

ACTS

OF THE

General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

Passed at a Session, which commenced October 27th, 1777, and ended January 2d, 1778; and at a Session which commenced February 18th, 1778, and ended April 2d, following, except chap. 748, which was passed at a preceding Session.

1777.

THOMAS WHARTON, PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.
JOHN BAYARD, SPEAKER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

CHAPTER DCCXLVIII.

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An ACT to re-establish the ancient Corporation of the Burgesses and inhabitants of the borough of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster.

SECTION II. The President or Vice-President to appoint Burgesses, Assistants, High Constable, Town Clerk, and Clerk of the Market—to continue until next election, &c. of such officers; who are to take the oath of allegiance. [Obsolete.] 3. The rights under the original charter restored, and all former estates and contracts to remain good, and former actions, wherein the corporation were plaintiffs or defendants, commenced and undetermined, revived and continued. 4. The old seal to be destroyed, and a new seal to be made.

Local Act.—Passed June 19th, 1777.—Recorded in Law Book vol. I. pa. 131. (*d*)

(*d*) See ante. chap. 306, 687, and in the borough of Lancaster, (post. an act for establishing a nightly watch chap. 1617.)

CHAPTER DCCCLX.

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A SUPPLEMENT to the act, entitled An Act for emitting the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds in bills of credit, on loan, and providing a fund for the payment of public debts.

IV. *And be it further enacted,* That the Trustees, in and by this act appointed, shall have power and authority to prosecute and pro-