

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 real estate of the said Adam Nees, deceased, be, and the same is hereby exonerated and discharged from the lien of the judgment in the court of common pleas of Lancaster county, in a certain action wherein Anne Henry treasurer of the county of Lancaster, (for the use of the commonwealth) is plaintiff, and Joseph Gehr and Adam Nees, are defendants of the term of February, in the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight.

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#### CHAPTER MMCMLIV.

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##### AN ACT GRANTING AN ANNUITY TO CHRISTIAN SHOCKEY.

Whereas it has been represented to the legislature, that Christian Shockey, now an inhabitant of Southampton township, Somerset county, enlisted as a soldier during the war, in captain Samuel Hearly's company, and was attached and drafted into captain George Claypoole's company, in the eleventh Pennsylvania regiment commanded by lieutenant-colonel Hubley, and from thence was transferred to the third Pennsylvania regiment, commanded by colonel Thomas Craig, and thence from said company to captain William Henderson's company, and from thence to captain John Doyle's company, and continued to the end of the war in the latter company, and he received a wound in his left arm at the siege of Yorktown, in the state of Virginia, in defence of his country; and that he is now advanced in age, and from the effects of said wound not able to maintain himself and family: Therefore,

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sylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the governor be, and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the state treasurer, in favor of Alexander Ogle, for forty dollars, to be paid out of any unappropriated monies in the treasury, to be applied to the use of Christian Shockey; and that an annuity of forty dollars be granted the said Christian Shockey, to be paid half yearly to the said Alexander Ogle of Somerset county, his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, his or their lawful attorney, to commence from the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eight, on warrants drawn by the governor on the state treasurer; which annuity shall be expended by the said Alexander Ogle, his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, his or their lawful attorney, in providing clothing, lodging and diet for the said Christian Shockey; and it shall, and it is hereby made the duty of the said Alexander Ogle, his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, his or their lawful attorney, to make an annual return to the orphans' court of Somerset 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.

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#### CHAPTER MMCMLV.

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AN ACT INCORPORATING THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CONGREGATION OF CHRIST CHURCH, IN THE BOROUGH OF WEST CHESTER, IN THE COUNTY OF CHESTER, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED.

Whereas it has been represented by the clergyman and trustees of the Roman Catholic congregation of Christ church, in the borough of West Chester, in the county of Chester, that John Hannum late of said borough, and Alice his wife by their