

CHAPTER MMDCCCL.

AN ACT TO RAISE BY WAY OF LOTTERY A SUM OF MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSE OF COMPLETING A CHURCH IN STOYSTOWN, AND FOR BUILDING A BRIDGE OVER THE QUEMAHONING CREEK, ON THE ROAD LEADING FROM STOYSTOWN TO EBENSBURG.

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 George Graham, Henry Fisher, Joseph Boisle, Henry Beaner, Michael Zimmerman, Michael Mourey, John Forry, Charles Boyle, and John Lehmer, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to raise by way of lottery, the sum of one thousand dollars, to be applied to defraying the expenses of completing a church in Stoystown, in Somerset county; and for building a bridge over the Quemahoning creek where the road crosses, leading from Stoystown to Ebensburg in such manner as a majority of the commissioners may deem most beneficial.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the commissioners before they proceed to sell any tickets in the said lottery, shall lay such scheme thereof before the governor, as shall meet his approbation, and enter into bonds to him for the due performance of their duty in drawing the same; and each of them before entering on the duties of his appointment shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation diligently and faithfully to perform the duties hereby entrusted to him; and a majority of the said commissioners shall attend at the drawing of each day, and when the drawing shall be completed, they shall cause an accurate list of the fortunate numbers to be published in the newspapers printed in Somerset and Bedford three times; and shall pay and discharge all the prizes that shall be demanded by persons legally entitled thereto, within three months after the drawing shall be finished; and the ex-

penses necessarily attending the carrying of this act into effect, shall be paid by the commissioners, out of the net proceeds of the said lottery.

Section III. (Section III, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said commissioners be, and they are hereby authorized to settle and adjust all accounts which may be exhibited by any person or persons legally employed in carrying this act into effect.

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

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CHAPTER MMDCCCLI.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE GOVERNOR TO INCORPORATE A COMPANY FOR ERECTING A BRIDGE OVER THE RIVER SUSQUEHANNA, AT THE BOROUGH OF WILKESBARRE, IN THE COUNTY OF LUZERNE.

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 Lord Butler and Lawrence Meyer, of the county of Luzerne; Samuel Sitgreaves, Daniel Waggoner, of the borough of Easton; and John B. Wallace and Thomas Allibone, of the city of Philadelphia, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to do and perform the several duties hereinafter mentioned; that is to say, they shall and may, on or before the first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, procure three books, and therein enter as follows; "We whose names are hereunto subscribed, do promise to pay unto the president, managers and company, for erecting a bridge over the river Susquehanna, at the borough of Wilkesbarre, the sum