

CHAPTER MMCMXLVI.

AN ACT TO AFFORD IMMEDIATE RELIEF TO JAMES WATERS, A SOLDIER DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, AND TO GRANT HIM AN ANNUITY.

Whereas it appears to the legislature that James Waters, a soldier in the Pennsylvania line received three wounds, the effects of which, combined with age, have rendered him unable to maintain himself by labor: 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 governor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the state-treasurer in favor of William Boyd, Esquire of Lancaster county, for the sum of forty dollars, which shall be paid out of any unappropriated monies in the treasury, and an annuity of forty dollars be granted for the use of James Waters, to be paid to William Boyd or his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, or his or their lawful attorney, to commence from the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight, and to be paid half yearly to the said William Boyd or his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, or to his or their lawful attorney on warrants to be drawn by the governor on the state treasurer, which money in advance, and the annuity shall be expended by the said William Boyd, his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, or his or their lawful attorney in providing clothing, diet and lodging for the said James Waters, and it shall be the duty of the said William Boyd, his executor or executors, administrator or administrators, or his or their lawful attorney to make an annual return to the orphans court of Lancaster county, on oath or affirmation, how and in what manner he or they have executed the trust in him or them confided by this act.