An act regulating the maturity of certain commercial paper.


13. Sec. 1. That all bills of exchange, drafts and promissory notes made after the passage of this act which would otherwise be payable on any Saturday, shall be deemed to be and shall be payable on the next succeeding secular or business day.

14. Sec. 2. That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, and this act shall take effect immediately.

An act to legalize sales in certain cases.

Approved March 29, 1892. P. L. 1892, p. 337.

Whereas, Custom and usage serves to draw the people of the agricultural districts to the chief towns in their respective counties on Saturday afternoons; and whereas, the rule established by custom in agricultural localities of holding public sales of real and personal property on Saturday has benefited both buyers and sellers, and conserved the public interest; therefore,

15. Sec. 1. That hereafter each and every sale of real and personal property made by any public officer, or by any citizen of this state on any Saturday, shall in all respects be as valid and legal as though such sale was made on any day on which it is now lawful to sell and transfer real estate, and that no such sale shall be void or illegal on account of it having been made on a Saturday.

16. Sec. 2. That all acts or parts of acts, inconsistent or repugnant to the provision of this act, be and they are hereby repealed and abrogated in so far as they disagree or conflict with the provisions of this act.

Legislative Manual.

1. Legislative manual, what to be included therein.
2. Amended by section 5.
3. In case of change made in rules of legislature during session, copies to be furnished free of cost.
4. Repealer.
5. Copies of manual to be furnished to legislature. How paid for.

An act to provide for the publication of the manual of the legislature of New Jersey.

Approved April 16, 1884. P. L. 1884, p. 185.

1. That the "manual of the legislature of New Jersey" shall be and is hereby declared to be the official hand-book and manual of the legislature of the state of New Jersey, and shall include in the contents of each volume the following: the constitution of the state of New Jersey, the rules of the senate, the rules of the house of assembly, the joint rules and orders of the senate and general assembly, a correct list of the members of the legislature of the session for which such volume is published, with their post-office addresses, a correct list of the several state officers, with the name of their office, their post-office address, the terms for which they are elected, and the date of the expiration of such terms; a correct list of the names of the chancellor, vice chancellors, chief justice and justices of the supreme court, the lay judges of the court of errors and appeals, their terms of office and the date of the expiration thereof; a correct list of the officers of each county, including the sheriff, coroners, county clerk, surrogate, county collector, register of deeds, law and lay judges, prosecutor of the pleas, with their several post-office addresses, terms of office and the date of the expiration of such terms; a list of the several state and county courts and the United States courts in and for this state, with the names of the judges, clerks, the place where held and the time of holding their several terms; the latest census of the state of New Jersey, taken
under the authority of the United States, as well as the census of the state taken by and under the authority of the state, when the same is taken; the names of the president and officers of the United States government, and the names and post-office addresses of the United States judges and other officers of the United States courts, &c., in this state; the election returns of the general election next preceding the meeting of the legislature for which such volume is published; a careful synopsis of all the annual reports of the state departments and institutions required by law to be submitted to the governor or legislature, as well as such other matter as the governor or legislature may from time to time direct to be published in said volume, or which the said compilers may see fit to publish, pertaining to the affairs of the state; provided, that no volume of said manual of the legislature of New Jersey shall contain less than two hundred pages, which shall be printed on good paper and bound in a substantial manner in cloth, and shall not exceed in price one dollar per copy.

2. [Amended by Sec. 5, post.]

3. That in the event of any change in, or amendment being made to the rules of either branch of the legislature, or of the joint rules and orders of the senate and general assembly, or of any of them during the session, it shall be the duty of the compilers and publishers of the said manual to print such change or amendment upon slips, or in pamphlet form, as the case may require, and furnish one thousand copies of the same, in the proportion named in the second section of this act, to the legislature free of cost.

4. That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this act shall be a public act and go into effect immediately.

Amendatory act. Approved February 18, 1891.

5. Sec. 1. That section two of said act be amended so that the same shall read as follows:

[That two thousand copies of the "manual of the legislature of New Jersey" shall be furnished for the use of the legislature from year to year at each session thereof; eight hundred copies to be for the senate and twelve hundred copies for the house of assembly; and upon the delivery of the said number of copies of the said legislative manual, upon presentation of a receipt therefor from the sergeant-at-arms of the senate and house of assembly (which receipt, upon the delivery of the said copies, the said sergeant-at-arms are required to give) to the comptroller of the treasury, the said comptroller shall draw his warrant in favor of the compilers and publishers of the said legislative manual for the price thereof, and the state treasurer shall therefor pay the same.]

Libraries, Lyceums, &c.

1. Associations to establish lyceums, libraries, &c., authorized.
2. Certificate of incorporation required.
3. Incorporation effected on recording certificate.
4. Corporation may hold, purchase, &c., real estate.
6. Election and powers of trustees.
7. Limitation of capital.
8. Lyceum may connect therewith circulating library.
9. May accept real and personal property.
10. Trustees of library to be elected annually.
11. Mayor, &c., may be ex-officio trustees.
12. Rights and powers of ex-officio trustees.
13. Increase of capital stock of lyceums, &c.
14. Benefits and liabilities attaching to such increase.
15. Increase of trustees or directors authorized.
17. Appointment of directors of public libraries in cities.
18. Term of directors.
19. Vacancies, how filled.
20. Organization and powers of directors.
21. Library and reading-room to be free.
22. Directors to make annual report to common council.
23. Common council may pass ordinances imposing penalties, &c.
24. Amended by section 27.
25. Copy of laws, &c., to be furnished by the state.
26. Common council may establish a public library and reading-room and maintain the same by tax.
27. Donations of money or property to be vested in board of directors.
28. Amended by section 80.
30. Trustees appointed by deed of donors may become incorporated.
31. Free library herebefore established may be transferred to public library in certain cities.
32. Any city may establish a free public library.
33. Act operative until assented to by legal electors.