425; (the two acts of) April 10, 1873, P. L. 689, 771; June 10, 1881, P. L. 115; June 23, 1885, P. L. 141; May 13, 1887, P. L. 116; April 25, 1889, P. L. 54.

CHAPTER CCCIII.

A SUPPLEMENT TO THE ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PREVENT SWINE FROM RUNNING AT LARGE."

Whereas by the said act the relief provided for persons suffering by hogs trespassing in their fields or inclosures is limited to the extent of fourteen miles from the navigable parts of the river Delaware: Now, forasmuch as the country is become more populous, and it appears necessary to provide the same remedy for the inhabitants living in the other parts of this province:

[Section I.] Therefore be it enacted, &c., That the same penalties, rules and orders enacted and directed to be observed by the aforesaid act within fourteen miles of the navigable parts of Delaware River shall, within one month after the publication hereof, be in force and extended throughout the province of Pennsylvania as fully and amply as if the same act were again herein repeated and enacted, any limitation in the aforesaid act for preventing swine running at large to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding.

Passed May 10, 1729. Apparently never considered by the Crown, but allowed to become a law by lapse of time, in accordance with the proprietary charter. See Volume III, Appendix V, Section I, and note to the Acts of Assembly passed November 27, 1700, Chapter 77; January 12, 1705-6, Chapter 158; and the Acts of Assembly passed March 13, 1780, Chapter 892; April 2, 1781, Chapter 934; March 27, 1784, Chapter 1089; March 7, 1800, Chapter 2120; April 1, 1805, P. L. 194; March 31, 1807, P. L. 97; April 9, 1807, P. L. 183; March 28, 1808, P. L. 163; February 6, 1810, P. L. 17; March 19. 1810, P. L. 90; February 25, 1814, P. L. 66; February 17, 1816, P. L. 69; March 28, 1820, P. L. 171; April 2, 1821, P. L. 206; March 30, 1822, P. L. 108; April 10, 1826, P. L. 274; April 1, 1831, P. L. 342; May 4, 1832, P. L. 480; March 21, 1833, P. L. 87; March 31, 1836, P. L. 304; March 21, 1842, P. L. 144; March 25, 1850, P. L. 268; (the two acts of) April 18, 1853, P. L. 530, 549; April 26, 1855, P. L. 316; April 15, 1857, P. L. 196; February 22, 1860, P. L. 68; April 11, 1862, P. L. 496; April 15, 1863, P. L. 501; April 9, 1864, P. L. 369; March 4, 1865, P. L. 271; March 21, 1865, P. L. 444; March 23, 1865, P. L. 675; February 9, 1866, P. L. 23; March 27, 1866 P. L. 332; (the five acts of) April 11, 1866, P. L. 562, 576, 703, 716, 737; June 26, 1866, P. L. 1114; April 3, 1867, P. L. 691; April 8, 1867. P. L. 940; (the four acts of) April 10, 1867, P. L. 996, 1021, 1071, 1082; April 13, 1867, P. L. 1224; March 12, 1868, P. L. 301; March 28, 1868, P. L. 514; April 1, 1868, P. L. 573; April 9, 1868, P. L. 779; April 11, 1868, P. L. 865; April 14, 1868, P. L. 1122; April 2, 1869. P. L. 672; April 9, 1869, P. L. 800; April 13, 1869, P. L. 892; April 17, 1869, P. L. 1125; February 10, 1870, P. L. 123; February 24, 1870, P. L. 230; March 17, 1871, P. L. 411; May 29, 1871, P. L. 1279; March 9, 1872, P. L. 295; March 18, 1873, P. L. 310; April 8, 1873, P. L. 565; April 10, 1873, P. L. 700; May 23, 1874, P. L. 230; (the two acts of) May 22, 1878, P. L. 96, 99; June 23, 1885, P. L. 142; May 24, 1887, P. L. 204; April 4, 1889, P. L. 27; April 26, 1889, P. L. 64; May 23, 1889, P. L. 277; May 23, 1891, P. L. 108; May 31, 1893, P. L. 185.

CHAPTER CCCIV.

AN ACT FOR LAYING A DUTY ON NEGROES IMPORTED INTO THIS PROVINCE.

We the representatives of the freemen of the province of Pennsylvania desire that it may be enacted:

[Section I.] And be it enacted by the Honorable Patrick Gordon, Esquire, Governor of the Province of Pennsylvania, &c., by and with the advice and consent of the freemen of the said Province in General Assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That for every negro which shall be imported, landed or brought into this province at any time after the publication of this act, other than such negroes as are actually shipped for sailors and shall continue in the service of the vessel they were brought in and not be exposed to sale in this province, and other than such negroes as shall be brought or sent into this province upon their master's immediate business and not to remain in the province and not for sale, there shall be paid for the uses hereafter mentioned the sum of two pounds, lawful money of America.

And that all masters of vessels and others who shall within