

CHAPTER MCMXI.

AN ACT TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE RELIEF OF THE SUFFERERS BY THE LATE FIRES IN THE CITY OF SAVANNAH, IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

Whereas, it appears that many of the inhabitants of the city of Savannah, in Georgia have been reduced to great indigence and distress by the late fires in that city:

[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 the governor be, and he is hereby, authorized to draw on the treasurer of this commonwealth in favor of such persons as he may appoint, for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, to be by them remitted to the mayor of the city of Savannah, to be distributed among the sufferers by the late fires in that city, in such manner as the magistrates thereof may direct.

Passed December 23, 1796. Recorded L. B. No. 6, p. 139.

CHAPTER MCMXII.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF HENRY PENFINGER.

[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 governor be, and he is hereby, authorized to draw his warrant on the state treasurer for the sum of six hundred dollars, in favor of Henry Penfinger, a disabled soldier of the fourth Pennsylvania regiment, in the late

revolutionary war, to be paid out of the funds appropriated for the support of government.

Passed January 27, 1797. Recorded L. B. No. 6, p. 140.

CHAPTER MCMXIII.

AN ACT TO EXONERATE THE DISTRICT OF ARMAGH, FORMERLY IN THE COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, BUT NOW IN MIFFLIN COUNTY, FROM SUNDRY STATE TAXES.

Whereas, several frontier counties of this commonwealth were exonerated from sundry state taxes by virtue of a law passed the twenty-second day of December, one thousand seven-hundred and eighty-one, and the district of Armagh township, then in Cumberland, but now in Mifflin county, although expressly named in the law aforesaid, hath not yet enjoyed the full benefit of the same:

[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 the inhabitants of the district formerly known by the name of Armagh township, in the county of Cumberland, at the time of passing the act entitled, "An act for the defense of the frontiers of this state, and for other purposes therein mentioned,"¹ passed on the twenty-second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-one, but now in the county of Mifflin, shall be, and they are hereby, exonerated from the payment of the state taxes laid for the year one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three, and the commissioners of Cumberland county, in whose possession the books of such taxation remain, are hereby required to give the said inhabitants credit accordingly.

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¹Chapter 956.