

When the bridge shall become toll free.

How the value of the bridge to be ascertained.

And H. Conrad compensated,

Refusal of H. Conrad to choose commissioners. Not to affect the proceedings.

Who may pass toll free.

SECT. IV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That whenever the court of quarter sessions, and grand jury, in concurrence with the commissioners of said county, shall think proper that the said bridge should become free, then the commissioners of the said county, together with the court, shall choose four judicious persons, three of whom shall be chosen by the commissioners, and one by the court, together with three other such persons to be chosen by the said Henry Conrad, his heirs or assigns; and the persons so chosen as aforesaid, shall proceed to estimate the value of the said bridge, and the sum agreed on by a majority of them, shall be reported to the next court of quarter sessions; and if the court approve the same, the said commissioners shall draw a warrant in favour of said Henry Conrad, his heirs or assigns, on the treasury of the said county for the amount of the said sum, and on payment or tender thereof, the said bridge shall be free; but if the said Henry Conrad, his heirs or assigns, shall at any time, on reasonable notice, refuse or neglect to choose three persons in the manner herein before mentioned, the said commissioners may proceed with the persons by them and the court so appointed, *ex parte*, in making the valuation, and the same proceedings shall be thereupon had as if the said Henry Conrad, his heirs or assigns, had chosen the persons in the manner herein before mentioned.

SECT. V. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That all persons attending divine worship, or funerals, military training, and township or general elections, shall have liberty at any time to pass and re-pass over said bridge toll free.

JOHN TOD, *Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

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

APPROVED—the thirtieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CXXXVII.

*An ACT to erect several new election districts within this commonwealth, and to change the places of holding the general elections of several existing election districts.*

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 the electors of the several election districts hereinafter mentioned, shall hold their general elections within the said districts at the following places, *to wit*, the electors of the district composed of Fairfield township, and a part of Fallowfield township, in Crawford county, shall hold their general elections at

Election district.

In Crawford county.

the house now occupied by Alexander Dunn, in Fairfield township; the electors of the district of Nescopeck township, in Luzerne county, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Christian Ash, at the mouth of Wopehawley creek; the electors of the district composed of Bensalim township, in Bucks county, shall hold their general elections at the Indian Queen tavern, now occupied by Daniel Lurrew; the electors of the district composed of Upper Smithfield township, in Wayne county, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by George Buchanan, in the town of Milford.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That North Huntingdon township, in Westmoreland county, shall be a separate election district, and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house where Joseph Byerley formerly lived, and now belonging to Andrew Byerley, in said township.

SECT. III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That Bloom township, in the county of Northumberland, shall be a separate election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Casper Cristman, in Bloomsburg.

SECT. IV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That Hemlock township, in the county of Northumberland, shall be a separate election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by William M'Brice, in said township.

SECT. V. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That Plainfield township, in Northampton county, shall be a separate election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Frederick Wolle, innkeeper, in Jacobsburg, in said township.

SECT. VI. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the township of Donegall, in the county of Butler, shall be a separate election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Rudolph Barnhart, in said township.

SECT. VII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the township of Jenner, in Somerset county, shall be a separate election district; and the electors thereof, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by John Dennison.

SECT. VIII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the electors of Conemaugh township, in Somerset county, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by James Mitchell.

SECT. IX. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That all that part of Stony creek, and Quemahoning town-

ships, in Somerset county, lying east of Stony creek, and north of the Pennsylvania road, beginning at the mouth of Jemison's Breastwork run; thence down Stony creek to the mouth of Point creek; thence along the Cambria county line to the summit of the Allegheny mountain, where it strikes the division line of Bedford and Somerset counties; thence along said line to the Pennsylvania road; thence along said road to a run crossing the same, east of the house now occupied by Frederick Cramer; thence in a straight line to Brolier's mill on Jemison's Breastwork run; thence down said run to the place of beginning, shall be a separate election district, to be called Shade district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Peter Miller.

**Bucks.** SECT. X. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That Northampton township, in Bucks county, shall be a separate election district, and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Philip Sager.

**Berks.** SECT. XI. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the following described part of Berks county, shall be a separate election district, beginning at the foot of the Blue mountain where the division line takes place, between the townships of Bethel and Tulpehocken; thence along said line to where it intersects the road which leads from Dictor Snyder's, to John Seaman's; thence along said road to the place where it intersects the great road, leading from Rohrsburg to Reading; thence along said road to the house of John Patierger, jun. on the North Kill creek; thence along said creek to the place where it empties into the Tulpehocken creek; thence down said creek to the house of George Riegel; thence along the present district line to the house of Jacob Runkle, sen.; thence a straight line to the house of John Backenstos; thence in a straight line to the house of Michael Nunnemacker; thence to a church known by the name of Michael's church; and from thence to the house of John Marshall, at the foot of the Blue mountain; thence to the county line between the counties of Berks and Schuylkill; thence along said division line to the place of beginning; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by George Shartel, in Bern township.

**Berks.** SECT. XII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the following described part of Berks county, shall be a separate election district, beginning at the swamp road on the line of Montgomery county, and extending thence along the said road by Pependichen, to Jacob Koch's and George Long's, through the townships of Colebrookdele and Earl, where it will intersect the line of Oley township, near Fred-

erick Spang's forge ; thence along the said line dividing the said township of Oley and Earl, to the line dividing the townships of Earl and Amity ; thence along the said line to Manatawny creek ; thence down the said creek to where it intersects the line of Montgomery county ; thence along the said line to the place of beginning ; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Henry Keely.

