## LAWS

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OF THE

## GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

# STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA

PASSED AT THE

#### SESSION OF 1872

In the Ninety-sixth year of Independence.

#### WITH AN APPENDIX.

BY AUTHORITY.

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No. 243.

### An Act

Relative to the borough elections in the borough of Media, Delaware county.

Section 1. 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 passage of this act all borough elections in the borough of Media, Delaware county, shall be held on the third Friday of March: Provided, That only five days' notice shall be required of the first election under this act.

#### WILLIAM ELLIOTT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

#### JAMES S. RUTAN,

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The seventh day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

JNO. W. GEARY.

No. 244.

#### An Act

To prevent the waters of Ridley creek, above the Media water works, from being polluted.

Section 1. 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 passage of this act it shall not be lawful for any person to erect or establish any dye works, paper mill or other such manufactory on or adjacent to Ridley creek, or any of the branches thereof, at or above the mill-dam thereon, near the borough of Media, where the water works of the said borough are about to be built, nor to pollute or defile the waters of the said creek by causing or suffering to be put therein any mineral, chemical or animal substance, or other material calculated to affect the cleanliness, purity or healthfulness of the said waters, nor to bathe in the said mill-dam, or the basin belonging to the said borough, and

used or intended to be used for the said water works, or otherwise injure or pollute the waters therein.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JAMES S. RUTAN,

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The seventh day of March, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

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No. 245.

### An Act

Supplementary to an act relating to the building of sewers in the borough of Birmingham, county of Allegheny.

Preamble.

Whereas, An act relating to the building of sewers in the borough of Birmingham, county of Allegheny, approved the tenth day of May, Anno Domini eighteen hundred and seventy-one, extended the fourth section, and so much other of the act of assembly, approved the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, entitled "An Act relative to the city of Allegheny," as relates to the building and constructing of sewers, and the several supplements thereto, to the said borough of Birmingham:

And whereas, There was then existing in said borough, sewers built and completed before the passage of said act of assembly, which said sewers were paid for from out of the gen-

eral funds of the treasury of said borough:

And whereas, It is just and equitable that the improvements made should be equalized and paid for in just proportions by the citizens and tax-payers of said borough; therefore,

Section 1. 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 said act of assembly, and its several supplements, shall be altered and amended, hereby authorizing the said council to levy and collect the cost and expense of said sewers, already built and completed in said borough of Birmingham, by an assessment upon the properties benefited thereby; the said assessments shall be made by three discreet and disinterested freeholders of said borough, whom the said council shall appoint as assessors for that purpose.

Section 2. That said council is further authorized, whenever they may deem the same necessary, to cause sewers to be constructed in any street, lane or alley of said borough, and

Council may assess upon properties benefited, cost of sewers now built.

Assessments to be made by three freehold-ers.

May construct sewers and levy cost on properties benefited.