

east side of the road leading from Schriver's mill, to George Lashel's and Hunter's town, thence down the Beaverdam to the Conewago as aforesaid, are hereby erected into an election district, to be called the third election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their elections at the house now occupied by William Sturgeon, in Oxford town.

[Section IV.] (Section IV, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the township of Tyrone, and those parts of the townships of Huntingdon, Monaghan, Reading and Warrington included within said county, are hereby erected into an election district, to be called the fourth election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their elections at the house now occupied by John Fickes, in Huntingdon township.

[Section V.] (Section V, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the townships of Hamilton's ban and Liberty, are hereby erected into an election district, to be called the fifth election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their elections at the house now occupied by John M'Ginley, in Miller's town.

Passed January 31, 1801.

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## CHAPTER MMCLXV.

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### AN ACT TO DECLARE NESHANOCK CREEK, IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, A PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) 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, Neshanock creek, in the county of Mercer, from its mouth, where it empties into the Shenango, up to the junction of Otter creek and Mill creek, shall be, and the same is hereby, declared to be a public highway for the passage of boats and rafts

along the same; 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 the junction of the aforesaid creeks. Provided, that in doing the same they shall not thereby injure any private property on the said creek.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) 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 land on the said creek, who, before the passing of this act, had authority under the laws of this commonwealth to erect a dam or dams, from erecting the same, as he, she or they may think proper. Provided, That such dam or dams be so constructed and kept in repair by the owners thereof, with complete slopes and locks on convenient parts of such dams, as that the navigation of the said creek for boats and rafts will not be injured thereby, nor the passing of fish prevented.

Passed January 31, 1801.

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## CHAPTER MMCLVI.

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AN ACT TO ERECT THE TOWNSHIPS OF BLOCKLEY AND KINGSESSING, IN THE COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, INTO A SEPARATE ELECTION DISTRICT.

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) 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, the townships of Blockley and Kingessing, in the county of Philadelphia, shall constitute a separate election district, to be called the Schuylkill election district; and the electors thereof shall hold their general elections at the house now occupied by John Leech, in the township of Blockley aforesaid.

Passed January 31, 1801.