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CHAPTER MCCLXXXVII.

An ACT to incorporate and endow the Academy of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the city of Philadelphia.

Passed 29th March, 1787.—Private Act.—Recorded in Law Book No. III. page 221.

CHAPTER MCCLXXXIX.

An ACT to establish a public ferry over the river Schuylkill near Spring Mill, in the county of Montgomery, and vesting the right in Peter Le Gaux, his heirs and assigns.

[THE right to establish a ferry on both sides of the river Schuylkill, near Spring Mills, vested in P. L. to be kept in good order, and subject to such rules and regulations as the legislature shall prescribe ; but P. L. &c. to have no right to land boats on any landing belonging to other persons.]

Passed 8th September, 1787.—Recorded in Law Book No. III. page 241.

CHAPTER MCCXC.

An ACT to divide the county of Franklin into election districts, and to alter the place for holding the general election in the sixth district in the county of Bedford, and for making the townships of Greenwood and Rye, in the county of Cumberland, a sixth district, for the purpose of holding general elections.

SECT. I. WHEREAS, in and by an act of the General Assembly of this commonwealth, that was published on the thirteenth day of September, which was in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, entitled "An Act to regulate the general elections of this commonwealth, and to prevent frauds therein," it is provided, that for the purpose of general elections, the county of Franklin should be divided into two districts, and that the township of Fannet should be one of the same districts, and the remainder of the said county should be the other of the same districts :

And whereas the major number of the freemen of the townships of Antrim, Washington, Peters and Montgomery, in the said county of Franklin, have, by their petitions to the General Assembly, represented, that by reason of the remoteness of their dwellings from the present place to which they are called to give their votes for Representatives in the General Assembly, their Counsellor, and their county officers, many good citizens are impeded in the exercise of this important privilege, and have desired relief in the premises :

And whereas the freemen of the said townships of Antrim and Washington have prayed this House, that they be set off as a separate district, for the purpose aforesaid :

SECT. II. *Be it therefore enacted, by the Representatives of the Freemen of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That the said county*