

CHAPTER CLXXIV.

A SUPPLEMENT to an act, entitled, "An act to alter the time of holding several of the courts of quarter sessions and common pleas, in the third judicial districts or circuit.

SECT. 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 the courts of general quarter sessions and common pleas in the county of Northampton, shall commence on the second Mondays after the commencement of the courts in Berks county, and shall continue two weeks, and in the county of Lehigh on the Mondays succeeding the second week of the courts of Northampton county, any law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.*

Time of holding certain courts within Northampton county, altered.

JOHN TOD, *Speaker*
of the *House of Representatives.*

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER CLXXV.

An ACT making further provision for the militia and volunteers of this state, in the service of the United States.

SECT. 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 there shall be paid out of any unappropriated money in the treasury to each and every non-commissioned officer, musician, and private, of each and every company and troop of drafted militia, and volunteers of this state, who tendered their services either to the governor of this commonwealth, or to the president of the United States, and now in the service of the United States; a bounty of twenty dollars to each for the extraordinary services rendered, and the privations incident to a winter campaign in addition to the pay now allowed by the general government; provided always, that the benefits of this act shall only extend to the brigade of Pennsylvania militia in the service of the United States, under the command of general William H. Harrison, and such volunteers as have entered the service of the United States for twelve months under the act, entitled, "An act authorizing the president of the United States to accept and organize certain volunteer military corps," passed the sixth of February, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.*

Drafted militia and volunteers to receive a bounty of 20 dollars for extra services.

Proviso.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*

In case a militia man, or volunteer is killed, who shall receive the bounty aforesaid.

That if any of the non-commissioned officers, musicians, or privates contemplated in the preceding section, shall have died, or shall have been killed, or shall die or be killed whilst in the service aforesaid, leaving a widow, or if no widow, child or children, such widow or child or children as the case may be, shall be entitled to, and receive the bounty aforesaid which the deceased would have been entitled to, if he had served for the term of his draft or engagement; and if the deceased shall not have left a widow or children, his parent or parents shall be entitled to and receive the said bounty.

Paymaster to be appointed.

SECT. III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*

That it shall be the duty of the agent or paymaster who shall have been or who may hereafter be appointed in pursuance of an act of the general assembly of this commonwealth, entitled, "An act to grant compensation for extra services to the militia of this commonwealth now in service under the command of general William Henry Harrison," passed the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, to pay over to the militia and volunteers aforesaid, the sums of money they are entitled to by this act, and his account shall be settled in the manner directed by the aforesaid act.

Who shall pay the aforesaid bounty.

SECT. IV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*

That the governor be and he is hereby required to direct the brigadier general or commanding officer of the detachment of militia, and the officers commanding the different companies of the volunteers aforesaid, to cause two certified copies of the pay rolls of said troops, one of which the said commanding officers shall cause to be sent to the auditor general, and the other he shall cause to be furnished to the agent or paymaster at Pittsburgh for the purpose of paying off the said troops in the manner heretofore directed; and the said agent or paymaster shall be allowed two per cent. on the whole amount he shall have paid, as a compensation for his services as agent or paymaster.

Pay rolls to be sent to the auditor general, &c.

SECT. V. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*

That the governor be and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant or warrants on the state treasurer for whatever sum or sums of money may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Provision for carrying this act into effect.

JOHN TOD, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, *Speaker of the Senate.*

APPROVED—the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.