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An act for securing the payment of the annuities, and of the interest upon the principal sums therein provided for, and towards the discharge of such principal sums in such manner as therein in directed, and for enabling the officers of his majesty's treasury to receive certain sums for a limited time ...

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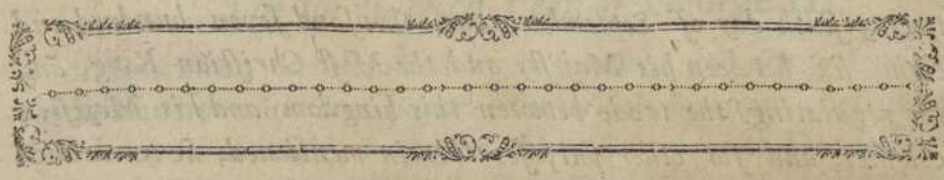
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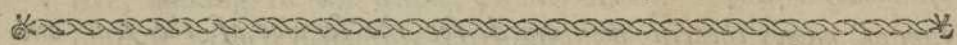
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The thirty-fifth Year of George III.



THE
THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR
OF
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CHAP. I.

An Act for securing the Payment of the Annuities, and of the Interest upon the Principal Sums therein provided for, and towards the Discharge of such Principal Sums in such Manner as therein is directed, and for enabling the Officers of His Majesty's Treasury to receive certain Sums for a limited Time, in Manner therein mentioned, and for granting to His Majesty certain Sum of Money out of the Consolidated Fund, and for applying a certain Sum of Money therein mentioned, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, and for other Purposes.

WHEREAS by an act of parliament made and passed in the thirty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An Act for granting for one year the several duties therein mentioned, in lieu of all other duties payable upon the articles therein specified during the said term, and for continuing the effect of a treaty of commerce and navigation signed at Versailles, on the*

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Recital 35
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35 Geo. 3. c.
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recital 29
Geo. 3. c. 3.

navigation
debentures
have been
issued at 4
per cent.

100l. from
25 Mar. 1794.

200l. from
26 Apr. 1794.

400l. from 25
Dec. 1794.

twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six, between his Majesty and the Most Christian King, and for regulating the trade between this kingdom and his Majesty's colonies, and for other purposes therein mentioned, several aids and duties were granted to his Majesty, his heirs and successors, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, inclusive, to pay an interest for the several sums mentioned in an act passed in the thirty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for securing the payment of the annuities, and of the interest upon the principal sums therein provided for, and towards the discharge of such principal sums in such manner as therein is directed, and for enabling the officers of his Majesty's treasury to receive certain sums for a limited time in manner therein mentioned, and for granting to his Majesty a certain sum of money out of the consolidated fund, and for applying a certain sum of money therein mentioned, for the service of the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, and for other purposes, or so much thereof as should remain unpaid on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, to the person or persons who lent the same, his, her, or their executors, administrators, or assigns, at the respective rates therein respectively mentioned, to commence from the said twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five without any fee or charge, and free from all deductions whatsoever, until such times as they should be respectively paid their principal money at one entire payment, and also to pay the several annuities and charges therein mentioned: and whereas in pursuance of an act passed in the twenty-ninth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for the promotion and encouragement of inland navigation*; several further sums have been raised, for which sums debentures bearing an interest at the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*, have been issued, that is to say, one hundred pounds, for which a debenture bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four: two hundred pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four; four hundred pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twenty-fifth day*

of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four; four thousand two hundred pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four; nine thousand pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twelfth day of February, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; three hundred pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twentieth day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; one thousand three hundred pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twelfth day of May, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; four thousand three hundred pounds, for which debentures bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; and ten thousand pounds, bearing such interest as aforesaid, from the sixth day of July, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, making in the whole, twenty-nine thousand eight hundred pounds, which debentures are outstanding and unpaid: and whereas in pursuance of an act passed in the thirty-first year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for directing the further application of the sum of two hundred thousand pounds, granted by an act passed in the twenty-ninth year of his present Majesty, entitled, An act for the promotion and encouragement of inland navigation*, a sum of fifteen thousand pounds, the remainder of the sum of twenty-two thousand pounds, granted upon the condition in the said act mentioned, to the company of undertakers of the grand canal, for the purpose therein mentioned, hath been raised, for which sum debentures bearing an interest at the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*, from the sixth day of July, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, have been issued, and which are outstanding and unpaid: and whereas in pursuance of a power in the said second recited act, to raise the sum of one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four-pence, the said sum hath been raised and paid into his Majesty's treasury, for four hundred thousand pounds of which raised in this kingdom, debentures bearing an interest at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, payable at the receipt of the Exchequer in this kingdom, have been issued; and the sum of one million one hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds thirteen shillings and four-pence, the remainder of the said sum was subscribed for and paid at the bank of England, for the use of the government

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4,200l. from
31 Dec.
1794.
9000l. from
12 Feb. 1795.
300l. from
20 Apr. 1795.
1,300l. from
12 May 1795.
4,300l. from
24 June 1795.
10,000l. from
6 July 1795.
in all 29,800l.
Recital 31
Geo. 3.
15,000l. has
been raised
by 31 Geo. 3.
for inland na-
vigation, for
which debentures have
been issued at
4 per cent.
from 6 July
1795;
1,591,666l.
13s. 4d.
raised under
2d recited
act;
debentures
for 400,000l.
raised in this
kingdom at
5 per cent.
from 25 Mar.
1795, have
been issued;
1,191,666l.
13s. 4d was
paid at bank
of England
for use of this
kingdom.

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for which an
interest of 5
per cent.
from 25 Mar.
1795, is pay-
able in Lon-
don;

annuities
amounting to
5000l. per
annum, to
be paid to
subscribers of
400,000l.

annuities
amounting to
13,058l. 13s.
7½d. Irish
currency, to
be paid to
bank of Eng-
land;

Recital of 35
G. 3. c. 37.

treasury bills
have been
issued for
300,000l. at
5 per cent.
from 25 Dec.
1795, under
35 Geo. 3.
c. 37.

aids granted
by first recit-
ed act insuffi-
cient;

of this kingdom, and made stock, transferable in transfer-books, agreed to be kept by the governor and company of the bank of England; for which sum an interest of five pounds *per centum per annum*, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, is payable in the city of London, by the persons appointed to pay the same, and the said sums are due and unpaid: and whereas towards effectuating the raising of the said sum of one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four-pence, annuities of twenty-five shillings by the year, for each sum of one hundred pounds of the principal sum of four hundred thousand pounds, so paid into his Majesty's treasury for fifteen years, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, amounting to five thousand pounds *per annum*, have in pursuance of the said act been appointed to be paid to the persons who subscribed the same; and annuities of one pound one shilling and eleven pence British currency by the year, for each sum of one hundred pounds British currency, of the said principal sum of one million one hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds, thirteen shillings and four-pence, being one million one hundred thousand pounds British currency, subscribed for at the bank of England, for fifteen years, from the said twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, amounting to thirteen thousand and fifty-eight pounds, thirteen shillings and seven-pence-halfpenny Irish currency, have been appointed to be paid at the bank of England, in pursuance of the said act: and whereas in pursuance of a power in another act passed in the thirty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for raising the sum therein mentioned, to defray such extraordinary expences as may be necessarily incurred for the service of the present year*, the sum of three hundred thousand pounds hath been paid into his Majesty's treasury, for which sum a treasury bill, or treasury bills hath, or have been issued, bearing an interest at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, from the twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, and is, or are to pass current to any receiver or collector in this kingdom, on or after the twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six: and whereas the aids and duties granted to his Majesty, in and by the said first recited act, and appropriated to pay and discharge the several principal sums in the said second recited act, and herein before mentioned, and the interest of the same respectively, and the several annuities therein mentioned, have not proved sufficient for such purpose: and
whereas

