

by the authority of the same, That the court of quarter sessions of the county of Indiana be, and they are hereby authorized to appoint six discreet and reputable freeholders, to view that part of the state road laid out from Blairs Gap to the Western boundary line of the state, which lies between the town of Indiana and the seventh mile-tree westward; and if upon the report of the said viewers or any five of them, making any alteration in the route of said road, the court should approve and confirm the same, a draft of the courses and distances of such alteration shall be filed in the office of the clerk of said court, and a duplicate thereof transmitted to the secretary of the commonwealth; and the said road so laid out shall thereafter be part of the state road aforesaid, and that part rendered unnecessary thereby shall be vacated; and the expense of the viewers shall be paid by warrants drawn by the commissioners on the treasury of Indiana county.

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CHAPTER MMCMIX.

AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF NATHANIEL COULTER.

Whereas it appears that Nathaniel Coulter of the county of Washington, in the years one thousand seven hundred and eighty-one, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-two and one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three, performed several tours of militia duty in defense of the Western frontier of this state, against the hostile attacks of the Indians, for which he neither received pay nor rations. And as it is but just and reasonable that the services which were rendered in defense of the commonwealth, during the period of our revolutionary contest, should be amply compensated: Therefore,

Section I. (Section I, P. L.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Penn-

sylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority aforesaid, That there be, and is hereby granted to Nathaniel Coulter, sixty dollars in full for his military services, which shall be paid to him, or his proper attorney, out of any unappropriated monies in the treasury, on a warrant drawn by the governor as is usual in other cases.

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CHAPTER MMCMX.

AN ACT TO ALLOW FURTHER TIME FOR COMPLETING THE FRANKFORD AND BRISTOL TURNPIKE ROAD, AND ERECTING A BRIDGE OVER NESHAMINY CREEK.

Whereas it has been represented, that the times allowed by law for completing the Frankford and Bristol turnpike road, and for erecting a bridge over Neshaminy creek, are insufficient, and that adequate subscriptions to carry on the said road, or to erect the said bridge, cannot for that reason be obtained: 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 so much of the twenty-fourth section of the act, entitled "An act to enable the governor of this commonwealth to incorporate a company for making an artificial road, from the intersection of Front street and the Germantown road, in the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, through Frankford and Bristol, to the ferry at Morrisville, on the river Delaware," passed on the twenty-fourth day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and three,⁽¹⁾ as declares that the rights, liberties, privileges and franchises, granted to the said company, shall revert to the commonwealth, if the company shall not complete the said road within the time in the said