

[Section II.] (Section II. P. L.) Be it therefore enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the said Rudolph Pickel, his heirs and assigns, and they, or either of them, are hereby authorized and empowered to erect, support and forever maintain, a mill-dam across the said Swatara creek, opposite to his lands situate as above mentioned.

[Section III.] (Section III. P. L.) Provided always nevertheless, and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That such dam or dams be so constructed and kept in repair, with a proper slope or slopes, and a lock or locks, whereby the navigation of the said creek will not be injured, nor the passage of fish prevented.

And provided also, That the rights of all and every person and persons [whatsoever] shall be and remain inviolate, and shall not be effected by this act, and especially that the privileges granted to the company incorporated for the purpose of opening a canal and lock navigation from Susquehanna to Schuylkill shall not be impaired or infringed by anything herein contained.

Passed April 8, 1794. Recorded L. B. No. 5, p. 197 & 198.

CHAPTER MDCCXXXI.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF CHRISTIAN MARY.

Whereas Christian Mary, a collector of taxes in the township of Charleston, in the county of Chester, by his petition to the legislature, sets forth, that from the particular situation of his family he was obliged to employ a certain Lawrence King, as an assistant in collecting of taxes in the said township, and that the said King was, on the night of the twenty third of February, in the year of one thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight, robbed of two several sums of public money, which he had collected for and on account of the said petitioner, amounting in the whole to forty-five pounds four shillings and

six pence. And whereas it is reasonable that he should have the same relief with those who were in similar circumstances. 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 commissioners of the county of Chester shall cause a suit to be instituted against Christian Mary, late a collector of public taxes in Charleston township, in the said county of Chester, in the same manner, and for the same purpose, as is directed by the act entitled, "An act for the better ascertaining and making good losses of public moneys by robberies,"¹ passed the fourth day of October, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight, and shall, in all things, conform themselves agreeably thereto, as if the said Christian Mary had been entitled to all and singular the benefits of the said recited act.

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CHAPTER MDCCXXXII.

AN ACT FOR ALTERING AN ELECTION DISTRICT, AND FOR ERECTING TWO ADDITIONAL ELECTION DISTRICTS, IN THE COUNTY OF BUCKS.

[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 townships of Springfield, Haycock, Rockhill, Richland and Milford, in the county of Bucks, shall, from and after the passing of this act, be a separate election district, to be called the second election district in the said county; and the freemen of the said district shall hold their annual elections at the house now occupied by Jacob Frees, in Richland township aforesaid.