the counties with which they are connected, in the election of Senators in the state legislature, and of representatives in congress, respectively, at such time and places as are directed by law for the judges of the elections of the counties composing their respective districts, to meet and cast up the several returns, and, then and there, do and perform whatever the judges of the said other counties can or may legally do.

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## CHAPTER MCMLII.

AN ACT MAKING PROVISION FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL NUMBER OF CLERKS IN THE OFFICE OF THE SURVEYOR GENERAL, RECEIVER GENERAL AND SECRETARY OF THE LAND OFFICE.

[Section 1.] (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, for the space of three years from and after the passing of this act, the governor shall be vested with a discretionary power, an application of the surveyor general, receiver general and the secretary of the land office, or either of them, to authorize the employment of additional clerks in their respective offices, whenever the business of the said office requires it. Provided the whole expense does not exceed the sum of two thousand seven hundred dollars in any one year. And the governor is hereby authorized to draw his warrants on the treasurer for such sums of money as are appropriated by this act, which warrants shall be drawn in the names of the persons to whom the said moneys are respectively due.