

1767. *ment of justice, and more certain administration thereof,\* as is herein and hereby altered and supplied, be, and the same is hereby, repealed, and made null and void.*

\* Chap. 236.

Passed 21st February, 1767.—Recorded A. vol. V. page 153.

### CHAPTER DLVIII.

*An ACT to appoint certain persons, therein named, Supervisors and Directors of the road and bridge over Hollander's creek, leading to the west district of Greenwich Island, and to enable them to lay such rates and assessments, from time to time, on all lands in the said district, accommodated by the road and bridge aforesaid, as may be found necessary, for supporting, maintaining and keeping the same in good repair.*

Passed 21st February, 1767.—Recorded A. vol. V. page 169.

### CHAPTER DLX.

*An ACT to amend the act, entitled an Act for establishing Courts of Judicature within this province. (s)*

Repeal of parts of a former law.

Four Judges of the Supreme Court to be commissioned

[WHEREAS it has been found inconvenient for the Judges of the Supreme Court of this province to ride the circuit, and to try the issues joined in the said Court, in causes removed from the respective counties of Chester and Bucks, on the days and times appointed for that purpose, in and by the act of General Assembly of this province, passed in the eighth year of his Majesty George the first, entitled *An Act for establishing Courts of Judicature within this province*, whereby a practice has been introduced of trying all issues in fact, joined in causes which have been removed from the several counties thereof into the said court, at the city of Philadelphia, which has often obliged the parties, jurymen and witnesses, to attend from the most remote parts of the province at the said city, to their very great, and unnecessary expense and grievance: For remedy whereof, we the Representatives of the freemen of the province of Pennsylvania, do pray that it may be enacted, *And be it enacted*, That so much of the said recited act of General Assembly, as relates to the Governor's appointing and commissionating three Supreme Judges only, and to the nomination and appointment of the days and times for riding to and holding the Circuit and Nisi Prius Courts in the said counties of Chester and Bucks respectively, shall be and is hereby declared to be, repealed, null and void; and that there shall be four persons of known integrity and ability commissioned by the Governor of this province for the time being, by several distinct patents or commissions,

(s) For a general reference to all the acts respecting the Judiciary Department, see ante. chap. 255, and respecting the penal law, see ante. chap. 236. (*Note to former edition.*)