ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, in and by an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth," passed the sixteenth day of July, A. D. 1839, it is made the duty of the Sheriff of every county within this Commonwealth, to give public notice of the General Elections, and in such notice to enumerate:

1. The offices to be elected.

2. Designate the place at which the election is to be held.

I, ADAM LONGSDORF, High Sheriff of the county of Cumberland, do hereby make known and give this PUBLIC NOTICE to the electors of the county of Cumberland, that on the

Second TUESDAY of October, next,

(being the 14th day of the month) a General Election will be held at the several election districts established by law in said county, at which time they will vote by ballot for the several officers hereinafter named, viz:

Two persons to represent the county of Cumberland in the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES of Pennsylvania.

One person for CANAL COMMISSIONER of the State of Pennsylvania.

One person for PROTHONOTARY for the county of Cumberland.

One person for RECORDER OF DEEDS and Clerk of the Courts of General Quarter Sessions, Oyer and Terminer, and Orphan's Court for the county of Cumberland.

One person for REGISTER of WILLS for the county of Cumberland.

One person for TREASURER for the county of Cumberland.

One COMMISSIONER for the county of Cumberland.

One DIRECTOR OF THE POOR and of the House of Employment for said county.

One AUDITOR to settle the public accounts of the county Commissioners, &c.

The said election will be held throughout the county, as follows:

By an act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act regulating election Districts," passed the 15th day of April, A. D. 1845, which is as follows: "That the Commissioners of the county of Cumberland be, and are hereby authorized to select and fix on a place or places, in the borough of Carlisle, for holding all elections which were held at the Court house in the said borough, until the erection and completion of a Court house, where the elections shall after shall be held. Whenever the Commissioners have fixed upon the place or places for the purpose of holding the elections in election district composed of the borough of Carlisle and townships of South Middleton, North Middleton, Lower Frankford, Lower Strabane and Lower West Pennsborough, [illegible]

The election for the East Ward in the borough of Carlisle, which was held at the [illegible] south of the Court house [illegible] will be held at the public house of George Patterson, Esq. in said borough.

The election for the West Ward in the borough of Carlisle which was held at the [illegible] north of the Court house [illegible] will be held at the public house of George Putterson, Esq. in said borough.

The election in the election district composed of South Middleton Township, will be held at the public house of Andrew Rodgers, in the borough of Carlisle.

The election in the election district composed of North Middleton Township, will be held at the public house of John Cornman in the borough of Carlisle.

The election in the election district composed of Lower Frankford, will be held at the public house of Henry Rhoads in the borough of Carlisle. The election in the election district composed of Lower West Pennsborough Township, will be held at the public house of J. McWilliams, in the borough of Carlisle.

The election in the election district composed of Lower Dickinson, will be held at the public house of Henry Burkholder in the borough of Carlisle.

The election in the district composed of West Spring township, will be held at the public house of David Hinkle, in Hogestown, in said township.

The election in the election district composed of Hampden township, will be held at the house of Andrew Kreuzer, on the south side of the Turnpike leading from Harrisburg to Carlisle.

The election in the election district composed of East Pennsborough township, will be held at the house now occupied by Jacob Longsdorf, at the West end of the Harrisburg Bridge.

The election in the district composed of New Cumberland, will be held at the [illegible] Morris Johnson, in the borough of New Cumberland.

The election district composed of that part of Allen township, which election was erected, held at the public house of William Hughes, in the borough of New Cumberland, will be held at the Tenant House of George Heck, now occupied by Robert Coffey, in said township.

The election in the district composed of Lisburn and a part of Allen township, will be held at the public house of Peter M'Cann in Lisburn.

The election in the district composed of that part of Allen township, not included in the New Cumberland, George Heck and Lisburn election districts, will be held at the public house of David Sheaffer, in Shepherdstown, in said township.

The election in the district composed of the Borough of Mechanicsburg, will be held at the public house of John Hoover in said borough.

The election in the district composed of Monroe township, will be held at the public house of Widow Paul, in Churchtown, in said township.

The election in the district composed of Upper Dickinson township, will be held at the house of Philip Weaver in said township.

The election in the district composed of the Borough of Newville, and townships of Mifflin, Upper Frankford, Upper Westpensborough, and that part of Newton township, not included in the Leesburg election district hereinafter mentioned, will be held at the brick school house, in the Borough of Newville.

The election in the district composed of Hopewell township, will be held at the School House, in Newburg, in said township.

The election in the district composed of the Borough of Shippensburg, Shippensburg township, and that part of Southampton township, not included in the Leesburg election district, will be held at the Council House, in the borough of Shippensburg.

