

Section III. (Section III, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said commissioners be and they are hereby authorized to settle and adjust all accounts which may be exhibited by any person or persons legally employed in carrying this act into effect.

Section IV. (Section IV, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said commissioners, previous to selling any tickets in the said lottery, shall lay the scheme or schemes thereof before the governor for his approbation, and shall also enter into bond or bonds to the governor for the due and faithful performance of the several duties imposed by this act.

Section V. (Section V, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That all prizes not demanded within twelve months after publication aforesaid, shall be considered as relinquished for the benefit of the institution.

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CHAPTER MMDLXVI.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF ANDREW BOYD, FORMER TREASURER OF CHESTER COUNTY.

Whereas Andrew Boyd, late treasurer of Chester county, on a settlement of his accounts with the comptroller general, appears to be indebted to the commonwealth in the sum of two thousand three hundred dollars and eighty-six pounds, fourteen shillings and four pence, arrearages of state taxes: And whereas it has been represented to the legislature, that the said deficiency was occasioned partly by the unhappy circumstances of his wife becoming deranged, and in his absence destroying not only his books and papers, but also destroying all the money on which she could lay her hands: Therefore,

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 Andrew Boyd, late treas-

urer of Chester county be, and he is hereby exonerated and discharged from the payment of the balance which is stated to be due by him, to the commonwealth.

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CHAPTER MMDLXVII.

AN ACT TO ENABLE THE GOVERNOR OF THIS COMMONWEALTH TO INCORPORATE A COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING SLATE FROM QUARRIES WITHIN THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON, SUITABLE FOR ROOFING HOUSES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Whereas James Bell, John R. Griffiths and Adam Traquair have represented to the legislature, that they are owners of a tract of land in the county of Northampton, containing a quarry of slate, suitable for roofing houses and for other purposes, and that they and several other persons are willing to enter into a subscription for the purpose of opening the same and likewise other quarries on an extensive scale, if the legislature would grant them a charter of incorporation: And whereas such an object is deserving of the patronage and encouragement of the legislature: Therefore,

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 said James Bell, John R. Griffiths and Adam Traquair, Paul Beck, John Bennet and John Miller, stone cutter, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to do and perform the several duties hereinafter mentioned; that is to say, they shall and may on or before the twenty-second day of April next, procure a book, and therein enter as follows: "We, whose names are hereunto subscribed, promise to pay unto the president and managers of the Pennsylvania slate company, one hundred dollars for every share of stock in the said company set opposite to our respective names, in such manner and proportions, and at such times as shall be determined by the said president and managers, in pursuance of an act of the general assembly of this