whereas it is necessary to provide for the payment of the several principal sums at any time or times heretofore borrowed upon, or secured by debentures or treasury bills, which shall remain unpaid on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, together with the interest thereof, and also to provide for the payment of the several life annuities heretofore granted upon the respective sums of two hundred and sixty-five thousand pounds, one hundred and seventy-five thousand pounds, and three hundred thousand pounds; and also to provide for the payment of an annuity to the governor and company of the bank of Ireland, pursuant to an agreement herein after mentioned, in lieu of the sum of twenty-four thousand pounds, the amount of the interest after the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*, upon the sum of six hundred thousand pounds, which had been subscribed upon debentures cancelled, pursuant to an act passed in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for establishing a bank, by the name of the governor and company of the bank of Ireland*, and also to provide for the payment of the annuities granted in pursuance of an act passed in the twenty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for granting to his Majesty the several aids, duties and rates, impositions and taxes therein particularly expressed, to be applied to the payment of the interest of the sums therein provided for, and towards discharge of the said principal sums, in such manner as therein is directed, and for such purposes as are therein mentioned*, for effectuating the raising of the sum of two hundred thousand pounds, in the said act mentioned; and of the annuities granted in pursuance of an act passed in the thirty-fourth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for securing the payment of the annuities, and of the interest of the principal sums therein provided for, and towards the discharge of such principal sums, in such manner as therein is directed, and for enabling the officers of his Majesty's treasury to receive certain sums for a limited time, in manner therein mentioned, and for granting to his Majesty a certain sum of money out of the consolidated fund, and for applying a certain sum of money therein mentioned, for the service of the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, and for other purposes*, for effectuating the raising of the sum of one million and twenty-nine thousand six hundred and fifty pounds therein mentioned; and of the annuities granted in pursuance of the said second recited act, for effectuating the raising of the said sum of one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds

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provision necessary to be made for sums borrowed, and for payment of annuities, &c. &c.

as also for annuity to bank of Ireland for 24,000l. recital of 21 & 22 Geo. 3. for establishing a bank,

also for payment of annuities under 25 Geo. 3.

recital 25 Geo. 3.

also for payment of annuities under 34 Geo. 3.

also for annuities under 2d recited act;

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also for sums raised under 29 & 31 G. 3. and interest at 4 per cent.

for sums heretofore borrowed on debentures at $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. and 5 per cent.

and for 29,800l. on debentures at 4 per cent. by 29 Geo. 3.

and for 15,000l. on debentures at 4 per cent. by 31 Geo. 3.

and for sums heretofore borrowed under recited acts on debentures at 4 per cent. out standing;

and for 400,000l. on debentures at 5 per cent. by 2d recited act, unpaid 25 Mar. 1796, interest to be paid every 6 months at the treasury, or in London, until principal sums paid.

thirteen shillings and four-pence; and also to provide for the payment of the said several sums, amounting to twenty-nine thousand eight hundred pounds, and fifteen thousand pounds, raised upon debentures in pursuance of the said acts passed in the twenty-ninth and thirty-first years of his Majesty's reign, and interest upon the same, at the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*; be it therefore enacted by the King's most excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the lords spiritual and temporal, and commons in this present parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, That for the several principal sums heretofore borrowed upon, or secured by debentures bearing an interest at the rate of three pounds ten shillings *per centum per annum*, and five pounds *per centum per annum* respectively; and for the said principal sum of twenty-nine thousand eight hundred pounds, raised in pursuance of the said act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of his Majesty's reign, upon, or secured by debentures, bearing an interest at the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*, and for the said principal sum of fifteen thousand pounds, raised in pursuance of the said act, passed in the thirty-first year of his Majesty's reign, upon, or secured by debentures, bearing an interest at the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*; and for the several sums heretofore borrowed in pursuance of the said acts, or of any other act, upon, or secured by debentures, bearing an interest at the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*, which are still outstanding and unpaid; and for the said sum of four hundred thousand pounds, part of the said sum of one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds thirteen shillings and four-pence, borrowed in pursuance of the said second recited act, upon, or secured by debentures, bearing an interest at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, and which shall remain unpaid on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, there shall be paid at the receipt of his Majesty's Exchequer in this kingdom, at the end of every six calendar months, to be computed from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to the person or persons who paid or lent, or shall have become intitled to the same respectively, his, her, or their executors, administrators or assigns, an interest at the rate of three pounds ten shillings *per centum per annum*, four pounds *per centum per annum*, and five pounds *per centum per annum* respectively; and for the several sums heretofore borrowed upon, or secured by debentures, bearing an interest at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, payable in the city of

London;

London; and for the sum of one million one hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, Irish currency, the remainder of the said sum of one million five hundred and ninety-one thousand six hundred and sixty-six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, subscribed for and paid at the bank of England, and made stock transferable there, there shall be paid by the person or persons appointed in the city of London, for the payment of such interest, at the end of every six calendar months, to be computed from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to the person or persons who paid or lent, or shall have become intitled to the same respectively, his, her, or their executors, administrators or assigns, an interest at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, Irish currency, such interest to be paid without any fee or charge, and free from all deductions whatsoever, until such time as they shall be respectively paid their principal money at one entire payment.

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II. And be it further enacted, That the said several life annuities heretofore granted to the several subscribers, who advanced and paid the said three several sums of two hundred and sixty-five thousand pounds, and one hundred and seventy-five thousand pounds, and three hundred thousand pounds, into his Majesty's treasury, shall and may be regularly paid to the persons thereunto respectively intitled, as the same shall become due, according to the true intent and meaning of the several acts heretofore made concerning the same respectively.

Life annuities to be paid as they become due.

III. And whereas on the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one, an agreement was made by the governor and company of the bank of Ireland, by which amongst other things it is agreed, that if it shall appear that a sum of two hundred and fifty thousand pounds, consisting of the monies of the suitors in his Majesty's courts, and of the publick, deposited in the said bank, should within any year after the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, continue, or be therein, for such time or times as shall amount to nine calendar months, then the said governor and company shall, in every such year, ending the twenty-fourth day of June, pay unto his Majesty, his heirs and successors, the sum of six thousand three hundred pounds, in compensation for the expence incurred by government, for the salaries or allowances to officers, in consequence of transferring the monies of the suitors, and of the publick, to the said bank, that is to say, to the four masters in chancery, a salary of three hundred pounds each; the accountant general

Recital of agreement by bank of Ireland on 27 April 1791.

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Further agree-
ment with
bank of Ire-
land.

Rich. Power,
esq; being
since dead,
the allowance
to him hath
ceased, &c.

25,500l. to
be paid to
bank of Ire-
land by half-
yearly pay-
ments, in lieu
of annuity
of 24,000l.
pursuant to
agreement;

ral in chancery, a salary of five hundred pounds; the clerk of the reports in chancery, a salary of one hundred and twenty pounds; and the usher of the court of chancery, a poundage for the money lodged; and to the accountant general of the court of exchequer, a salary of three hundred pounds; the clerk of the reports in the exchequer, a salary of one hundred and twenty pounds; the chief remembrancer, a poundage for money lodged; and the teller of the exchequer, a salary of one thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds; provided that such compensation so far as it relates to the offices of the teller of the exchequer, the chief remembrancer of the court of exchequer, and the usher of the court of chancery should not continue longer than the specific terms for which allowances had been granted to them respectively, nor longer than the lives respectively of the right honourable William Burton Conyngham, James earl of Clanbrafill, and Richard Power, esquire, the then officers; and it is also by the said agreement agreed, that if on the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, the value of government debentures be in such proportion, that money might not then be raised or borrowed on the security of such debentures, at an interest less than after the rate of four pounds five shillings *per centum*, an annuity equal to the interest of the said sum of six hundred thousand pounds, at the rate of four pounds five shillings *per centum per annum*, should be paid to the governor and company of the bank of Ireland, from the said twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, in lieu of the said annuity of twenty-four thousand pounds, and that the same should be established by an act of parliament, to be passed in the first session of parliament to be held after the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five.

IV. And whereas the said Richard Power hath since died, and the allowance of poundage to him hath ceased; be it enacted, That the said agreement be, and the same is hereby confirmed.

