

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.

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<sup>1</sup>Chapter 1646.

<sup>2</sup>Chapter 1715.

<sup>3</sup>Chapter 1787.

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## CHAPTER MDCCCXXII.

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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-

miner and general gaol delivery, and the courts of general quarter sessions of the peace and common pleas, of the county of Northumberland, which by law ought to have been holden on the fourth Monday of January last, and also all suits and process since the said fourth Monday of January last, be, and they are hereby, revived, and the same proceedings may be had at the same courts, in all suits and process aforesaid, and in all things relating to the same, as by law might have been had at the said courts respectively, in which the same were pending, or to which the same were returnable.

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## CHAPTER MDCCCXXIII.

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A FURTHER SUPPLEMENT TO THE ACT, ENTITLED, " AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A BOARD OF WARDENS FOR THE PORT OF PHILADELPHIA, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES THEREIN MENTIONED.<sup>1</sup>

Whereas it has been represented to the legislature, by the pilots of the bay and river Delaware, that the rates of pilotage established by law are become inadequate to their support, by reason of the present advanced price of living, as well as of the necessary boats and assistants employed by them in the prosecution of their business:

[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 during two years from and after the passing of this act, the following sums of money shall be paid to the pilots conducting vessels from Philadelphia to the Capes of Delaware, and from the Capes of Delaware to Philadelphia, in addition to the rates of pilotage allowed by the ninth section of the act to which this is a supplement, viz: for every half foot of water which any outward or inward bound vessel shall draw under and up to twelve feet, seventeen cents; for every half foot of water which any inward