SECT. XIII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Potter. That Ulalia township, in the provisional county of Potter, shall be a separate election district ; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Isaac Lyman, in said township.

SECT. XIV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Allegheny. That the following described parts of the borough of Pittsburgh and Pitt township, in the county of Allegheny, shall be a separate election district, to wit, beginning at the Monongahela river on the east side of Wood-street, in the said borough, and running thence by the east side of Wood-street, to the east side of Liberty-street ; thence by the same to the east side of Washington-street, being the borough line ; thence by the same to the Allegheny river ; thence up the said river to the mouth of the Two Mile run ; thence up the said run by Roup's mill to Henry Fulton's farm-house ; thence a straight line to William Knox's farm-house, on the Four Mile run, including the two last mentioned places ; thence down the said Four Mile run to the Monongahela river ; thence down the same to the place of beginning ; and the electors of said district shall hold their general elections at the court-house in the said borough of Pittsburgh.

SECT. XV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Washington. That the citizens inhabitants of that part of the township of Hopewell, in the county of Washington, who are included in the Washington election district, be, and they hereby are attached to what is called Uries district, in said county ; and they are hereafter required to meet with the other citizens of said township, for the purpose of voting at any general or annual election, at the place appointed by law within the said district.

SECT. XVI. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Berks. That the electors residing within that part of Long swamp township, in Berks county, lying between Hereford township, and a line to be drawn from District township, past, and including Jacob Corle, Theobald Corle, Michael Treas, Christian Ritz, John Frederick, and John Onnar, until it strikes the Northampton county line, be and they are hereby directed to hold their general elections at the house now occupied by George Hoof, in Hereford township.

- Berks.      **SECT. XVII.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the electors residing within that part of District township, in the county of Berks, lying between Long swamp township, and a line to be drawn from Hereford township, past, and including Adam Bardman, David Johnson, George Weyand, and old district furnace, until it strikes the line of Rockland township, be, and they are hereby authorized to hold their general elections at the house now occupied by George Hoof, in Hereford township.
- Erie.      **SECT. XVIII.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the electors of the ninth election district, in the county of Erie, who have heretofore held their general elections at the house of Timothy Tuttle, shall hereafter hold their general elections at the school-house in the town of Greenfield.
- Susquehanna. **SECT. XIX.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the following described part of the township of Bridgewater, in the county of Susquehanna, shall be a separate election district, beginning on the north line of said township, by a line to be drawn due east from the western line of Bridgewater township, crossing the north and south road, at the intersection of the roads between the houses of Zebulon Dean and Thomas Crocker, to a point due south from the south west corner of New Milford township, thence north to the south west corner of said township; thence east along the south line of said township, to the line dividing the townships of Bridgewater and Harford, and to include all that part of Bridgewater district, lying to the southward of said boundary; and the electors shall hold their elections at the house now occupied by Thomas Park, in said district.
- Beaver.      **SECT. XX.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the township of New Sewickly, in the county of Beaver, shall be a separate election district, and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Stanton Shoals.
- Wayne.      **SECT. XXI.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the electors residing within the bounds of the third election district, in the county of Wayne, shall hereafter hold their general elections at the house of George Buchanan, in the town of Milford.
- Lancaster.      **SECT. XXII.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the township of Little Britain, in the county of Lancaster, shall be erected into a separate election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Robert Campbell.
- Indiana.      **SECT. XXIII.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
That the electors of Black lick township, Indiana county, shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Amos Lawrence, in said township.

SECT. XXIV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Northamp-  
 That that part of Hanover township, formerly in Northamp- ton.  
 ton county, included within the limits of Lehigh county, be,  
 and the same is hereby attached to the second election dis-  
 trict; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elec-  
 tions at the house now occupied by George Savitz, in the bo-  
 rough of Northampton.

SECT. XXV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* M<sup>c</sup>Kean.  
 That the provisional county of M<sup>c</sup>Kean, shall be an election  
 district: and the electors thereof shall hold their general  
 elections at the house of James Hitt, in Ceres township, in  
 said county.

SECT. XXVI. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Centre.  
 That the electors of Miles township, in the county of Cen-  
 tre, shall hereafter hold their general elections at the house  
 now occupied by Godfrey Harloff, in the town of Resersburg,  
 in the said township.

SECT. XXVII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Northamp-  
 That the township of Lausanne, in the county of Northamp- ton.  
 ton, shall be annexed to the election district, composed of  
 Toamensing, and East Penn; and the electors thereof shall  
 hold their general elections at the house now occupied by  
 John Klutz, in Lehigh town, in East Penn township.

SECT. XXVIII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* Same.  
 That Bethlehem township, in the county of Northampton,  
 and that part of Hanover, not included in the bounds of Le-  
 high county, shall be a separate election district; and the  
 electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house  
 of George Butz, in Bethlehem township.

JOHN TOD, *Speaker*  
*of the House of Representatives.*

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

APPROVED—the thirtieth day of March, one thousand eight  
 hundred and twelve.

SIMON SNYDER.

## CHAPTER CXXXVIII.

*An ACT in aid of the Centre turnpike road.*

SECT. I. *BE it enacted by the senate and house of represen-*  
*tatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general assembly*  
*met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That  
 after the first day of August next, the governor be, and he is  
 hereby authorized to subscribe on behalf of this common-  
 wealth, for three hundred shares of the stock of the Centre  
 turnpike road, leading from Reading to Sunbury, in addition  
 to the six hundred shares heretofore subscribed in the stock  
 300 shares of  
 stock to be  
 subscribed  
 for.