

Number of vestrymen to form a quorum.

require the presence or concurrence of a certain number of the vestrymen to render valid acts done by them, such number, until fixed by a future by-law, shall be in the proportion which the number of vestrymen fixed by this act bears to the number of the vestrymen at the period the by-law so requiring a specific number was passed.

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

WM. G. HAWKINS,  
*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The thirteenth day of January, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

GEO. WOLF.



## No. 14.

### AN ACT

Relating to the minister, trustees, elders and deacons, of the German Reformed congregation in the city of Philadelphia "in the province of Pennsylvania."

Preamble.

WHEREAS Thomas Penn and Richard Penn, proprietors of the province of Pennsylvania, by letters patent, signed by John Penn, lieutenant governor of said province, under the great seal thereof, on the twenty-fifth day of September, Anno Domini, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-five, incorporated or granted chartered rights to the German Reformed congregation in the city of Philadelphia, under the name, style and title of "the minister, trustees, elders and deacons of the German Reformed congregation in the city of Philadelphia, in the province of Pennsylvania;" *And whereas*, the minister, by said charter, is unnecessarily connected with the management of the temporal concerns of said church: Therefore,

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 the minister of the church, for the time being, shall not be a member of the corporation, nor entitled to a seat or vote therein, and the said corporation shall hereafter consist of fifteen members, to be elected in the manner and at the time specified in the original charter, but no person shall be elected to any of the said offices in said corporation,

Exclusion of minister from corporation

Election of members

unless he shall have been a member of the congregation six years preceding the time of his election and paid for a pew or sitting in said church during that period.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the said corporation shall hereafter be known by the name, style and title of "the trustees, elders and deacons of the German Reformed congregation in the city of Philadelphia, in the state of Pennsylvania," and by the said name shall have, hold and enjoy all lands, tenements and hereditaments, grants, bequests or gifts, whatsoever, now holden, or to which the said corporation under the title of "the minister, trustees, elders and deacons of the German Reformed congregation of the city of Philadelphia, in the province of Pennsylvania," would be entitled to hold.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That so much of the said letters patent so granted as aforesaid, as are hereby altered or supplied, be and the same hereby are repealed.

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

WM. G. HAWKINS,  
*Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—The twenty-first day of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

GEO. WOLF.

## No. 15.

### AN ACT

To open and improve part of a state road from Samuel Hill's, in Greene county, Pennsylvania, to Middlebourne, Virginia.

WHEREAS the legislature of Virginia, at their last session, appropriated five thousand dollars to open and improve the state road aforesaid, on the Virginia side, on condition that an appropriation should be made for completing that part which lies within the state of Pennsylvania: Therefore,

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 the sum of two thousand, five hundred dollars, be and the same is hereby appropriated to be paid to David

Preamble.

\$2,500 appropriated to Greene co. portion of road.