V. And whereas on the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, money could not be borrowed on government debentures at an interest so low as after the rate of four pounds five shillings *per centum per annum*; be it enacted, That the yearly sum of twenty-five thousand five hundred pounds, being a sum equal to the interest of the said sum of six hundred thousand pounds, at the rate of four pounds five shillings *per centum per annum*, commencing from the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, shall be regularly paid to the governor and company of the bank of Ireland, pursuant

purfuant to the faid agreement, by half-yearly payments, in lieu of the annuity of twenty-four thousand pounds appointed to be paid to the faid governor and company by the faid act, entitled, *An act for eftablifhing a bank by the name of the governor and company of the bank of Ireland*, in the fame manner as the faid annuity of twenty-four thousand pounds was by the faid act directed to be paid.

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VI. And be it enacted, That in every year ending on the twenty-fourth day of June, within which a fum of two hundred and fifty thousand pounds, confifting of the monies of the fuitors in his Majesty's courts, and of the publick deposited in the faid bank, fhall from and after the faid twenty-fourth day of June, one thoufand feven hundred and ninety-five, have continued, or be therein for fuch time or times as fhall be equal or amount to nine calendar months, to be afcertained by the weekly returns made by the faid bank to the lords commissioners of his Majesty's treasury, then the faid governor and company of the bank of Ireland, fhall in every fuch year ending the twenty-fourth day of June, pay into the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer for the ufe of his Majesty, his heirs and fucceffors, the expence incurred by the government of this kingdom for the falaries and allowances to officers in confequence of transferring the monies of the fuitors, and of the publick to the faid bank, purfuant to the faid agreement, that is to fay, to the four mafters in chancery a falary of three hundred pounds a year each; to the accountant-general in chancery a falary of five hundred pounds a year; to the clerk of the reports in chancery a falary of one hundred and twenty pounds a year; to the accountant-general of the court of exchequer a falary of three hundred pounds a year; to the clerk of the reports in the exchequer a falary of one hundred and twenty pounds a year; and to the faid William Burton Conyngham during his life, a falary of one thoufand feven hundred and fifty pounds, amounting to the yearly fum of three thoufand nine hundred and ninety pounds, together with a poundage to the remembrancer of the court of exchequer for money lodged; or the fame fhall on every twenty-fourth day of June, on which fuch payment according to the terms of the faid agreement and this act fhall accrue, fhall be deducted by the commissioners for executing the office of lord high treafurer of this kingdom for the time being, or the lord high treafurer for the time being, and retained out of fuch part of the faid annuity of twenty-five thoufand five hundred pounds, as fhall be then due and payable.

On 24 June in every year, as herein, the bank of Ireland to pay expence of falaries of officers incurred by transfer of fuitors, and publick money, to faid bank; recital of falaries to be paid;

annual amount of 3,990l. with poundage to remembrancer of court of exchequer; or faid fum deducted on every 24 June, by lord high treafurer out of annuity.

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Allowance
to chief re-
membrancer
to continue
no longer than
herein.

Annuities
by 25 Geo. 3.
by 34 Geo. 3.
& 35 Geo. 3.
to be paid as
they become
due.

Interest to
be paid as
herein on
treasury bills
not yet cur-
rent:

Treasury bills
for 100,000l.
part of
165,750l.
and 100,000l.
raised by 29
Geo. 3. are
to be current
after 24 Jun.
1796, as
herein;

VII. Provided always, That such sum or sums as shall be payable to the chief remembrancer of the court of exchequer shall not continue longer than the term for which the allowance to him hath been granted, nor longer than the life of the said James earl of Clanbrassill, the present chief remembrancer.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That the several annuities granted in pursuance of the said act passed in the twenty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, and the several annuities granted in pursuance of the said act passed in the thirty-fourth year of his Majesty's reign; and the said several annuities granted in pursuance of the said second recited act passed in the thirty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, be regularly paid to the persons thereunto respectively entitled, as the same shall become due, according to the true intent and meaning of the said acts respectively.

IX. And be it further enacted, That for the principal sums at any time heretofore borrowed upon, or secured by treasury bills now outstanding and unpaid, and which are not yet current to any receiver or collector of any revenue, aid, or tax in this kingdom, bearing an interest of two pence halfpenny by the day for each one hundred pounds, and three pence by the day for each one hundred pounds, and five pounds *per centum per annum*, and which shall remain unpaid on the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, there shall be paid at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to the person or persons having paid the same respectively, his, her, or their executors, administrators, and assigns, an interest after the rate of two pence halfpenny by the day, and three pence by the day for every one hundred pounds, and five pounds *per centum per annum*, according to the tenor of such treasury bills respectively, without any fee or charge, and free from all deductions whatsoever, until they shall be respectively paid their principal money at one entire payment.

X. And whereas the treasury bills which have been issued for the sum of one hundred thousand pounds, part of the two several sums of one hundred and sixty-five thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds, and one hundred thousand pounds raised pursuant to a power in an act passed in the twenty-ninth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for granting to his Majesty the several aids, duties, rates, impositions, and taxes therein particularly expressed, to be applied to the payment of the interest of the principal sums therein provided for, and towards the discharge of the said principal sums, in such manner as therein is directed, and for such*

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other purposes as are therein mentioned, bearing an interest from the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine, are, if not paid off on or before the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to be received, taken, and to be current to any receiver or collector in this kingdom for, or in satisfaction of any custom, excise, revenue, aid, or tax, then due, or thereafter to become due or payable to his Majesty, his heirs and successors, and to be taken, pass, and be current at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer from every such receiver or collector, for or in respect of the customs, excise, or any revenue, aid, or tax by him collected or received on or after the said twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six: and whereas the treasury bills which have been issued for the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, part of a sum of three hundred thousand pounds, raised pursuant to a power in an act passed in the thirty-third year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act to enable his excellency the lord lieutenant to issue treasury bills for raising the sum of three hundred thousand pounds*; and which treasury bills bear interest from the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-three, and the treasury bill or bills which hath, or have been issued for the said sum of three hundred thousand pounds, raised in pursuance of a power in the said act passed in the thirty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for raising the sum therein mentioned, to defray such extraordinary expences as may be necessarily incurred for the service of the present year*, are, if not paid off on or before the twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to be received and taken, and be current to any receiver or collector in this kingdom of the customs, excise, or any revenue, aid, or tax, in this kingdom, for or in satisfaction of any custom, excise, revenue, aid, or tax then due, or thereafter to become due or payable to his Majesty, his heirs and successors, and to be taken, pass, and be current at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer from every such receiver or collector, for or in respect of the customs, excise, or any revenue, aid, or tax, by him collected or received on or after the twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six: and whereas it is necessary to provide for the payment of the said treasury bills issued for the said sums of one hundred thousand pounds, one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, and three hundred thousand pounds; be it enacted, That as to all such treasury bills so issued for the said sum of one hundred thousand pounds, which are so made current from and after the twenty-fourth day of June,

treasury bills for 150,000l. part of 300,000l. pursuant to 33 Geo. 3. from 24 June 1793; and treasury bills for said 300,000l. by 35 Geo. 3. are to be current from 25 Dec. 1796.

lords of treasury, or lord high treasurer to call in treasury bills

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for 100,000l.
after 24 June,
1796;

treasury bills
for 150,000l.
and for
3000,000l.
to be called
in after 25
Dec. 1796

one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, it shall and may be lawful for the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury (for the time being) or any three or more of them (or the lord high treasurer for the time being) at any time or times from and after the said twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to call in, and pay off and discharge the same, or such parts thereof as shall remain unpaid or unsatisfied on the said twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; and as to all such treasury bills so issued for the said sum of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, and the treasury bill or bills which hath or have issued for the said sum of three hundred thousand pounds which are so made current from and after the twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, it shall and may be lawful for the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury for the time being, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer (for the time being) at any time or times from and after the said twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to call in, and pay off and discharge the same, or such parts thereof as shall remain unpaid on the said twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six.

