

CHAPTER CXXIII.

An ACT making Appropriations for the Expences and Support of Government for the Year one thousand eight hundred and four, and for other Purposes.

Section 1. **B**E 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 for the support of government, and the payment of the following debts and expences of the same, there be appropriated the following sums out of the funds of the state; *that is to say*, For the payment of the salary of the governor, the secretary and assistant-secretary of the commonwealth, with the contingent expences of the executive department, eleven thousand five hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents; for the judiciary department of the state, including contingent expences, thirty-four thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven dollars and twenty-three cents; for the legislative department, including the pay of members, clerks, officers, and contingencies, fifty-eight thousand and seventy-five dollars and thirty-five cents; for the treasury department four thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine dollars and ninety-six cents; for the officers of the land-office three thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine dollars and ninety-six cents; for the pay of the clerks in the different offices eight thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine dollars and ninety-six cents; for the payment of pensions, the sum of five thousand dollars; for the expences of the militia six thousand dollars; for the payment of certificates of unfunded debt one thousand

Appropriations for the year 1804.

For the executive department.

Judiciary department.

Legislative department.

Treasury department.

Officers of the land-office.

Clerks in the different offices.

Payment of pensions.

Expences in the militia.

Certificates of unfunded debt.

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sand and forty-three dollars and seventy-two cents; the further sum of nine thousand dollars to discharge the contracts made for arms; to discharge the loan had from the bank of Pennsylvania sixty thousand dollars, and two thousand four hundred dollars, the interest on the same to the first of April one thousand eight hundred and four; to discharge the balance of the appropriation of last year, for the redemption of certificates granted to Pennsylvania claimants, that appropriation being one hundred thousand dollars, and twelve thousand three hundred and fifty-four dollars and sixty-four cents, only being discharged, the sum of eighty-seven thousand six hundred and forty-five dollars and thirty-six cents; to discharge the salary of the agent to prevent intrusions by the act of the sixteenth of February one thousand eight hundred and one, one thousand two hundred dollars; to discharge the interest on lost certificates, five hundred dollars; to discharge the balance of an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars by act of the fourth of April one thousand eight hundred and three; for new loan certificates thirteen thousand six hundred and nineteen dollars and ninety cents; for the redemption of old state debts, estimated not to exceed in the current year ten thousand dollars; to discharge the salary of the warden of the port of Philadelphia one thousand two hundred dollars; to discharge the salaries of the adjutant-general and brigade-inspectors four thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight dollars and seventy-eight cents; for discharging the contingent expences and meeting the general purposes and occasions of the commonwealth the sum of twenty-two thousand and twenty-seven dollars and twelve cents; for the purchase and repair of ordnance

To discharge the contracts made for arms.

The loan from the bank of Pennsylvania.

The balance of the appropriation of last year for redeeming certificates granted to Pennsylvania claimants.

The salary of the agent to prevent intrusions, &c.

The interest on lost certificates.

Balance of an appropriation for new loan certificates.

For the redemption of old state debts.

To discharge the salary of the warden of the port of Philadelphia. Of the adjutant-general and brigade-inspectors.

The contingent expences of the commonwealth, &c.

for the use of the militia artillery five thousand dollars ; which different sums as aforesaid, amounting in the whole to the sum of three hundred and fifty-one thousand six hundred and ten dollars and sixty-seven cents, are hereby appropriated as aforesaid to the service of the current year.

Duties enjoined on the comptroller-general.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the comptroller-general is hereby enjoined and required forthwith to cause all delinquent debtors to the state to be called upon and proceeded against for the recovery of all such balances as are now due to the commonwealth, and to call on the commissioners of the different counties to collect the arrearages of state taxes which the respective commissioners are hereby authorized and required to do, and after having deducted any appropriation which may have been made in their respective counties ; to pay the residue into the treasury of the state.

Made the duty of the comptroller and register, annually, to inspect the treasurer's accounts with the bank of Pennsylvania, &c.

Sec. 3. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That from and after the passing of this act it shall be the duty of the comptroller and register-general, and they are hereby required, at least once in every year, to inspect and examine not only the treasurer's accounts with the bank of Pennsylvania and its branches ; but also such books, papers and documents in the office of the state-treasurer, as they may think necessary, respecting the receipts and expenditures of public monies, and also to examine the amount of cash reserved in the office of the treasury, to meet occasional demands ; and if the state-treasurer shall refuse to exhibit his books, papers and documents, or the monies reserved in his office as aforesaid,

aforesaid, he shall for every such refusal forfeit and pay the sum of two thousand dollars, to the use of the commonwealth, to be recovered as sums of equal amount are or shall be by law recoverable.

Sec. 4. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the comptroller-general and register-general be, and they are hereby enjoined and required, to prepare and report to the legislature, at their next session, a particular account of the expenditure of the balance of fifty-three thousand one hundred and seventy-eight dollars and fifty-four cents, of the appropriation for improvements, as appears by their report of last year.

To prepare and report an account of the expenditure of a certain balance of the appropriations for improvements.

SIMON SNYDER, *Speaker*
of the House of Representatives.

ROBERT WHITEHILL, *Speaker*
of the Senate.

APPROVED—the third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four.

THOMAS M'KEAN, *Governor*
of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

CHAPTER CXXIV.

An ACT directing the Mode of selling unseated Lands for Taxes.

Section 1. **B**E it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly