

and it shall be the duty of the said commissioners to make report of the course or courses, and distances, of the said line, to the courts of quarter sessions of their respective counties, there to remain of record, as the established line between said counties; and the expenses necessarily incurred in running and marking said line shall be paid out of the treasury of Franklin county, upon a warrant or warrants to be drawn by the commissioners of said county.

Passed March 29, 1798. Recorded L. B. No. 6, p. 258.

CHAPTER MCMXCIV.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF JOHN GLEN.

[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 John Glen, a disabled soldier, who served in the militia during the late revolutionary war, to be paid out of the funds appropriated for the support of government.

Passed April 4, 1798. Recorded L. B. No. 6, p. 281.

CHAPTER MCMXCV.

AN ACT TO CONTINUE IN FORCE, FOR A LIMITED TIME, THE ACT, ENTITLED, "AN ACT TO EXTEND THE POWERS OF THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE IN THIS STATE, 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 Penn-

sylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the act, entitled, “An act to extend the powers of the justices of the peace in this state,” passed the nineteenth day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, ¹ except so far as the same has been since altered or supplied, be, and the same is hereby, continued in force until the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and three, and from thence to the end of the next session of the general assembly, and no longer.

[Section II.] (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the powers of the said justices, and of the alderman and aldermens’ court, shall be extended to all cases of rent not exceeding twenty pounds, so far as to compel the landlord to defalcate, or set off the just account of the tenant out of the same, but the landlord may waive further proceedings before the justice or aldermen, and distrain in the usual manner for the balance so settled; but if any landlord shall be convicted, after such waiver, in any court of record, of distraining for and selling more than to the amount of such balance, and of detaining the surplus, he shall forfeit to the tenant four times the amount of the sum detained.

Passed April 4, 1798. Recorded L. B. No. 6, p. 274, etc. See Chapter 1754, and note to Chapter 365. The second section of the Act in the text was repealed by the Act of March 1, 1799, Chapter 2025.

CHAPTER MCMXCVI.

AN ACT TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR PATENTING LANDS.

[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 act, entitled, “An act to ex-

¹Chapter 1754.