filed in the office of the register of wills of Chester county, and letters testamentary had thereupon been issued to the said executors.

> WILLIAM DAVIDSON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

# ISAAC WEAVER.

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

### CHAPTER CLXI.

#### A SUPPLEMENT

To an act, entitled "An act taxing certain offices."

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be made to supply former deficengies,

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 in case of the resignation or removal from office of any officer who by law is accountable to the commonwealth for certain surplus fees of office, it shall be the duty of his successor or successors in office, who from time to time may receive and pay over such fees to his predecessor or predecessors in office, to take duplicate receipts for the same, and to transmit one of the said receipts to the Auditor General, together with a statement of such fees as may otherwise be received by such predecessor from time to time, as far as he may be enabled to ascertain the same. And it shall be the duty of the Auditor General, from time to time to settle the Auditor Gen-accounts of the late officer to whom such fees shall have been paid, and to compel him to account upon oath or affirmation, and to pay over such proportion of the arrearages of fees so received by him, as would have been paid to the common-Allowance to wealth had he remained in office, allowing to such late officer, in case of deficiency in any year while he shall have held his office, such sum as shall make up the whole sum he would have been entitled to have retained free from any tax thereon.

SECT. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Commonwealth to transmit forthwith to the prothonotary of each county. a copy of this act.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

## ISAAC WEAVER,

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

#### CHAPTER CLXII.

## AN ACT

For repairing Public Arms.

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 for the purpose of repairing the public arms in the arsenal at the seat of Government, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Governor, for supplying the work-shops attached to said arsenal with tools and apparatus necessary for a blacksmith and a gunsmith.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

## ISAAC WEAVER,

Speaker of the Senate.

Affroven—the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

## CHAPTER CLXIII.

#### A SUPPLEMENT

To the act, entitled 'An act providing for the sale of the estate of Lunative or persons non compos mentis in certain cases.

Sect. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General