

CHAPTER MDCCCXCV.

AN ACT FOR REPEALING A LAW PASSED THE ELEVENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX ENTITLED, "AN ACT TO RELIEVE THE OWNERS OF UNIMPROVED LANDS FROM THE INCONVENIENCE THEY ARE SUBJECTED TO BY THE PRESENT MODE OF ENFORCING THE PAYMENT OF TAXES ASSESSED THEREON."

Whereas the act, passed the eleventh day of September one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six, entitled "An act to relieve the owners of unimproved lands from the inconvenience they are subjected to by the present mode of enforcing the payment of taxes assessed thereon," has not been found, on experiment, to produce the effects expected from the same, as the publication of the lists of delinquent taxables by the state treasurer, agreeably to the directions of that act, has been productive of great expense without any corresponding advantage;

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) Be it therefore enacted by the Senate and the 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 treasurer of the commonwealth shall, as soon as conveniently may be, restore to the respective county commissioners all such lists as may heretofore have been placed in his hands for publication, noting and marking on the same all and every expense that may have been incurred in printing the same, and the commissioners aforesaid shall be thereupon respectively empowered and required to apportion such expense of printing or publishing among the said delinquent taxables, and shall proceed to collect all arrearages of state and county taxes, so as aforesaid due, with the expenses incurred on the same, from the said delinquent taxables agreeably to the provisions and directions of an act passed the seventeenth day of April last entitled "An act to regulate the mode of assessing and collecting county rates and levies,"

the stay of three years, and the charge of interest, enjoined by that act, only excepted.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the aforesaid act of the eleventh of September one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six, entitled "An act to relieve the owners of unimproved lands from the inconvenience they are subjected to by the present mode of enforcing the payment of taxes assessed thereon" or so much thereof as directs the list of delinquent taxables to be published by the treasurer of the commonwealth, and so much of any other act of assembly as directs that the county commissioners shall advertise the sales of unseated lands, wherein taxes have been assessed and are yet due, for any longer time than six weeks, or in any other manner than by advertisements set up in the proper county, be, and the same is, hereby repealed.

Passed April 1, 1796. Recorded L, B. No. 6, p. 97, etc.

CHAPTER MDCCCXCVI.

AN ACT TO ENABLE THE GOVERNOR OF THIS COMMONWEALTH, TO INCORPORATE A COMPANY FOR MAKING AN ARTIFICIAL ROAD FROM AN INTERSECTION OF THE PHILADELPHIA AND LANCASTER TURNPIKE ROAD NEAR THE GAP TAVERN, IN LANCASTER COUNTY, TO NEWPORT AND WILMINGTON IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

[Section I.] (Section I, P. L.) Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That George Latimer, Robert Waln, Nathaniel Lewis, and Abijah Dawes of the city of Philadelphia, Joshua Pusey, Jacob Lindley, John McDowell, and James Boyd of the county of Chester, Abraham Carpenter, John Funk, Michael Wither, John Barr, Paul Zantzinger, Adam Reigart, junior, and John Fry, of the county of Lancaster, in this state, and Henry Latimer, Joseph Tatnal, William Robeson, Nehemiah