

ACTS

OF THE

General Assembly of Pennsylvania,

CHAPTER I.

An ACT for the relief of the militia and volunteers of this state, now in the service of the United States.

SECT. 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 governor be, and he is hereby authorized and required to take the earliest means in his power, to ascertain the wants of the non-commissioned officers and privates of the two brigades of militia and volunteers of this state, and the volunteers from this state who have tendered their services to the president of the United States, now in the service of the United States, in blankets, watch-coats, and other articles of clothing, which their condition and the climate may necessarily require, and whether the government of the United States have made any provision to supply such wants, and in case the said government has not made provision for them, it shall be his duty, and he is hereby directed and enjoined to procure and transmit in the speediest manner in his power, to the militia and volunteers aforesaid, a competent number of blankets, watch-coats, and other articles of clothing, necessarily wanted as aforesaid; to be distributed amongst them in such manner and proportions as he shall direct.

The governor to ascertain the wants of the militia and volunteers of this state, and supply them therewith.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That* each and every non-commissioned officer and private, among the militia and volunteers aforesaid, who have been or may be ordered into either of the provinces of Canada, under the regular orders of the government of the United States, and in consequence of said orders, under superior officers, regularly

Ten dollars bounty to be given to each of the volunteers, &c. who may cross the line, &c.

appointed, shall have entered, or shall hereafter enter into either of the provinces aforesaid, at any period prior to the first day of April next, and continue therein in said service for thirty days; or who shall have entered into either of the said provinces, and remained there, faithfully executing the orders of the superior officer of his detachment, until discharged or regularly ordered to re-cross to the territory of the United States, shall receive a bounty from the treasury of this state, of ten dollars: *provided*, that if any non-commissioned officer or private aforesaid, shall, after the expiration of the said thirty days, re-cross into the territory of the United States, without the regular orders of the commander of his detachment, he shall not be entitled to the bounty aforesaid: *and provided further*, that the widow or legal representative of any of the militia or volunteers aforesaid, who may be killed in either of the provinces aforesaid, or die without having received the said bounty, shall be entitled to receive the same.

The governor to pay all the expenses incurred by the execution of this bill.

SECT. III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That all expenses that may be incurred in carrying this act into effect, shall be paid by the governor, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, by warrant drawn by him on the state treasurer; and the accountant department shall lay a statement of all accounts touching the same, before the next legislature.

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

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

APPROVED—the tenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

SIMON SNYDER.

CHAPTER II.

An ACT for altering part of the state road, in Bedford county.

The course of the road.

Part of the old road vacated.

SECT. 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 a road beginning at the first run, crossing the state road in Bedford county, on the west side of Benjamin Burds; thence running westwardly by the house now occupied by George Dansdill; thence by the house of John Burds; thence to the house now occupied by Michael Wallet, where it intersects the road hereinafter vacated, the distance whereof is one mile and a half, be, and the same is hereby established a public road and highway, of the width of sixty feet; and that so much of the state road, commencing at the run aforesaid, and running north of the route and