

by such ways and means as they, the said maagers, or a majority of them, shall think fit and reasonable, any law, usage or custom of this commonwealth to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

[Section XV.] (Section XV, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the managers of the said district, respectively, shall have and receive one dollar and thirty-three cents per day, for each day they shall be employed in the several duties required of them, and the treasurer shall have such compensation for his services, as a major part of the managers of the said district shall think adequate.

[Section XVI.] (Section XVI, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That an act of assembly of the province of Pennsylvania entitled, "An act to enable the owners and possessors of a certain tract of marsh and meadow land therein described, situate in the township of Kingsessing, in the county of Philadelphia, to keep the banks, dams, sluices and floodgates in repair, and raise a fund to defray the expenses thereof,"¹ so far as it relates to the aforesaid district, shall be, and is hereby repealed and made null and void.

Passed March 31, 1795. Recorded L. B. No. 5, p. 410.

¹Passed February 18, 1769, Chapter 585.

CHAPTER MDCCCXXI.

AN ACT TO SUPPLY THE DEFICIENCIES IN FORMER APPROPRIATIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED.

[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 a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars, to be paid out of the aggregate fund created by an act entitled, "An act to provide for paying and redeeming certain public debts, and for defraying the expenses of government"¹

passed on the tenth day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two, be, and it is hereby, appropriated to discharge and pay the claims for the pay and rations of the militia of this state, that were called into service according to the directions of the act, entitled, "An act for more effectually securing the trade, peace and safety of the port of Philadelphia, and defending the western frontiers of the commonwealth,"² passed the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, which have not been discharged by the government of the United States, or of this state, and which have been or shall be allowed and settled, according to the existing laws of this state.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That a further sum not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid out of the same fund, be, and it is hereby, appropriated to discharge and pay the claims for the pay and rations of the men enlisted under the authority of the act, entitled, "An act to authorize the governor to suspend the laying out a town at Presque Isle, and for other purposes therein mentioned,"³ passed the twenty-third day of September, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, which have been or shall be settled according to the existing laws of this state, and which have not been heretofore discharged.

[Section III.] (Section III, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That a further sum not exceeding sixteen thousand dollars, to be paid out of the same fund, be, and it is hereby, appropriated to discharge and pay the claims for pay and rations of the militia that were called into service, according to the existing laws of this state, for the defence of the frontiers, which have not been heretofore discharged, and which have been or shall be settled according to law.

[Section IV.] (Section IV, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That a further sum not exceeding three thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid out of the same fund, be, and it is hereby, appropriated for the payment and discharge of certain claims for the pay and rations of the militia of this commonwealth as have been engaged according to law, or shall be so engaged, before the first day of April next,

for the support of the establishment at Fort Mifflin, in the river Delaware, which have been or shall be settled according to law, and not heretofore discharged.

[Section V.] Provided always nevertheless, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to sanction the application of the moneys, by this section appropriated, to the discharge of any claims, for or on account of service which may be rendered after the first day of April next.

Passed April 1, 1795. Recorded L. B. No. 5, p. 420, etc.

¹Chapter 1646.

²Chapter 1715.

³Chapter 1787.

CHAPTER MDCCCXXII.

AN ACT FOR REVIVING SUITS, PROCESS AND PROCEEDINGS, WHICH HAVE BEEN DISCONTINUED IN THE COURTS OF OYER AND TERMINER AND GENERAL GAOL DELIVERY, AND THE COURTS OF GENERAL QUARTER SESSIONS OF THE PEACE AND COMMON PLEAS, IN THE COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

Whereas from the inclemency of the weather and other accidental causes, the president and associate judges of the courts of oyer and terminer and general gaol delivery, and the courts of general quarter sessions of the peace and common pleas, for the county of Northumberland, were prevented from opening and holding the respective courts aforesaid on the fourth Monday of January last, which was by law the stated time for holding said courts:

And whereas doubts are entertained whether such failure of opening and holding said courts doth not operate a discontinuance of all suits, process and proceedings pending therein:

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) Be it therefore 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 all suits, process and proceedings, which were pending in the courts of oyer and ter-