

Elections.

Notice of election to be given to each officer by secretary.

SECTION 3. All elections that shall be holden in pursuance of this law, shall be conducted by three members of the said corporation, who shall be appointed inspectors at the same time and place where the trustees are chosen, as aforesaid, by the electors then assembled, in such manner as shall be agreed upon by the said electors; and the said inspectors so chosen shall appoint one or more persons as their clerk or clerks, to perform such duties as the nature of the case may require.

SECTION 4. When such election so had, as aforesaid, shall be closed, and the number of votes for each person shall have been ascertained, the inspectors of said election, or a majority of them, shall thereupon make out, under their respective hands, a return thereof, with the names of the officers elect, and shall deliver said returns to the secretary of said corporation, who shall within three days thereafter, give notice in writing to each of the officers so elected, of their respective elections.

Powers of trustees.

Proviso.

SECTION 5. The said trustees and their successors in office shall have power to enact and enforce such by-laws and ordinances as may be proper and necessary for the regulation and transaction of the business of the corporation: *Provided*, That said by-laws and ordinances shall not be inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this state, or of the United States, and that the same be approved by a majority of the members of the corporation, at any annual or special meeting called by the trustees for that purpose; and that the by-laws and ordinances of the said corporation shall be fairly entered and registered by the secretary, in a book to be provided for that purpose, signed by the president and attested by the secretary, which book and other records of the corporation shall be open to the inspection of any member of the corporation, at all reasonable hours, on application to the secretary.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

GEORGE DARSIE,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

WM. F. JOHNSTON.

No. 207.

AN ACT

To annul the marriage contract between Justus Osborn, and Parthenia, his wife.

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 marriage contract entered into between Justus Osborn of Erie county,

and Parthenia Osborn, his wife, late Parthenia Milks, be and the same is hereby annulled and made void, and the parties released and discharged from said contract, and from all duties and obligations arising therefrom, as fully, effectually and absolutely, as if they never had been joined in marriage.

WILLIAM F. PACKER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

GEORGE DARSIE,
Speaker of the Senate.

We do certify, that the bill, entitled "An Act to annul the marriage contract between Justus Osborn and Parthenia, his wife," was presented to the Governor on the twentieth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, and was not returned within ten days (Sundays excepted) after it had been presented to him; wherefore, it has, agreeably to the constitution of this commonwealth, become a law in like manner as if he had signed it.

WILLIAM JACK,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

SAMUEL W. PEARSON,
Clerk of the Senate.

HARRISBURG, March 6, 1849.

No. 208.

AN ACT

Authorizing the trustees of the New School Presbyterian congregation of Hublersburg, Centre county, to sell certain real estate, and the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church, Clarksville, Mercer county, to sell certain real estate.

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* Harrison Clevensine and Samuel D. M'Kean, trustees of the New School Presbyterian congregation of Hublersburg, Centre county, or their successors in office, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to sell at public or private sale, and execute a deed in fee simple to the purchaser, a lot of land containing one acre, situate near Snyder's place, in Walker township, Centre county, being the same lot originally purchased by said congregation, for the purpose of erecting a church thereon, which design has been since changed, and the church erected in another place: *Provided always, That the proceeds of said sale be appropriated exclusively to the use of the said congregation.*

SECTION 2. That Morris Leech, John Wilson, James S. Moore, Isaac Hagen, John Hays and James Montgomery, trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church at Clarksville, Mercer county, and their successors in office, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby