

OFFICERS TO MAKE ANNUAL REPORTS TO SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH
Act of Feb. 27, 1847, P.L. 172, No. 131

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AN ACT

Requiring the inspectors of prisons, sheriffs, prothonotaries and clerks of criminal courts and others, to make annual returns to the secretary of the commonwealth, and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, It is desirable to obtain accurate information relative to the condition and expenses of the penitentiaries and prisons of this commonwealth, and the costs of supporting the criminal courts thereof; therefore,

Section 1. Duties of trustees, sheriffs, and jailers
(Repealed Dec. 14, 1992, P.L.887, No.142)

Section 3. Annual statement as to support of jails and criminal courts

It shall be the duty of the commissioners of each and every county of this Commonwealth to transmit to the secretary thereof, on or before the first day of February in each and every year, a full statement in detail of the moneys paid out of the treasury of their respective counties, for the support of any penitentiary or jail, and of the criminal courts of their respective counties during the year, ending on the thirty-first day of the previous December, designating the amount paid to grand jurors, petit jurors, witnesses, officers and other persons; the number and amount of forfeited recognizances; the number sued out, and the amount received therefrom. 1847, Feb. 27, P.L. 172, Sec. 3.

Section 4. Reports to Secretary of Commonwealth

It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of this Commonwealth to communicate to the Secretary thereof, on or before the first day of February in each and every year, the amount paid out of the State Treasury towards the support of any jails or penitentiaries of this Commonwealth for the year ending on the thirty-first day of the previous december, designating the penitentiaries and jails to which money was so paid. 1847, Feb. 27, P.L. 172, Sec. 4.