

holds in the banks in Philadelphia as may be necessary to supply any deficiency in completing the said loan.

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

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

CHAPTER CCI.

*An ACT to provide for the erection of an arsenal, in the city of Philadelphia.*

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 there shall be erected, on the lot belonging to the commonwealth, on which there is erected a frame arsenal, in the city of Philadelphia, a substantial brick arsenal.*

An arsenal to be erected in Philadelphia.

SECT. II. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said arsenal shall be of such dimensions as to admit of the convenient storage of any number not exceeding twenty-eight pieces of artillery, with the necessary apparatus thereto belonging, ten thousand musquets, one thousand tents, six thousand knapsacks, and one thousand camp kettles, and also to afford sufficient space for three persons to work therein in repairing arms.*

The dimensions thereof.

SECT. III. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That as soon as conveniently may be after the passage of this act, the governor of this commonwealth is hereby required to determine upon the size, dimensions and materials, of the said arsenal, and to cause a notice to be published in one or more of the newspapers published in the city of Philadelphia, calling for proposals for building the said arsenal ; and as soon as the said proposals shall have been received, the governor of this commonwealth shall contract with such persons as in his judgment will complete the work in the most substantial manner, and shall require and take sufficient security for the faithful performance of the contracts ; provided, that the lower story of the said arsenal shall be arched, that the roof shall be covered with slate or tiles, and that the cost of the said arsenal shall not exceed fifteen thousand dollars.*

Governor to determine on the size, &c.

And call for proposals.

And make contracts.

Proviso.

SECT. IV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purposes herein mentioned.*

15,000 dollars appropriated to carry this act into effect.

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