

Section III. (Section III, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That all prizes not demanded within twelve months after the publication as aforesaid, shall be considered and deemed relinquished for the benefit of said churches.

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CHAPTER MMCDLXVII.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF JACOB WALTER, THE LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF MICHAEL WALTER, DECEASED.

Whereas Jacob Walter, by his memorial, has represented to this legislature, that he is the administrator of the effects of his late brother Michael Walter, deceased, who, had been a soldier in the revolutionary war, in the third Pennsylvania regiment, and served faithfully for the term of his enlistment; and the said deceased never received the depreciation due on his pay, on account of his ill state of health, want of information, and ignorance of the laws; and that he the said Jacob Walter, incurred considerable expense in supporting his said brother, previously to his decease. And whereas it appears by a certificate from the comptroller-general, that the amount of the depreciation certificate, in the name of Michael Walter, was charged to the United States in the accounts of this commonwealth with the United States, and that the certificate for the same hath not been redeemed by this state. And whereas it is just and reasonable that the commonwealth having received the consideration, should satisfy the said claim: Therefore,

Section I. (Section I, P. L.) 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 the accounting officers be, and they are hereby directed to settle the accounts of Michael Walter, for the depreciation due on his pay, and the amount due to him shall be paid out of any unappropriated monies in

the treasury of this commonwealth, on a warrant to be drawn by the governor in favor of Jacob Walter, the administrator of Michael Walter aforesaid.

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CHAPTER MMCDLXVIII.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE A SUM OF MONEY FOR VIEWING, MARKING AND OPENING THE ROAD FROM TUSCARORA VALLEY, IN MIFFLIN COUNTY, TO SHEERMAN'S VALLEY, IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Whereas the opening a road over the Tuscarora mountain, from Mifflin county into Sheerman's valley, in Cumberland county, would be of public utility in facilitating an intercourse between the interior parts of the state and the northern frontier settlements, and as the opening said road is of too difficult and extensive a nature to be accomplished by the townships through which it passes: Therefore,

Section I. (Section I, P. L.) 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 the governor be, and he is hereby empowered to appoint three suitable persons, to view and mark the nearest and best route for a wagon-road, from Tuscarora valley, between the Run and Hunter's gaps, so as to intersect the great road leading from Sheerman's valley to Carlisle, and shall deposit a draft of said road in the prothonotaries office of Mifflin county.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the governor be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered, to draw his warrant in favor of the commissioners of Mifflin county, on the treasurer of Cumberland county, for the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid out of the arrearages of outstanding state taxes due from Cumberland county to this state, for which said sum the treasurer shall be entitled to a credit in the settling his accounts with the comptroller-general of this