sociate judges shall be commissioned in any respective county hereafter to be organised, and if a vacad, in future, cancy shall happen in the office of associate to three. judge in any county within this commonwealth, by death, resignation or otherwise, the number of the judges in the said county where such vacancy shall happen shall be reduced, and there shall be no more than three associate judges in the said county, and the office so become vacant shall henceforth be abolished.

SIMON SNYDER, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ROBERT WHITEHILL, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED-April the first, 1803:

THOMAS M'KEAN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

## CHAPTER CLXIX.

An ACT for altering the place of holding elections in the fifth district, in the county of Lancaster.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the legislature, by petition from the inhabitants of part of Cocalico and Elizabeth townships, which composes the fifth district in the county of Lancaster, that the place of holding their elections is uncentral and inconvenient:

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Section 1. Be it therefore 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; Place of hold. That the citizens of the fifth district in the county of Lancaster, shall from and after the passing of this act, hold tacir general elections at the house now occupied by Nathaniel Lightner, in the township of Cocalico in the district aforesaid, any thing to the contrary thereof in any former law notwithstanding.

ing elections in the fifth district, Lancaster county.

tizens of a part of Warwick township are to hold their general elections.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted by the au-Where the ci- thority aforesaid, That the citizens of that part of the township of Warwick, in the county of Lancaster, beginning at the township line at a bridge on Forge creek, where the same intersects or crosses the old Paxton road; thence extending down the said creek to Christian Stauffer's mill; along the road leading from said mill to Lancaster, till the same strikes Moravian creek, commonly so called; thence down the said creek to John Plauts's mill; thence along the road called Pfauts's new Lancaster road to the place where the same intersects the township line; thence along the said line to Conestogoe creek, and up the same and Cocalico and Middle creek; and the said Paxton road, being the township line continued to the first mentioned creek and place of beginning, shall from and after the passing of this act, hold their general elections at the house now occupied by Nathaniel Lightner, in the fifth election district, in the township of Cocalico, in the county aforesaid, any thing to the contrary thereof in any former law notwithstanding,

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Sec. 3. And be it further enacted by the carthority aforesaid, That the citizens of that Part of the
part of the fifth election district in the count to the ninth
ty of Lancaster, beginning at Miller's tavern district,
and extending along a public road to Cocalico creek near Ephrata mill, and from thence
down the said creek to the line of Earl township, shall be annexed to the ninth election
district, and hold their elections at the house and place of
now occupied by Jacob Stahley, in Reamstown, in the township of Cocalico, any thing
to the contrary thereof in any former law
notwithstanding.

SIMON SNYDER, Speaker
of the House of Representatives.
ROBERT WHITEHILL, Speaker
of the Senate.

Approved—April the first, 1803:

THOMAS M'KEAN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

## CHAPTER CLXX.

An ACT authorising the Judges of the court of common pleas of Northampton county, to hold two additional courts annually, in the said county.

Section 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 the judges of the Two additionations of common pleas in the county of common pleas Northampton, shall be authorised and require to be held and the county of the county of the county of the mon Northampton, mon Northampton,