

sylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the sum of forty dollars, be, and the same is hereby granted to Thomas Cox, to be paid to him or his lawful attorney, immediately after the passing of this act on a warrant drawn by the governor on the state treasurer, and that an annuity of forty dollars be granted for the use of the said Thomas Cox, for and during his natural life, to be paid to Samuel Johnson, Esquire, of the township of Buckingham, county of Bucks, his executors or administrators, or his or their lawful attorney, to commence from the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eight, half-yearly on warrants drawn by the governor on the state treasurer, which annuity shall be expended by the said Samuel Johnson, his executors or administrators, in providing clothing, diet or other necessaries for the said Thomas Cox; and it shall be the duty of the said Samuel Johnson, his executors or administrators to make an annual return to the orphans court of Bucks county, on oath or affirmation of the manner in which he or they have executed the trust in him, or them, confided by this act.

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## CHAPTER MMCMVI.

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AN ACT TO RAISE BY WAY OF LOTTERY, A SUM OF MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PURCHASING A BURIAL GROUND FOR THE SOCIETY OF UNIVERSALISTS IN THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, AND TO PAY A DEBT BY THEM CONTRACTED IN THE BUILDING A HOUSE FOR PUBLIC WORSHIP, AND THE FINISHING THE SAME.

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 Israel Israel, Elisha Gordon, Thomas Amies, Jacob Thomas, John Murray, Thomas Kingston, Thomas Tomkins and Thomas F. Gordon, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to raise by way of

lottery, a sum of money not exceeding ten thousand dollars, to be by them, or any five of them, applied to the purpose of purchasing a lot of ground for the deposit of their dead, the payment of their debts, already contracted in building a House of public worship, and to finish the same.

Section II. (Section II, P. L.) And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said commissioners, before they proceed to the sale of any tickets in the said lottery, shall lay such scheme before the governor, as shall meet his approbation; and enter into bonds to him, for the due performance of their duty, in selling the said 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 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 one or more of the daily newspapers, published in the city of Philadelphia; and shall pay and discharge the prizes that shall be demanded, by persons legally entitled thereunto, within thirty days, after the drawing shall be completed.

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 state all the accounts which may be exhibited by any person or persons legally employed in carrying this act into effect, and that all expenses attending the same, except wages to the commissioners, who shall not be entitled to any compensation for their services as enjoined by this act, nor shall any other person be allowed for performing said services, shall be paid by the said commissioners out of the 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 and deemed as relinquished for the benefit of the aforesaid congregation.