

election, duly held, for or against such consolidation, and the result shall be decreed by the court.

Decree.

Section 2. This act shall apply to all proceedings pending in courts of quarter sessions for the consolidation of cities at the time this act becomes effective.

Act to apply to pending proceedings.

Section 3. This act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

When effective.

APPROVED—The 9th day of May, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 73

AN ACT

Authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Governor, to sell and convey a certain plot of land.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Governor, is hereby authorized and empowered to sell and convey, for such price as may be agreed upon, a certain plot of land approximately fifty by one hundred feet, located one and one-half miles north of Willow Grove, along the Fitz Watertown Road, State Highway Route No. 155, Upper Moreland Township, Montgomery County, title to which plot of ground is in the Commonwealth, and to make and execute a deed in the name of the Commonwealth to the purchaser thereof. The moneys received, as the purchase price of said property, shall be paid into the General Fund.

Department of Property and Supplies.

Section 2. This act shall become effective immediately upon its final enactment.

When effective.

APPROVED—The 15th day of May, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 74

AN ACT

To amend section five of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred thirty-seven), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the conduct and operation of public eating and drinking places within this Commonwealth; imposing certain duties on the Department of Health of this Commonwealth and on the local health authorities; and providing penalties," providing that dishes, glasses, and other receptacles used in eating and drinking, may be cleansed with any suitable cleansing reagent.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section five of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws,

Section 5, act of April 27, 1927 (P. L. 437), amended.

four hundred thirty-seven), entitled "An act for the protection of the public health by regulating the conduct and operation of public eating and drinking places within this Commonwealth; imposing certain duties on the Department of Health of this Commonwealth and on the local health authorities; and providing penalties," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Use of towels, napkins, dishes or utensils.

Section 5. No proprietor shall furnish any towel or napkin to any patron of a public eating or drinking place, unless such towel or napkin be laundered or discarded after each individual use thereof, nor shall there be furnished to the patrons of such eating or drinking places, any dish, glass, or other receptacle, or utensil used in eating or drinking, which has not been thoroughly cleansed with hot water and soap, or *other suitable cleansing reagent* since it was used by another individual, or destroyed or discarded after each individual use.

When effective.

Section 2. This act shall become effective immediately upon its final enactment.

APPROVED—The 15th day of May, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 75

AN ACT

Providing for the abatement, under certain circumstances, of tax penalties and interest on certain city taxes in cities of the first class, and on certain school taxes in school districts of the first class.

Cities of the first class, and school districts of the first class.

Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes may be abated.

Requirements to be complied with, in order to receive the benefits of the act.

In case of default by the taxpayer.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That all penalties and interest, imposed on delinquent city or school taxes in cities of the first class, and in school districts of the first class, for the tax year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and for all previous tax years, and the penalties imposed on such taxes for the tax year of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-four, shall be abated by the council of such city or by the board of public education of such school district, as the case may be, if the following provisions are complied with:

(a) That all of the said respective delinquent taxes are paid in four equal semi-annual instalments, beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five, and that

(b) The respective current taxes, for the years during such instalment period, shall be paid before they become delinquent.

Section 2. In case any taxpayer shall default in the payment of any instalment of taxes or in the payment of current taxes, as required in section one of this act,