And in and by an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth, passed the 2d July, 1839, it is thus provided, "That the qualified electors of parts of Newton and Southampton townships in the county of Cumberland, bounded by the following lines and distances, viz: Beginning at the Adams county line, thence along the line dividing the township of Dickinson and Newton to the turnpike road, thence along said turnpike to Centre School House, on said turnpike, in Southampton township, thence in a point on the Walnut Bottom Road at Reybuck's, including Reybuck's farm, thence a straight direction to the Saw Mill belonging to the heirs of George Clover, thence along Krysher's run to the Adams county line, thence along the line of Adams county to the place of beginning, be and the same is hereby declared a new and separate election district, the election to be held at the public house of William Maxwell, in Leesburg, Southampton township."

Notice is Hereby Given,

That every person (excepting justices of the Peace) who shall hold any office of Appointment or profit or trust under the United States, or of this State, or any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or other officer, or subordinate officer or agent, who also shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary department of this State or of the United States, or of any city or of any incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress, and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city or commissioner of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no inspector, judge, or any other officer of such election shall be eligible to be then voted for.

And the aforesaid Act of Assembly entitled "An Act relating to elections" [illegible] July 2d, 1839, [illegible]

"That the inspectors and judges of all elections shall meet at the place appointed for holding the election in their respective districts [illegible] before 9 o'clock in the morning of the second Tuesday of October [illegible] and the inspectors shall immediately after such appointment [illegible] such district.

"In case the person first voted for shall have received the second highest number of votes for inspector, shall not attend on the day of any election, then the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for judge at the next preceding election, shall act as an inspector in his place. And in case the person who shall have received the highest number of votes for inspector shall not attend, the person elected judge shall appoint an inspector in his place, and in case the person elected judge shall not attend, then the inspector who received the highest number of votes, shall appoint a judge in his place; or if any vacancy shall continue in the board for the space of one hour after the time fixed by law for the opening of the election, the qualified voters of the township, ward, or district for which such officer shall have been elected, present at the place of election shall elect one of their number to fill such vacancy.

"It shall be the duty of the several assessors, respectively to attend at the place of holding every general, special or township election, during the whole time said election is kept open, for the purpose of giving information to the inspectors and judges when called on, in relation to the right of any person offered to them to vote at such election, or such other matters in relation to the assessment of votes as the said inspectors or either of them shall deem it their duty to require.

"No person shall be permitted to vote at any election as aforesaid, than a white freeman of the age of twenty-one years or more, who shall have resided in this State at least one year, and in the election district where he offers to vote at least ten days immediately preceding such election, and who is a citizen of the United States, who has previously been a qualified voter of this State, and who shall have paid within two years a State and county tax, which shall have been assessed at least ten days before the election. But a citizen of the United States who has previously been a qualified voter of this State, and who shall have resided in the election district aforesaid and paid taxes as aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote in this State six months. Provided, that when any citizen of the United States who may have moved into any election district aforesaid, and who shall have resided in such election district aforesaid and paid taxes as aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote in such election district aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote although he may not have paid taxes.

"No person shall be permitted to vote whose name is not contained in the list of taxable inhabitants furnished to the officers of the election by the assessor, if such taxable inhabitant shall have resided in the district ten days immediately preceding the election, and exhibit evidence of his having paid the tax assessed upon him, or in default thereof, make oath or affirmation that he has paid a tax in this State, [illegible]

"Provided, that if any person shall be [illegible] to be a citizen of the United States, or to have resided in the district ten days immediately preceding any election, or to be a person whose name is not contained in the list of taxable inhabitants furnished to the officers of the election by the assessor, he shall deposit a ticket with the word "tax" written or printed thereon, signifying that he claims to vote by virtue of the tenth section of this act, and the officers of election shall [illegible] such ticket in a separate box [illegible] and if such person shall be found to have sworn falsely in the premises, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and be [illegible] and if any person not entitled to vote under the provisions of this act, shall fraudulently vote more than once at the same election, or shall fraudulently deposit more than one ticket, or shall deposit any other than a ticket containing a number of names equal to the number of persons to be elected, or shall deposit a ticket other than a ticket in the form and manner prescribed by this act, or shall deposit any other ticket than such as he shall have received from the officers of election in exchange for his ticket, or shall take any ticket from the place where tickets are deposited, or shall attempt to do any of the aforesaid offences, or shall induce any other person to do any of the aforesaid offences, or shall induce any person to offer his ticket to be deposited, knowing the same to be fraudulent, or shall induce any person to offer to vote, knowing he is not entitled to vote, or shall induce any person to offer to vote, knowing he has already voted, or shall induce any person to offer to vote, knowing he has already voted, or shall induce any person to offer to vote, knowing he has already voted