

and of discharging the public debts and incidental expenses thereof, do pray that it may be enacted:

[Section I.] And be it enacted by the Honorable John Penn, Esquire, Lieutenant-Governor under the Honorable Thomas Penn and Richard Penn, Esquires, true and absolute Proprietaries of the Province of Pennsylvania and counties of Newcastle, Kent and Sussex upon Delaware, by and with the advice and consent of the representatives of the freemen of the said Province in General Assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That the said provincial treasurer shall and he is hereby enjoined and required out of the said surplus of the bills of credit so remaining in his hands to pay off and discharge all such drafts and certificates as have been heretofore made by order of assembly.

Passed September 30, 1769. Confirmed by the King in Council, May 24, 1771. See Appendix XXVII, Section III, and the note to the Act of Assembly passed February 18, 1769, Chapter 580; and the Acts of Assembly passed September 29, 1770, Chapter 617; September 19, 1772, Chapter 670.

CHAPTER DC.

AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE ACT, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO ENABLE THE COMMISSIONERS HEREINAFTER NAMED TO SETTLE THE ACCOUNTS OF THE MANAGERS AND TO SUE FOR AND RECOVER FROM SEVERAL PERSONS SUCH SUMS OF MONEY AS ARE NOW DUE AND UNPAID ON ACCOUNT OF THE LOTTERY SET UP AND DRAWN FOR ERECTING A HOUSE OF WORSHIP AT THE TOWN OF CARLISLE IN THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND FOR THE USE OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CONGREGATION UNDER THE PASTORAL CARE OF JOHN STEEL,"¹

Whereas it hath been represented to the assembly by the commissioners nominated in the act, entitled "An act to enable the commissioners hereinafter named to settle the accounts of the managers, and to sue for and recover from several persons such sums of money as are now due and unpaid on account of the lottery set up and drawn for erecting a house of worship at the

¹ Passed September 20, 1766, Chapter 546.

town of Carlisle in the county of Cumberland for the use of the First [Presbyterian] congregation, under the pastoral care of John Steel,"¹ that the said act is near expiring by its own limitation, and that it is necessary further time be given to enable them to sue for and recover the moneys thereby intended to be recovered and to comply with the other purposes therein mentioned:

[Section I.] Be it therefore enacted by the Honorable John Penn, Esquire, Lieutenant-Governor under the Honorable Thomas Penn and Richard Penn, Esquires, true and absolute Proprietaries of the Province of Pennsylvania and counties of Newcastle, Kent and Sussex upon Delaware, by and with the advice and consent of the representatives of the freemen of the said Province in General Assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That the said act of general assembly and every part, article, clause and thing therein contained shall be and are hereby declared to be continued for and during the space of one year from and after the time limited in and by the said act for the continuance thereof and no longer.

Passed September 30, 1769. Confirmed by the King in Council, May 24, 1771. See Appendix XXVII, Section III, and the note to the Act of Assembly passed September 20, 1766, Chapter 546. Expired.

CHAPTER DCI.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF JOHN GALBREATH, A LANGUISHING PRISONER IN THE GAOL OF CHESTER, WITH RESPECT TO THE IMPRISONMENT OF HIS PERSON.

Whereas it hath been represented to the assembly of this province by the petition of John Galbreath that he is a languishing prisoner in the gaol of Chester county, and that although he is willing to assign over all his effects to the use of his creditors, yet being indebted to one person in a sum of money exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds he cannot receive the benefit of the act of assembly made and provided for the relief of insolvent debtors:

¹Passed September 20, 1766, Chapter 546.