

of the said John G. Bull, his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, his or their lawful attorney to make an annual return to the Orphans' court of Chester county, on oath or affirmation, how and in what manner he or they have executed the trust in him or them confided by this act.

Approved March 31, 1807. Recorded in L. B. No. 10, p. 507.

CHAPTER MMDCCCVI.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY OF THE LAND OFFICE TO SIGN PATENTS FOR LAND AND LAND WARRANTS. (*)

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 secretary of the land office be, and he is hereby authorized and required to sign all patents and warrants that have issued and are not already signed, and that shall issue before the first day of January next; and the same shall be as available in law to all intents and purposes as if the same had been signed by the governor.

Approved April, 1807. Recorded in L. B. No. 10, p. 507.

Note (*) Chapter 2887; *Infra* this volume, p. 703.

CHAPTER MMDCCCVII.

AN ACT TO RAISE BY WAY OF LOTTERY A SUM OF MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE TRUSTEES OF THE GERMAN LUTHERAN CONGREGATION, IN AND NEAR THE BOROUGH OF LANCASTER.

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 Conrad Swartz, Michael Gundacker, George Messersmith, John Gundacker, Benjamin Shaum, Peter Shindle, Leonard Eichholtz, Jacob Stahl, Jonas