XI. And we your Majesty's loyal subjects the commons of Ireland in parliament assembled, towards raising the necessary supplies which we have cheerfully granted to your Majesty in this session of parliament, have resolved to give and grant unto your Majesty, the sum herein after mentioned, and do therefore most humbly beseech your Majesty, that it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the authority aforesaid, That by and out of such monies as shall from time to time be, and remain in the receipt of the exchequer, of the surplus of the fund called the consolidated fund, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven inclusive, after paying or reserving sufficient to pay all such sum and sums of money as have been directed by any former act or acts of parliament to be paid out of the same, shall and may be issued and applied for, and towards making good the supply granted to your Majesty for the service of the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, a sum not ex-

2,202,521.
£ 1s. 3¹/₂d. to-
gether with
478,967l. 9s.
7¹/₂d. being a
balance of
1794, to be
applied out of
the surplus of
the conso-
lidated fund
for the ser-
vice of the
year 1796:

ceeding two millions two hundred and two thousand and fifty-two pounds eleven shillings and three pence halfpenny, together with a sum of four hundred and seventy-eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven pounds nine shillings and seven pence halfpenny, being a balance unapplied, of the supply granted for the service of the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, making in the whole two millions six hundred and eighty-one thousand and twenty pounds and eleven pence; and the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury now, or for the time being, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer for the time being, are or is hereby authorized to issue and apply the same accordingly.

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XII. And whereas it may be found adviseable to raise part of the said last mentioned sum, not exceeding one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds on loan; be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to raise on loan, the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds, or such part or parts thereof, as the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer, with the approbation of the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being, shall think proper.

1,262,400^l.
may be raised
on loan.

XIII. And whereas it may be necessary to raise the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds on loan, by debentures to carry an interest, not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, aided by an annuity, for a certain term of years, or by treasury bills, to carry an interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, or partly by such debentures, aided by such annuity, and partly by such treasury bills; be it therefore enacted, that for so much of the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds, as shall be actually paid by any person or persons into the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, upon loan by debenture, bearing an interest, not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, there shall be paid at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, at the end of every six calendar months, to the person or persons so paying or lending the same, his or their executors, administrators or assigns, such interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per*

If necessary
to raise said
sum by de-
bentures at
5 per cent.
to be paid
every 6
months to
subscribers.

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Debentures for sums subscribed, to be given in the usual manner;

debentures to be numbered

XIV. And be it further enacted, That a debenture or receipt for every sum so to be subscribed and paid, bearing such interest as aforesaid, shall be given by the proper officer of his Majesty's treasury, for all and every such sum and sums of money as shall be raised on loan by debenture, and paid into the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, in the like manner, as hath been usually done in cases where principal sums have been heretofore borrowed on loan by debenture; and the debentures or receipts so to be given, shall be numbered in arithmetical progression, where the common excess or difference is to be one, until the whole shall be numbered.

Annuities to be granted to subscribers to loan not exceeding 1l. 5s. per ann. for every 100l. subscribed and paid, for not more than 25 years;

annuities to be paid at receipt of exchequer.

XV. And whereas in order to effectuate the raising such part of the said sum as shall be raised upon such debentures as aforesaid, it may be necessary to grant annuities for certain terms of years, to the persons subscribing to a loan on such debentures; be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being, to appoint to be paid to such person or persons as shall subscribe at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer in this kingdom, any sum or sums towards raising the said sum of loan by debentures, such annuity or annuities, as shall be agreed upon by the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or governors for the time being, not exceeding the lowest rate that shall be offered by any person subscribing to the said loan; provided such rate shall not exceed one pound five shillings per annum, for every one hundred pounds so subscribed and paid, for any term of years, not more than fifteen; and that such annuities as shall be so appointed, shall be paid to the person or persons so subscribing, his, her or their executors, administrators and assigns, at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer in this kingdom; and such annuities shall be paid at such

such time or times, and in such manner, and shall commence from such period as shall be appointed.

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XVI. And be it enacted, That for so much of the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds, as shall be actually paid at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer on loan by treasury bills, there shall be paid at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, at the end of every six calendar months, to the person or persons so paying or lending the same, his, her, or their executors, administrators or assigns, such interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, and to commence from such time as shall be agreed upon, by the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer of this kingdom, with the approbation of the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being, without any fee or charge, and free from all deductions whatsoever, until such time as they shall respectively be paid their principal money in one entire payment.

5 per cent.
to be paid on
treasury bills
every 6
months.

XVII. And be it enacted, That for so much of the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds, as shall be actually paid into his Majesty's treasury on loan by treasury bills as aforesaid, bills entitling the bearer to the amount of the sums to be respectively specified therein, and declaring such amount to be payable or pass current at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, at such time and times as shall be directed by the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or chief governors of this kingdom for the time being, shall be issued and given by the proper officers of his Majesty's treasury; such bills to bear an interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, and to be numbered in arithmetical progression, where the common excess or difference is to be one, until the whole shall be numbered, beginning with the number one.

Treasury
bills bearing
5 per cent.
shall be issued
as herein, to
subscribers.

XVIII. Provided always, That every such bill so to be issued as aforesaid, shall and may on or after such time or times as shall be appointed by the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or chief governors of this kingdom for the time being, if not sooner paid off, be received and taken by, and be current to any receiver or collector in this king-

Said trea-
sury bills to
be current as
herein, after
time appoint-
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dom, of the customs, excise, or any revenue, aid or tax in this kingdom, for and in satisfaction of any custom, excise, revenue, aid or tax then, or thereafter respectively to become due or payable to his Majesty, his heirs and successors, and shall be taken, pass, and be current at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer, from every such receiver or collector, for or in respect of the customs, excise, or any revenue, aid or tax by him collected or received, on or after such time or times as shall be appointed as aforesaid.

XIX. And whereas it may be expedient to raise the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty two thousand four hundred pounds, or part thereof, in England, either by debentures to carry an interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, aided by such annuity as aforesaid, or by subscriptions to stock, to be entered in books to be kept by the governor and company of the bank of England, in case the said governor and company shall agree to keep transfer-books of such stock, such stock to carry an interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, aided by such annuity as aforesaid, such stock and annuities to be transferable at the bank of England, or to raise the said sum by either of the said ways, be it therefore enacted, That for so much of the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty two thousand four hundred pounds, as shall be actually paid by any person or persons in England, for the use of the government of this kingdom, there shall be paid at the bank of England, or by the person or persons appointed to pay the same in London, to the person or persons so paying or lending such sum, his, her, or their executors, administrators and assigns, such interest not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, and to commence from such time or times as shall be agreed upon, by the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer of this kingdom, with the approbation of the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being, without any fee or charge, and free from all deductions whatsoever, until such time as they shall be respectively paid their principal money at one entire payment.

5 per cent.
to be paid to
subscribers in
England, at
bank of Eng-
land, or by
persons ap-
pointed to
pay the
same in
London.

If transfer
books be
kept at bank

XX. And in case transfer books of stock, consisting of such money as shall be subscribed in England, towards raising

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ing the said sum to be borrowed in pursuance of this act, shall be kept at the bank of England; be it enacted, That the entries in such transfer books shall be evidence of the right and title of the person or persons appearing by such entries to have a right thereto, and shall in every respect be as effectual and sufficient for every purpose for which entries in any transfer book kept at the bank of England, of any stock in any fund in Great Britain, as any entry in any transfer book kept at the bank of England, of stock there; and in case such transfer books of stock consisting of such money as shall be subscribed in England, towards raising the said sum to be borrowed in pursuance of this act, shall not be kept at the bank of England, then for so much of the said sum as shall be paid in England for the use of the government of this kingdom, debentures for every one hundred pounds British money which shall be so paid, bearing an interest at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, shall be given by the proper officers of his Majesty's treasury, to the person or persons so paying the same, his, her, or their executors, administrators or assigns, in like manner as debentures issued for money paid at the receipt of his Majesty's exchequer in this kingdom.

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of England,
they shall be
evidence of
right, &c.

if transfer
books of
stock be not
kept at the
bank of Eng-
land, subscri-
bers there
shall get de-
bentures at 5
per cent. Bri-
tish.

