

are hereby authorized and required to apply the several sums of money appropriated by this section, for the improvement of the aforesaid roads, in such manner as they shall judge most advantageous and necessary to the improvement of the said roads, and shall exhibit a statement of their accounts and disbursements of the sums of money aforesaid, to the county auditors of their respective counties, who shall settle and adjust the same, in like manner as the accounts of county commissioners are in other cases settled and adjusted.

SECT. VII. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the sum of one thousand dollars be appropriated to improve the navigation of the river Ohio, from Pittsburgh to the western boundary line of the state, to be paid to the commissioners of Allegheny and Beaver counties, to be paid on warrants drawn by the Governor on the treasurer of this Commonwealth. \$1000 appropriated for improving the navigation of the Ohio.

SIMON SNYDER, *Speaker*  
of the House of Representatives.

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

APPROVED—the eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seven.

THOMAS MCKEAN.

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CHAPTER CXXXVIII.

*An ACT to enforce the Collection and Settlement of Tavern Licences Militia Exempt Fines, and for other purposes.*

SECTION I. *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 Comptroller and Register-generals, are hereby directed to proceed without delay against each and every delinquent county treasurer, who may be in arrear in the payment of tavern licences or militia exempt fines. Accounting officers to proceed against delinquent county treasurers.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the commissioners of the respective counties are hereby required to enforce the collection and payment of all and every of the militia exempt fines, which may be lawfully incurred and due from their respective counties, on or before the second Monday in January for each preceding year, and also to make return under oath or affirmation, to the register-general of the whole amount of the militia exempt fines, inserted in the duplicates of each year annually, under the penalty of five hundred dollars each, to be recovered by the comptroller-general in the usual manner. Duties enjoined on the respective county commissioners. Penalty on non-compliance.

**SECT. III.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
 That the treasurers of the respective counties shall annually settle and pay over all the monies received by them on account of militia exempt fines and tavern licences, and pay the same into the state treasury on or before the first Monday in February succeeding the said fines and licences becoming due, under the penalty of five hundred dollars; and on neglect of such settlement and payment thereof as aforesaid, the comptroller and register-generals shall forthwith proceed against such delinquent treasurer or treasurers; and on neglect of the comptroller and register-generals to proceed as aforesaid, for the space of thirty days after the said first Monday in February, they shall be liable to the whole amount charged against the county treasurers respectively.

Duties to be performed by the county treasurers  
 And penalty on failure.  
 Comptroller and Register Generals to proceed against them in such case;  
 And penalty on neglecting so to proceed.

**SECT. IV.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
 That it shall be the duty of the sheriff of each county in this Commonwealth to account for to the proper officers and pay over yearly all fines and forfeitures by them respectively received by virtue of their offices, for the use of the Commonwealth, under the penalty of double the amount by him or them received, and not paid over for every neglect or refusal therein.

Duties of the sheriff of each county.  
 Under what penalty.

**SECT. V.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
 That the register-general in his annual reports to the legislature, shall make a correct statement of the amount of the license monies and the militia exempt fines due from the respective counties, and the names of the county treasurers, together with the amount of such licence money and militia exempt fines as have been paid into the treasury for the preceding year.

Of the Register General's annual reports to the legislature.

**SECT. VI.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
 That from and after the passing of this act, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Commonwealth to sign all tavern and marriage licences, and so much of any former act of the legislature as requires the Governor to sign the aforesaid licences, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

The Governor's signature, to tavern and marriage licences dispensed with.

**SECT. VII.** *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,*  
 That no receipt for any money directed by law to be paid into the state treasury, shall be available unless signed by the treasurer or by some other person duly authorized by him for whom the state treasurer shall be responsible.

Receipts for monies payable into the state treasury must be by the treasurer.

SIMON SNYDER, *Speaker*  
*of the House of Representatives.*

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

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