aforesaid to Act and Proceed in all Matters Requisite and Necessary for Executing the Powers of Government.

A.P.S., Original Laws of Pennsylvania from 1693 to 1700, f. 137. H.S.P. Cadwalader Collection. Act of May 18, 1699, chapter 1. See chapter 154, 1700.

CHAPTER 142.

THE LAW FOR THE CONTINUATION OF AN ACT ENTITULED THE LAW FOR THE SPEEDY COLLECTING THE AREARAGES OF THE ASSESSMENT LAYD IN THE YEAR 1696.

Whereas there was an Act made In the Year 1697 Entituled The Law for the Speedy Collecting the Arearages of the Assessment Layd in 1696 which was to Continue & be In force untill the Rising of this Assembly and Twenty Days after, And whereas there was a Law made In the Year 1698 for the Continuing of the Said Law for one Year more after the rising of the last Generall Assembly But the Receiver of the Said Tax Reporting that Divers of the Collectors have not as Yet Brought in their Respective Sums they Stand Chargd withall, And that it is Requisite That the said Law be Continued for the Collecting the Said Arearages Be it Enacted And it is hereby Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the Said Law Entituled as aforesaid and every Branch and part thereof be and is hereby Continued To be in full force untill the Said Arearages be fully Gathered.

A.P.S., Original Laws of Pennsylvania from 1693 to 1700, f. 141. H.S.P. Cadwalader Collection. Act of May 18, 1699, chapter 2. Continued chapter 129, 1696. See also chapter 137, 1698.

CHAPTER 143.

THE LAW FOR RAISING THE RATE OF ONE PENNY PER POUND & SIX SHILL-INGS PER HEAD FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT & THE PAY-