XXI. And in case the governor and company of the said bank, shall agree to keep transfer books of the same; be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the lord lieutenant or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being, to appoint to be paid to such person or persons as shall subscribe in England for the use of the government of this kingdom, any sum or sums towards raising the said sum of one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds, such annuities as aforesaid, and such annuities as shall be so appointed shall be paid to the person or persons so subscribing, his, her, or their executors, administrators and assigns, at the bank of England, at such time or times, and in such manner, and to commence from such period as by virtue of the aforesaid power shall be appointed.

Annuities
may be grant-
ed to subscri-
bers in Eng-
land, and paid
at bank of
England.

XXII. And whereas towards raising the supply granted to his Majesty, it may be necessary to establish a lottery; be it therefore enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury for the time being, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer for the time being, with the approbation of the lord lieutenant

A lottery
may be estab-
lished con-
sisting of
40,000 tick-
ets, and be
subscribed

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for, drawn,
&c. as direct-
ed by com-
missioners of
treasury, &c.

and subject
to powers,
provisions, re-
strictions, &c.
as by 21 &
22 G. 3. c. 2
33 G. 3. c.
18. 33 G. 3.
c. 37. & 35
G. 3. c. 35.

or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being for that purpose, to establish a lottery consisting of forty thousand tickets, upon which prizes to the amount of two hundred thousand pounds and no more, shall be paid, and that such lottery shall be drawn at such time after the first day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, and consist of such number of tickets as aforesaid, at such price or prices to be subscribed for and paid at such time or times, and in such proportions, and upon such scheme or schemes of prizes to be paid in ready money, and at such time or times, and with all such further and other regulations, powers, and provisions necessary to carry the same into execution, as shall be appointed and directed by the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury for the time being, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer for the time being, and that such lottery so to be established shall be conducted and carried on with such powers and authorities, and under and subject to such regulations and directions, and with such form of books, mode of drawing, provisions as to tickets delivered or not subscribed for, rewards to managers and other officers, discount for subscriptions advanced, and such forfeitures for omissions to pay or complete subscriptions to such lottery within such time or times as shall be appointed by the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury for the time being, or any three or more of them, or by the lord high treasurer for the time being, and under and subject to such powers, to pay incident expences necessary to be incurred in the execution of such lottery or lotteries; and such other powers and authorities, provisions, restrictions, penalties, forfeitures, and remedies as are severally mentioned in an act made and passed in the twenty-first and twenty-second years of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for granting unto his Majesty the several duties, rates, impositions, and taxes therein particularly expressed, to be applied to the payment of the interest of the sums therein provided for, and towards the discharge of the said principal sums in such manner as therein is directed, and for such other purposes as are therein mentioned*, and in one other act passed in the thirty-third year of the reign of his Majesty, entitled, *An act to prevent the insurance of lottery tickets, to regulate the drawing of lotteries, and to amend the laws respecting the same*; and also in one other act passed in the same year, entitled,

entitled, *An act for continuing and amending the several laws relating to his Majesty's revenue, and for more effectually preventing frauds therein*; and in one other act passed in the thirty-fifth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act for amending the laws for the regulation of lottery offices, and for preventing the insurance of lottery tickets*; unless the same shall be otherwise provided for this session of parliament, or shall be enacted by any act or acts to be passed in this session of parliament, as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes, as if the same and every of them were herein particularly set forth and enacted with respect to such lottery to be established, and that the sum of two hundred thousand pounds of the monies which shall arise by contributions to the said lottery, shall be applied to the discharge of the prizes in the late lottery.

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200,000*l.* to be applied to discharge of prizes in late lottery.

XXIII. And be it enacted, That all monies coming into the receipt of the exchequer by loans by virtue of this act, and all monies arising by profits on tickets in any lottery, in pursuance of this act, shall be carried to and be part of the consolidated fund.

All monies arising by this act as herein to be part of consolidated fund.

XXIV. And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the governor and company of the bank of Ireland, to advance or lend to his Majesty, at the receipt of the exchequer, upon the credit of any loan granted by this act, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the whole, the amount of the sums respectively by this act authorized to be raised by loan, any law to the contrary notwithstanding, so as that no higher or greater sum by way of interest, discount, gratuity, or other consideration, shall be demanded or taken by the said corporation, or any other person in their behalf, than at the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, for any money so advanced.

Bank of Ireland may advance money hereby authorized to be raised at 5 per cent.

XXV. And be it enacted, That the sum of two millions two hundred thousand nine hundred and fifty-three pounds one shilling and three pence halfpenny, by this act granted out of the monies that shall arise by the surplus of the fund, called the consolidated fund, from the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six inclusive; and the said sum of four hundred and seventy-eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven pounds nine shillings and seven pence halfpenny, shall be, and they are hereby

The 2,200,953*l.* 1*s.* 3½*d.* granted out of consolidated fund;

and the 478,967*l.* 9*s.* 7½*d.* shall be issued as aforesaid, and applied as hereafter.

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550,000l.
to pay treasury bills,
current 24th
June and 25th
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XXVI. And be it enacted, That out of all or any of the aids and supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied the sum of five hundred and fifty thousand pounds, to the payment and discharge of the said treasury bills, which are made current as herein before mentioned, on the twenty-fourth day of June, and twenty-fifth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six.

1,891,967l.
4s. 5½d. for
land forces,
&c.

XXVII. And be it enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money, not exceeding one million eight hundred and ninety one thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven pounds four shillings and five pence farthing, for and towards maintaining his Majesty's land forces, and other services herein particularly expressed; that is to say, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding four hundred and eleven thousand and sixty-two pounds twelve shillings and seven pence halfpenny, for defraying the charge of twelve thousand effective men, for guards, garrisons and other his Majesty's forces in Ireland, including the pay of commissioned and non-commissioned officers and private men, the charge of agency, and the charge of allowances to be made to captains, pay-masters, surgeons, riding-masters, and for serjeants to be maintained within this kingdom for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding sixty-six thousand three hundred and seventeen pounds thirteen shillings and four pence halfpenny, for defraying the charge of three thousand two hundred and thirty-four men serving abroad, including the pay of commissioned and non-commissioned officers and private men, the charge of agency, and the charge of allowances to be made to captains, pay-masters, surgeons, riding masters, and for serjeants to be maintained by this kingdom, for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding one hundred and fifty-nine thousand nine hundred and eleven pounds fourteen shillings and nine-pence halfpenny, for defraying the charge of seven thousand and

411,062l.
12s. 7½d. for
12,000 men,
&c.

66,317l. 13s.
4½d. for 3234
men serving
abroad, &c.

159,911l.
14s. 9½d. for
7012 men,
the augmentation;

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twelve men, the augmentation to the land forces of this kingdom for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding five thousand four hundred and eighty-one pounds, for defraying the charge of the additional pay to such regiments of cavalry and infantry as may be commanded on duty in Dublin for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven pounds ten shillings, for defraying the charge of general and general staff officers for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding twelve thousand nine hundred and one pounds nineteen shillings and eight pence, for defraying the charge of additional general and general staff officers for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding eight thousand one hundred and seventy-two pounds nineteen shillings and one penny half-penny, for defraying the charge of the allowances to the muster-master-general, quarter-master-general, adjutant-general, judge-advocate-general, physician, and surgeon-general, provost martial-general, major of brigade, six commissaries of musters, the agent for the transmission of deserters, and the town-major, their deputies and clerks, and the contingent expences of their respective offices for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding five thousand five hundred and forty-one pounds twelve shillings and three pence halfpenny, for defraying the charge of governors of garrisons, of military incidents, and of fire and candles for garrisons for one year, to the thirty-first of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding fifty-seven thousand seven hundred and twenty-six pounds twelve shillings and six-pence, for defraying the charge of recruiting and contingencies of his Majesty's land forces for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding twelve thousand six hundred and eighty pounds six shillings and five pence halfpenny, to defray the

5,481l. additional pay for cavalry and infantry on Dublin duty;

7,927l. 10s. for charge of staff;

12,901l. 10s. 8d. for additional staff;

8,172l. 10s. 1½d. allowances to muster-master-gen. quarter-master-gen. adj. gen. &c. &c.

