said provision.

ry of the treasu. by authorized to cause notice to be given to the secretary of the treasury of the United States, one month prior to the tenth day of February next, that this commonwealth will, prior to that day, pay its quota of the direct tax into the treasury of the United States, in such manner as the secretary thereof may direct.

state, required to pay said tax,

SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, Treasurer of this That the treasurer of this commonwealth, be and he is hereby required to pay the sum hereinbefore appropriated and reserved into the treasury of the United States, prior to the tenth day of February next, in such manner as the secretary thereof may direct; and in order that this duty may be the more readily executed, the state treasurer is hereby directed to perform it under the advice, and after a previous arrangement with the governor of this commonwealth as to the mode of execution.

and in what

manner.

ROBERT SMITH, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the twentieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

## CHAPTER II.

An ACT for the relief of Arthur St. Clair.

Board of enquiry to place Arthur St. Clair on the pension books.

SECT. 1. BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general assembly met, and it is bereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the board of enquiry established by the act entitled, "an act for the relief of disabled, aged and poor revolutionary officers and soldiers," passed the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, be and they or any two of them are hereby directed, to place Arthur St. Clair, late a Major General in the army of the United States, on the pension book opened by them in their offices respectively, and allow him an annuity not exceeding the one fourth of his pay according to the rank he held at the time he left the service, to continue during life, Additional annu- payable half yearly, and also an additional sum, equal to one year's annuity to be paid at the time of making the de-

His annuity to be allowed.

Sect. II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the act entitled, "an act for the relief of Arthur St. Clair," passed the fourth day of February one thousand

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eight hundred and thirteen, be and the same is hereby repeal-

ROBERT SMITH, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

P. C. LANE, Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the twenty-second day of December, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

SIMON SNYDER.

## CHAPTER III.

A SUPPLEMENT to an act entitled " An act erecting part of Northumberland county, into a separate county, to be called Columbia."

WHEREAS doubts have arisen respecting the jurisdiction of the judges and other officers of the county of Northumberland within the county of Columbia, from the organization thereof unto the first Monday of March, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, and also at what time the first court is to

commence in said county: Therefore,

SECT. 1. Be is enacted by the senate and bouse of representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in general assembly met, and it is bereby enacted by the authority of the same, That of Columbia the first court of common pleas, general quarter sessions, and shall be held. orphans' court, in and for the county of Columbia, shall commence and be holden on the first Monday of January, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, at such house as shall be designated by the commissioners of said county, as provided in the act to which this is a supplement.

SECT. II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, suits commence before the first monday of January ced or shall commence before the first Monday of January, one beaffected by the affected by the beaffected by the thousand eight hundred and fourteen, in the courts of the coun-actor the original. ty of Northumberland, shall be delayed, discontinued or affected by this act, or the act to which this is a supplement, but the same shall be proceeded in and carried into complete execution.

SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority oforesaid, All criminal SECT. III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, All criminal That all certioraries of and appeals from the judgment of any prosecutions erriginate of the peace of the said county of Columbia, and all which have originated prosecutions which have originated or may originate before the series Monday of January, one thousand how to be prosecuted in. eight hundred and fourteen, in said county, shall be proceeded in as heretofore in the courts of common pleas and quarter sessions of the county of Northumberland, and all process to issue from the courts of the said county of Columbia returnable to the second term in said county, shall bear test as of the first Torday. Monday of January, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.