

required to employ counsel to appear on behalf of William Governor to
Nichols, or his legal representatives, on a writ of error de- employ coun-
pending in the supreme court of the United States, at the set in the
suit of Henry Miller for the use of the United States, if pro- case of Wm.
per parties are or shall be made thereto by consent or other- Nichols.
wise, and to defend the interest of this commonwealth against
the claim of the United States therein.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority afore-*
said, That the officers of the accountant department be au- The fee of
thorised to settle and allow a reasonable fee to such counsel such counsel.
as may be employed, to be paid by a warrant drawn by the
Auditor General on the State Treasurer, not exceeding two
hundred and fifty dollars.

REES HILL, *Speaker of the*
House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the eighth day of February, one thousand eight
hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.

CHAPTER XXXII.

AN ACT

To prevent the imprisonment of females for debt.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-*
sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General
Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the
same, That no female shall be arrested or imprisoned for, or
by reason of any debt contracted after the passing of this act.

REES HILL, *Speaker of the*
House of Representatives.

ISAAC WEAVER,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—the eighth day of February, one thousand eight
hundred and nineteen.

WILLIAM FINDLAY.