5,541l. 12s. 3½d. for governors of garrisons, &c.

57,726l. 12s. 6d. for recruiting, &c.

12,680l. 6s. 5½d. for half-pay officers;

charge

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5,569^l. 4^s.
for officers
widows;

74,416^l. 14^s.
3^d. for ex-
tra forage;

200,000^l. for
contingencies
for army and
militia under
the head of
barracks;

24,747^l. 3^d.
to discharge
an arrear
under the
head of bar-
racks for
£795;

37,080^l. 12^s.
for royal
hospital;

1,800^l. for
royal military
infirmary;

513,072^l.
11^s. 11^d. for
embodied
militia;

237,562^l. 2^s.
8^d. for office
of ordnance;

charge of half-pay officers of his Majesty's army for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding five thousand five hundred and sixty-nine pounds four shillings, for defraying the charge of the allowances to be paid to the widows of commissioned and warrant officers, and the expences attending the same for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding seventy-four thousand four hundred and sixteen pounds fourteen shillings and one penny farthing, for defraying the charge of the expence of extra forage for the cavalry for one year, commencing the first day of April, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, and ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred thousand pounds, for defraying the charge of contingencies for the army and the militia under the head of barracks for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding twenty four thousand seven hundred and forty-seven pounds and three pence, to discharge an arrear under the head of barracks, for the year ended the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirty-five thousand and eighty pounds twelve shillings for defraying the charge of the Royal Hospital for invalids for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money, not exceeding one thousand eight hundred pounds, for defraying the charge of the Royal Military Infirmary for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money, not exceeding five hundred and thirteen thousand and seventy-two pounds eleven shillings and eleven pence, for defraying the charge of the embodied militia of the several counties in this kingdom for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money, not exceeding two hundred and thirty-seven thousand five hundred and sixty-two pounds two shillings and eight pence, for defraying the charge of the ordinary and extraordinary expence of the office of ord-

nance

nance for one year, to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of fifty-one thousand nine hundred and ninety-four pounds eighteen shillings and eight pence, to discharge an arrear under the head of ordnance for the year, ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five.

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51,994l. 18s. 8d. to discharge an arrear under the head of ordnance.

XXVIII. And be it enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and paid the sum of ten thousand and sixty-eight pounds one shilling and four pence, to the several officers of the house of commons herein particularly expressed; that is to say, the sum of four thousand pounds to the right honourable John Foster, speaker of the house of commons, to enable him to maintain the state and dignity of his office; the sum of five hundred pounds to the right honourable John Monck Mason, chairman of the committees of supply, and ways and means, for his services during this session of parliament; the sum of five hundred and forty pounds to Robert Thoroton, esquire, clerk of the house of commons, as a reward for his attendance and service this session of parliament; and a further sum of two hundred pounds, for his trouble and expence in preparing copies, superintending and printing, and making an index to the thirty-second volume of the journals of the house of commons; and also a further sum of two hundred and seventy-eight pounds one shilling and four pence, for engrossing the money bills of this session, and for comparing, examining, and attesting the same; the sum of three hundred and fifty pounds to Edward Tresham, clerk assistant, as a reward for his attendance and service this session of parliament; the sum of five hundred pounds to George Frederick Winstanley, and Jonathan Rogers, committee clerks, as a reward for their attendance and service this session of parliament, to be equally divided between them; the sum of three hundred and twenty pounds to James Corry, clerk of the journals and records, as a reward for his attendance and service this session of parliament; and also a further sum of two hundred pounds, for his trouble in superintending the printing of the schedules of duties, and other papers for the committee of ways and means in the present session of parliament; the sum of one hundred and forty pounds, to Dawson Ellis, clerk of the engross-

10,668l. 1s. 4d. for officers of house of commons, viz.

4000l. to the speaker;

500l. to right hon. J. M. Mason;

540l. to R. Thoroton, esq;

a further sum of 200l. for trouble, &c.

also a further sum of 278l. 1s. 4d. for engrossing the money bills, &c

350l. to Edward Tresham;

500l. to G. F. Winstanley, and Jonathan Rogers;

320l. to J. Corry;

also a further sum of 200l. for schedules of duties, &c.

140l. to Dawson Ellis;

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- 67ol. to J. M^cClintock, esq; as a reward for his attendance and service this session of parliament; the sum of six hundred and seventy pounds; to John M^cClintock, esquire, serjeant at arms, as a reward for his attendance and service this session of parliament; the sum of seventy pounds, to William Brown, as a reward for his trouble and attendance in delivering the votes to the members this session of parliament; the sum of two hundred pounds; to John Kennedy, and John Walfh, door-keepers to the house of commons, as a reward for their attendance and service this session of parliament, to be equally divided between them; the sum of seventy pounds, to James M^cCowan, late door-keeper to the house of commons, who is disabled by the loss of his eye-sight; the sum of seven hundred pounds, to the speaker of the house of commons, to be by him divided among the back-door-keepers and messengers attending the house, being twenty in number, and the other attendants, in such manner as he shall direct; the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, to Thomas L'Estrange, for his extraordinary care and trouble in attending the house of commons, as deputy serjeant at arms; and the sum of three hundred pounds to the said Thomas L'Estrange, for his past services, and being unable from the infirm state of his health, to attend his duty in the said house; the sum of seven hundred pounds, to the speaker of the house of commons, to be applied by him for the better arrangement of the business in the clerks offices; and the sum of eighty pounds, to Albina Freemantle, for the additional expences incurred by her, in the article of coal and candles, which she is obliged to furnish in the new buildings, in the interval between this and the next session of parliament.
- 7ol. to J. Mc.Cowan; as a reward for his attendance and service this session of parliament; the sum of seventy pounds, to James M^cCowan, late door-keeper to the house of commons, who is disabled by the loss of his eye-sight; the sum of seven hundred pounds, to the speaker of the house of commons, to be by him divided among the back-door-keepers and messengers attending the house, being twenty in number, and the other attendants, in such manner as he shall direct; the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, to Thomas L'Estrange, for his extraordinary care and trouble in attending the house of commons, as deputy serjeant at arms; and the sum of three hundred pounds to the said Thomas L'Estrange, for his past services, and being unable from the infirm state of his health, to attend his duty in the said house; the sum of seven hundred pounds, to the speaker of the house of commons, to be applied by him for the better arrangement of the business in the clerks offices; and the sum of eighty pounds, to Albina Freemantle, for the additional expences incurred by her, in the article of coal and candles, which she is obliged to furnish in the new buildings, in the interval between this and the next session of parliament.
- 7ool. to be divided amongst back-door keepers, and messengers and attendants;
- 25ol. to T. L'Estrange;
- 3ool. for past services, &c.
- 7ool. for business in the clerks offices;
- 8ol. to Albina Freemantle, for coals and candles.
- 2.13ol. to publick officers, viz.
- 34ol. to Stephen Moore; esq;
- 8ool. to Sir John Tydd, bart.
- XXIX. And be it enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and paid, the sum of two thousand one hundred and thirty pounds, to the several publick officers, for their several services, and in manner following; that is to say, the sum of three hundred and forty pounds to Stephen Moore, esquire, accountant-general, as a reward for his expence and trouble in preparing and stating the publick accounts of the nation, laid before the house of commons this session of parliament; the sum of eight hundred pounds to sir John Tydd, baronet, in consideration of his extraordinary attendance, care and expence, in the office of pay-master of corn premiums;

the sum of two hundred pounds to John Claudius Beresford, esquire, inspector-general of imports and exports, as a reward for his expence and trouble, in preparing and making out the account of imports and exports for one year, ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, pursuant to the order of the house of commons; the sum of seventy pounds to Henry Smith, deputy-paymaster of corn premiums, for his extraordinary trouble and expence in preparing accounts by him laid before the house of commons for one year ending at Midsummer, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; the sum of two hundred pounds to Paul Le Bas, examiner of corn premiums, on account of the great increase of his trouble in examining and keeping accounts of said premiums, and for his expences in payment of clerks in the year ending at Lady-day, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; the sum of two hundred and forty pounds to John Smart, deputy-accountant-general, for his extraordinary trouble this session of parliament, and superintending the printing of the publick accounts; the sum of one hundred and forty pounds to John Wetherall, first clerk in the office of the inspector-general of imports and exports, for his extraordinary trouble in making up the several accounts by him laid before the house of commons, and attending the house this session of parliament; and the sum of one hundred and forty pounds to John Swan, examiner of excise, for his extraordinary trouble and expence in preparing accounts for the house of commons.

