

safe and passable condition; and they are hereby authorized to pay for the cost of such maintenance out of such funds as are available for the maintenance of the highways in their charge. It shall also be the duty of such authorities to immediately remove all detour signs when the highway originally closed is again opened for traffic.

Reopening.

APPROVED—The 17th day of May, A. D. 1921.

WM. C. SPROUL.

No. 319.

AN ACT

To amend section three of an act, approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred seventy-one), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection, and equipment, and the maintenance of children admitted therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admissions to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools."

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section three of the act, approved the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred seventy-one), entitled "An act providing for the erection of the Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School; the purchase of land and the erection and equipment of the building and buildings necessary therefor; making appropriations for such purposes, erection and equipment, and the maintenance of children admitted therein, placing the care of the same in the commission now known as the Commission of Soldiers' Orphan Schools of the State of Pennsylvania, and regulating the admission to the said Pennsylvania Soldiers Orphans' Industrial School and the said Soldiers' Orphan Schools," is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

In addition to the members herein already provided for, the Governor shall appoint three additional members of said commission, one of whom shall be an honorably discharged soldier, sailor, or marine of the Spanish-American War, and two of whom shall be honorably discharged soldiers, sailors, or marines of the war with Germany and her allies. They shall serve for terms of two years each, beginning on the first Wednesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and their successors shall be appointed biannually thereafter for the same term. In case of vacancies in

Commission of
Soldiers' Orphan
Schools.

Act of May 27,
1893 (P. L. 171),
amended.

Additional mem-
bers.
Appointment.

Soldier, sailor,
or marine.

Term.

Vacancies.

said appointments, the Governor shall have power to fill the same for the unexpired portion of the term.

APPROVED—The 17th day of May, A. D. 1921.

WM. C. SPROUL.

No. 320.

AN ACT

To amend an act, approved the eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-four), entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in case of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully"; extending the provisions of said act to suits brought after the passage of said act and prior to the passage of this amendment.

Practice.
Workmen's Compensation Board.

Act of July 8,
1919 (P. L. 764),
amended.

Section 1, cited
for amendment.

Actions heretofore
brought in com-
mon pleas.

May be certified
to Workmen's Com-
pensation Board.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section one of the act, approved the eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-four), entitled "An act authorizing suits brought to recover in case of accidents in this Commonwealth in courts of common pleas to be certified to the Workmen's Compensation Board when discovered that the suit has been brought wrongfully," which reads as follows:—

"Section 1. Be it enacted &c., That whenever *heretofore* in case of any accident, suit has been wrongfully brought in the court of common pleas in any of the counties of this Commonwealth, and proceedings should have been commenced before the Workmen's Compensation Board, it shall be lawful and upon request of either of the parties to the suit the prothonotary of the said court shall certify the same, including all the proceedings had before said court, to the said Workmen's Compensation Board; the said board to proceed and hear the case in the same manner as if it had been originally commenced before the Workmen's Compensation Board," is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That whenever, *before the passage of this amendment*, in case of any accident, suit has been wrongfully brought in the court of common pleas in any of the counties of this Commonwealth, and proceedings should have been commenced before the Workmen's Compensation Board, it shall be lawful and upon request of either of the parties to the suit the prothonotary of the said court shall certify the same, including all the proceedings had before said court, to the said Workmen's Compensation Board; the said board to proceed and hear the case in the same manner as if it had been originally commenced before the Workmen's Compensation Board.