, watch houses, implements, and other necessaries are completely fixed and procured, at the proper cost and expense of the inhabitants residing or holding property in such district so to be attached to or connected with any district before established, so that all the districts, streets, lanes and alleys are placed on the same footing in all respects, as near as may be

Expenses of, how paid.

Proviso.

Assessments

SECT. II And be it further enacted by the authority aforehow to be made. said. That the commissioners aforesaid shall have full power and authority to lay yearly and every year, any rate and assessment not exceeding forty cents in every hundred dollars of the clear value of all the estate, real and personal, within their corporate bounds, and a proportionable personal tax on the free, male, white inhabitants, residing therein, for the purpose of defraying the expense set forth in the twentyeighth section of the act to which this is a supplement, any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

before such connection shall or may take place.

Bounds of said commissioners

Proviso:

SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the board of commissioners aforesaid shall have the same power and jurisdiction on the west side of sixthstreet, between Vine-street and Cohocksink creek, and the inhabitants residing or holding property thereon, shall be entitled to the same privileges as if the west side of said street was originally included in the corporate bounds; Provided algrays, That if Penn township shall hereafter be incorporated, and the west side of sixth street included therein, the jurisdiction of the board of commissioners of the incorporated part of the Northern Liberties together with the privileges hereby Eurther proviso, granted, shall cease and determine; Provided also, That after the jurisdiction of the commissioners of the incorporated part of the Northern Liberties shall cease and determine on the west side of Sixth street, the inhabitants of the incorporated part of the Northern Liberties shall not be liable for any expense that may incur beyond the middle of sixth street, but

that all expenses that may be incurred on said street shall be defrayed at the joint expenses of the two corporations.

SECT. IV. And be it further enacted by the authority afore- But one supervisiaid, That from and after the passing of this act, the inhabi-hereafter in the tants of the township of the Northern Liberties shall elect but Northern Liberone supervisor of the public highways, and the said supervisor of the aforesaid township shall pay annually into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation, one half of the monies by him collected for the repairs of the public highways, which how monies colsum shall be appropriated by the before mentioned commis-letted by him to be paid over, sioners for the purpose of repairing and cleansing the streets and appropriated. within the district aforesaid, and paving the intersections thereof; And provided, That the duties of the supervisor of the west part of the township aforesaid, shall cease and determine after the passing of this act.

SECT. V. And be it further enacted by the authority afore- Said commissaid, That the said commissioners shall have full power and missioners authorized upon authority, and they are hereby directed upon the application of application, to establish further a majority of the inhabitants residing in any street, lane, or watch, lamps, alley, to establish lamps and a nightly watch; and upon like application of a majority of the freeholders, they shall have full power and authority to pitch and pave any such street, lane, or alley within the said district.

SECT. vi. And be it further enacted by the authority afore- Part of the original. That so much of the act to which this is a supplement, "allaw repealed." as is altered or supplied by this act, be, and the same is hereby repealed; Provided always, That nothing herein contained Proviso. shall be construed to prevent the recovery of any tax or forfeitures, or other monies incurred or justly due, but that all such monies shall and may be recoverable as though this act had not been passed.

JOHN WEBER, Speaker of the House of Representatives. P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the thirtieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eleven.

SIMON SNYDER.