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200l. to J. C. Beresford, esq;
70l. to Henry Smith;
200l. to Paul Le Bas;
240l. to John Smart;
140l. to John Wetherall;
140l. to John Swan.

XXX. And be it enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies afore said, there shall and may be issued and paid the sum of thirty-eight thousand seven hundred and forty pounds, for the use of the several publick hospitals and schools, in manner herein after mentioned, that is to say, the sum of thirteen thousand pounds to the incorporated society, as a full provision for supporting the protestant charter schools of this kingdom for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of one thousand pounds, to discharge an arrear under the head of supporting the protestant charter schools of this kingdom, for the year ended the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; the sum of five thousand pounds to the governors of the Foundling-hospital and Work-house, towards enabling them to pay off the debts by them contracted for the use of that charity, and towards supporting their necessary expences; the sum of twelve thousand pounds to the corporation for the relief of the poor in the city of Dublin, for the support of the house of Industry, in aid of chari-

38,740l. for public hospitals and schools, viz.
13,000l. to incorporated society, and 1000l. to discharge an arrear;
5000l. to Foundling-hospital;
12,000l. to house of Industry;

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1000l. to
marine so-
ciety ;
2000l. to
Hibernian
school ;
4,740l. to
Westmorland
Lock-hospi-
tal.

151,014l.
15s. 1½d. for
following mis-
cellaneous
services, viz.

29,000l. for
civil build-
ings, &c. and
6,850l. to
discharge an
arrear ;

2,500l. for
an arrear due
for building
courts of jus-
tice ;
2,207l. 8s. 0d.
for associate
and assistant
judges ;

2,500l. to
compensate
chief remem-
brancer ;

188l. 3s 1½d.
for an arrear
of compensa-
tion in office
of chief re-
membrancer ;

17,000l. for
charges in
office of so-
licitor in cri-
minal causes,

table contributions, for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven ; the sum of one thousand pounds to the Hibernian marine society, towards supporting that charity ; the sum of two thousand pounds to the governors of the Hibernian school, for the support of that charity ; and the sum of four thousand seven hundred and forty pounds to the Westmoreland Lock-hospital, towards supporting that charity for one year, ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven.

XXXI. And be it enacted, That out of all or any the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding one hundred and fifty-one thousand and fourteen pounds fifteen shillings and one penny three-farthings, for defraying the charge of the several miscellaneous services following, that is to say, any sum or sums of money not exceeding twenty-nine thousand pounds, for defraying the charge of civil buildings, including the wages of overseers, rents, taxes, and other incidental expences for one year, to the thirty-first of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven ; and the sum of six thousand eight hundred and fifty pounds, to discharge an arrear under the head of civil buildings, for the year ended the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five ; the sum of two thousand five hundred pounds, to make good an arrear due for building the courts of justice ; any sum or sums of money, not exceeding two thousand two hundred and seven pounds eight shillings, for defraying the charge of the appointment of associate and assistant judges for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven ; any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand five hundred pounds, for defraying the charge of compensation for the loss of emolument in the office of chief remembrancer of the court of Exchequer for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven ; and the sum of one hundred and eighty-eight pounds three shillings and three-half-pence, to discharge an arrear under the head of compensation, for the loss of emolument in the office of chief remembrancer of the court of Exchequer for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five ; any sum or sums of money not exceeding seventeen thousand pounds, for defraying the charge which may probably be incurred in the office of the solicitor in criminal causes for one year, to the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand seven hundred

hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of three thousand pounds, to discharge an arrear under the head of the charge which has been incurred in the office of the solicitor of criminal causes for the year ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand and forty-seven pounds ten shillings and two-pence, the expence attending pratique in the port of Dublin for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of five hundred and twenty-three pounds fifteen shillings and one penny, to discharge an arrear under the head of pratique in the port of Dublin for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirteen thousand nine hundred and thirty pounds nine shillings and six-pence, for defraying the charge of printing, stationary, and other disbursements for the chief and under secretaries offices and apartments, and other publick offices in Dublin castle, and for the riding charges, and other expences of the deputy pursuivants and extra messengers attending the said offices for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of four thousand two hundred and seventy pounds, nine shillings and five pence, to discharge an arrear under the same head, for the year ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven thousand and twenty-six pounds nine shillings and ten pence halfpenny, to defray the charge of printing proclamations and advertisements in the Dublin Gazette, and other newspapers for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of three thousand three hundred and seventy-four pounds six shillings and five pence-halfpenny, to discharge an arrear under the head of printing proclamations and advertisements in the Dublin Gazette, and other newspapers for one year, ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand five hundred pounds, to defray the charge of apprehending public offenders for one year, to the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand five hundred pounds to pay the customary allowances to the several officers in England and Ireland; for their attendance and service in the present session of parliament, and also the fees payable to several of the said officers

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and 3000l. to discharge an arrear;
1047l. 10s. 2d. for expences of pratique in port of Dublin, and 523l. 15s. 1d. to discharge an arrear;

11,930l. 9s. 6d. for printing, stationary, &c. and 4,270l. 9s. 5d. to discharge an arrear;

7,026l. 9s. 10d. for proclamations and advertisements in Gazette, &c. and 3,374l. 6s. 5d. to discharge an arrear;

2,500l. for apprehending offenders;

3,500l. for allowances to officers in England and Ireland for attendance this session, and fees on passing bills;

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3,103l. 10s. 6d. for disbursements by usher of black rod, and serjeant at arms, clerk of house of lords, and clerk of journals;

5,395l. 1s 1d. for printing-work and stationary for both houses, and 507l. 4s. 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ l. for an arrear;

1,500l. for incident expences of board of treasury;

740l. for clothing battle-axe guards;

282l. 4s. 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. to pay M. G. Vallancy, and 210l. 4s. 10d. to discharge an arrear;

200l. to Dr. R. Scott, and 250l. for an arrear;

cers on passing the several public bills of the present session; any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand one hundred and eight pounds nineteen shillings and six-pence, to defray the charge of the several disbursements to be made by the gentleman usher of the black rod, and the chief serjeant at arms, for the use of both houses of parliament during this present session, and to the clerk of the house of lords, for engrossing, comparing, examining, and attesting the public bills of the present session, except the money bills, and also to the clerk of the journals of the house of lords, for his labour and expence in transcribing the journals of the said house; any sum or sums of money not exceeding five thousand three hundred and ninety-five pounds one shilling and one penny, to defray the charge of printing work and stationary for both houses of parliament during this present session; the sum of five hundred and seven pounds four shillings and one penny three-farthings, to make good an arrear due for printing and stationary for both houses of parliament for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand five hundred pounds, to be applied to defray the incident expences of the board of treasury for one year, to the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven hundred and forty pounds, for defraying the charges of clothing the company of Battle-axe guards for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and eighty-two pounds four shillings and three-pence three-farthings, to be applied to pay major-general Vallancy, after the rate of fifteen shillings *per* day, during the time he shall be employed on a military survey of this kingdom, in the year ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the sum of two hundred and ten pounds four shillings and ten-pence, to be applied to discharge an arrear due to the said major-general Vallancy, for sundry periods, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; the sum of two hundred pounds, to make compensation to doctor Robert Scott, for his trouble in attending the sick in his Majesty's gaol called the New Prison, for one year, ending the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; and the further sum of two hundred and fifty pounds, to make good an arrear due to the said doctor Robert Scott for one year and a quarter, ending the twenty-fifth day of

