

CHAPTER MMDCXXVI.

AN ACT TO RAISE BY WAY OF LOTTERY A SUM NOT EXCEEDING SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS, TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES OF ERECTING A SUITABLE BUILDING FOR ENGLISH WORSHIP AND FOR AN ENGLISH SCHOOL-HOUSE, IN THE BOROUGH OF READING, IN THE COUNTY OF BERKS.

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 Frederick Smith, Matthias Richards, Nicholas Dick, George D. B. Keim, William Witman, junior, and John R. Messersmith, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to raise by way of lottery, a sum of money not exceeding six thousand dollars, to be by them applied in defraying the expenses of erecting a suitable building for English worship; and for an English school house, in the borough of Reading, in the county of Berks, and of enabling them to complete the building aforesaid.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said commissioners, before they proceed to sell any tickets in the said lottery, shall lay such scheme thereof before the governor, as shall meet his approbation, and enter into bonds to him for the due performance of their duty, in selling the tickets, drawing the lottery, and paying the prizes; and each of them before entering on the duties of his appointment, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation, diligently and faithfully to perform the duties hereby entrusted to him, and two or more of the said commissioners shall attend at the drawing of each day, and when the whole is completed, shall cause an accurate list of the fortunate numbers to be published in the Reading Eagle.

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 leg-

ally employed in carrying this act into effect; and that all expenses necessarily attending the same shall be paid by the said commissioners, out of the net proceeds of the said lottery.

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

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CHAPTER MMDCXXVII.

AN ACT TO RAISE BY WAY OF LOTTERY, A SUM OF MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSE OF FINISHING A CHURCH IN THE TOWN OF ANNVILLE, IN THE COUNTY OF DAUPHIN.

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, Anthony Carmony, Henry Berry, David Marshall, Daniel Henning, Abraham Raiguel, and John Shertzer, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, to raise by way of lottery a sum of money not exceeding sixteen hundred dollars, to be by them applied for defraying the expense of finishing and completing a house of worship, already raised for the use of the Lutheran and Presbyterian congregation in the town of Annville, in the county of Dauphin.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the commissioners, before they proceed to sell any tickets in the lottery aforesaid, shall lay such scheme thereof before the governor, as shall meet his approbation; and enter into bonds to him for the due performance of their duty, in drawing the same; and each of them before entering on the duties of his appointment, shall take and subscribe an oath or affirmation, diligently and faith-