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CHAPTER 134.

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AN ACT FOR ENABLING THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE FOR THE COUNTY OF CHESTER TO SELL THE OLD COURT-HOUSE AT CHESTER TOWARDS PAYING OF SOME OF THE SAID COUNTY DEBTS.

Whereas the Inhabitants of the County of Chester having Built a New Court-house The Justices with the Consent and approbation of the Grand-jury did sell their Old Court-house to John Simcock for the Discharging of a Certain Debt due to him from the County and in order to give him Assurance for the Same May it Please the Governor at the Humble Request of the Grand-jury for the Body of the Said County That it may be Enacted And be it Enacted by the Governor with the Advice and Consent of the Representatives of the freemen of the Province and territories thereunto Belonging in Councill And Assembly met and by the Authority of the Same That the Said Justices Now in Comission for the Said County of Chester or any three of them Shall be Enabled and are hereby Enabled and Impowered by their Deed or Deeds under their hands and Seall of the Said County to Convey and Assure the Said Old Court house with the Land it Stands upon to the Said John Simcock To hold to him & his Heirs To the use of him the Said John Simcock his Heirs & Assigns forever.

A.P.S., *Original Laws of Pennsylvania from 1693 to 1700*, f. 113.  
H.S.P., *Cadwalader Collection*, Act of May 22, 1697, chapter 8. See  
Vol. II St.L. 291, ch. CLXV.