

the townships of Tiunicum, Nockamixon and Durham, in the county of Bucks, be, and they are hereby erected into a separate election district, to be called the third election district in the said county; and the freemen thereof are hereby authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by Jacob Young, in Nockamixon township aforesaid.

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The third election district of Bucks county.

Passed 5th February, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 183.

CHAPTER MDCCII.

An ACT to erect the townships of *Quemahoning* and *Stony creek*, in the county of *Bedford*, into a separate election district.

SECT. I. 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 townships of *Quemahoning* and *Stony creek*, in the county of *Bedford*, are hereby erected into a separate election district, to be called the ninth district in the county aforesaid; and the freemen of the said district shall hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by *Joseph Buck*, in *Quemahoning* township aforesaid.

The ninth election district of Bedford.

Passed 5th February, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 181.

CHAPTER MDCCIII.

An ACT declaring *Cockalamus creek* a public highway.

SECT. I. 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 from and after the passing of this act, *Cockalamus creek*, in *Cumberland* and *Mifflin* counties, from the mouth thereof up to the forks at *David Cargil's*, shall be, and the same is hereby declared to be, a public highway, for the passage of rafts, under the limitations and restrictions herein after specified; and it shall and may be lawful for the inhabitants, desirous of using the navigation of the said creek, to remove all natural and artificial obstructions, from the mouth thereof up to *David Cargil's* aforesaid, and to erect such slopes at the mill-dams now built on the said creek, as may be necessary for the passage of rafts; provided such slopes shall be so constructed, as not to injure the works of said dams.

Part of *Cockalamus creek* declared a public highway.

SECT. II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That nothing in this act contained shall be deemed, taken or understood, to prevent any person or persons possessing lands on said creek, who before the passing of this act had authority, under the laws of this commonwealth, to erect a dam or dams, that he, she or they may think proper: Provided always, That such dam or dams be so constructed, and kept in repair by the owners thereof, with proper

Who may erect dams, &c.

Proviso.

1794. slopes on convenient parts of such dams, so that the navigation for rafts will not be injured thereby.

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CHAPTER MDCCIX.

[Original act, ante. p. 114.]

A SUPPLEMENT to the act, entitled "An Act to enable the Governor of this commonwealth to incorporate a company, for opening a canal and lock navigation on the waters of Brandywine creek."

SECT. I. [THE time for taking subscriptions extended; and for returning a plan.]

Passed 19th March, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 190.

CHAPTER MDCCX.

An ACT to erect the townships of Colebrookdale, Earl district, and Hereford, in the county of Berks, into a separate election district.

The seventh election district of Berks.

SECT. I. *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 townships of Colebrookdale, Earl district, and Hereford, in the county of Berks, are hereby erected into a separate election district, to be called the seventh election district; and the freemen of the said district are hereby authorized to hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by Joseph Muthard, in Colebrookdale township aforesaid, any law in any wise to the contrary notwithstanding.*

Passed 19th March, 1794.—Recorded in Law Book No. V. page 189.

CHAPTER MDCCXI.

An ACT to authorize Edward Shymer to erect a dam on the north side of the river Lehigh, in the county of Northampton.

SECT. I. [EDWARD SHYMER authorized to erect a dam on the Lehigh.]

Proceedings to ascertain offences against this act.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful, on the complaint of any person or persons to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the said county, for them to appoint three commissioners, to view the said dam and lock, and to compare them with the limitations and provisions herein set forth and enacted, and report to them, at their next session in the said county, the state thereof, which report, on oath or affirmation, if it contain an offence against this act, shall be sufficient ground of indictment, and upon prosecution to conviction of any offence against this act, or against the act, entitled "An Act*