March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; the sum of eight hundred pounds to Henry Ormsby, marshal of the Four-courts-marshalsea, in lieu of rent and fees formerly paid to him by insolvent debtors, of which he has been deprived by several acts of parliament in their favour; the sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds to John Jones, Charles Heatly, John Heatly, Henry Heatly, Edward Ryan, and Elizabeth his wife, Richard Jones, and Jane Rogers, to make good the loss they have sustained in the ferries over the river Liffey, by the building of Carlisle-bridge; the sum of eight hundred and five pounds, to make good the loss of emolument to the clerk, usher, and assistants in the council-office, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; the sum of three hundred and fifty pounds six shillings and ten pence, to make good the loss thereon, to the clerk, usher, and assistants in the said office for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; the sum of three hundred and ninety-eight pounds to Theophilus Bolton, for his trouble and expence in going to London, since one thousand seven hundred and seventy-four, by order of government, with large quantities of light gold, for which he has not yet received any compensation whatsoever; the sum of one hundred and eighty-eight pounds six shillings and eight-pence, to make good an arrear due to Warden Flood, esquire, for rent of an house in which the admiralty court is held, from the first of November, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; and the sum of twenty pounds to make good the allowance for rent of said house for one year, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; the sum of nine hundred and eighty-two pounds five shillings and eight-pence halfpenny, to defray the expence of convicts landed at Antigua; a sum of one thousand pounds to the lords commissioners of the treasury, to be by them applied under the direction of his excellency the lord lieutenant, towards making an experiment for working a gold mine in the county of Wicklow, so as no charge exceeding ten pounds *per centum*, shall be made for superintendance or management; the sum of three hundred and eight pounds two shillings and eleven pence, to make good an arrear due on castle-guard dinners, for the quarter ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six; the sum of five hundred pounds to the minister and church-wardens of Saint Andrew's parish, as compensation for the loss of the parochial taxes,

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800. to H. n. Ormsby; 7,500l. to proprietors of ferries over the Liffey;

805l. to clerk, usher, and assistants, in council office, 350l. 6s. 10d. to the same, for loss of emolument, &c.

398l. to Theo. Bolton;

188l. 6s. 8d. to Warden Flood, esq; for an arrear of rent of admiralty court, and 20l. for 1 year's rent;

982l. 5s. 8½d. to defray expence of convicts landed at Antigua; 1000l. for working a gold mine in the county Wicklow;

308l. 2s. 11d. for an arrear on Castle-guard dinners; 500l. to St. Andrew's parish;

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7000^{l.} to trustees for education of Roman catholicks;
3208^{l.} 3s. 2d. for following purposes;
150^{l.} to Fr. minister of St. Patrick's;
100^{l.} to Fr. minister at Cork, and 75^{l.} for an arrear;
180^{l.} to Fr. minister at Lisburn, Dundalk, and Innishannon;
100^{l.} to Fr. ministers at Waterford and Portarlington;
50^{l.} to German minister, in Dublin, and 12^{l.} 10s. for an arrear;
10^{l.} to ordinary of New prison;
52^{l.} 18s. 2¹/₂d. to rector of St. Paul's for attending in the barrack;
52^{l.} 18s. 2¹/₂d. to chaplain of Four-courts marshalsea;
42^{l.} 6s. 7d. to chaplain of Charlemont;
30^{l.} to under-librarian;
50^{l.} 15s. to vicar of Castlenock;
12^{l.} to minister of St. James's, and 12^{l.} for an arrear;
41^{l.} 0s. 7¹/₂d. to vicar of St. Andrew's;
10^{l.} 6s. 2d. to rector of St. Michan's;
18^{l.} 5s. 6d. to archbishop of Dublin;
3^{l.} 15s. to bp. of Meath;

of which they have been deprived by the building of the parliament-house; and the sum of seven thousand pounds to the trustees appointed to carry into execution an act passed last session of parliament, for the better education of persons professing the popish or roman catholic religion, to enable them to build a seminary to contain two hundred persons, under certain regulations; any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand two hundred and eight pounds three shillings and two-pence, to pay the usual and customary allowances to the several persons, and for the several purposes following: that is to say, the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to the French conformist minister of the united congregation of Saint Patrick's Dublin; the sum of one hundred pounds to the French minister at Cork; and the sum of seventy-five pounds, to discharge an arrear to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; one hundred and eighty pounds, to the French ministers at Lisburn, Dundalk, and Innishannon, at sixty pounds each; one hundred pounds to the French ministers at Waterford and Portarlington, at fifty pounds each; fifty pounds to the ministers of the congregation of German protestants in Dublin; and the sum of twelve pounds ten shillings, to discharge an arrear to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; twenty pounds to the ordinary or chaplain of the New Prison, for the time being, for visiting sick prisoners in the several prisons in Dublin; fifty-two pounds eighteen shillings and two pence-halfpenny, to the rector of Saint Paul's, for attending the sick in the barrack of Dublin; fifty-two pounds eighteen shillings and two-pence-halfpenny to the chaplain attending the prisoners in the Four-courts marshalsea; forty-two pounds six shillings and seven-pence to the chaplain to the garrison of Charlemont; thirty pounds to the under-library keeper; fifty pounds and fifteen shillings to the vicar of Castlenock, in lieu of glebe and tythe-land in the Phoenix-park; twelve pounds to the minister of Saint James's for the like; and the sum of twelve pounds to discharge an arrear to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; forty-one pounds and seven pence-halfpenny to the vicar of Saint Andrew's, for minister's money out of houses and grounds whereon the parliament-house stands; ten pounds six shillings and two-pence to the rector of Saint Michan's for minister's money; eighteen pounds five shillings and six-pence to the archbishop of Dublin for proxies out of divers churches; three pounds fifteen shillings to the bishop of Meath out of the manor of

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of Trim; forty-seven pounds six shillings and eight-pence to the dean and chapter, and the vicars-choral of Christ-church; eight hundred pounds to the lord mayor and citizens of Dublin; three hundred and eighty-eight pounds fifteen shillings to the provost and fellows of Trinity-college; and the further sum of three hundred and eighty-eight pounds fifteen shillings, to discharge an arrear of allowance due to the said provost and fellows, to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; one hundred pounds to the professor of the French and German languages in Trinity-college; and the further sum of one hundred pounds to discharge an arrear due to the said professor of French and German languages to the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; one hundred pounds to the professor of Spanish and Italian languages in Trinity-college; and the further sum of one hundred pounds to discharge an arrear due to the said professor of Spanish and Italian languages to the twenty-fifth of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five; one hundred and sixteen pounds thirteen shillings to the Royal Irish academy, for rent of an house; and fifty-two pounds eighteen shillings and two pence-halfpenny to the attendant on the nautical observatory; and the sum of three hundred and fifty-two pounds seventeen shillings and one penny three-farthings, to make good an arrear due to the following persons on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, that is to say, twenty-five pounds seven shillings and six-pence to the vicar of Castleknock aforesaid; sixty pounds to the French minister at Lisburn aforesaid; twenty-five pounds to the French minister at Waterford aforesaid; thirty pounds to the French minister at Dundalk aforesaid; twenty-five pounds to the French minister at Portarlington aforesaid; twenty-six pounds nine shillings and one penny-farthing to the rector of Saint Paul's aforesaid; forty-two pounds six shillings and seven-pence to the chaplain of the garrison of Charlemont aforesaid; forty-one pounds and seven pence-halfpenny to the vicar of Saint Andrew's aforesaid; ten pounds six shillings and two pence to the rector of Saint Michan's aforesaid; eighteen pounds five shillings and six-pence to the archbishop of Dublin aforesaid; three pounds fifteen shillings to the bishop of Meath aforesaid; and forty-five pounds six shillings and eight-pence to the dean and chapter of Christ-church aforesaid.

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47l. 6s. 8d. to dean and chapter of Christ-church;
800l. to city of Dublin;
388l. 15s. to Trinity-college, and
388l. 15s. to discharge an arrear;
100l. to professor of Fr. and German in Trinity-college, and
100l. to discharge an arrear;
100l. to professor of Spanish and Italian in Trinity-college, and
100l. to discharge an arrear;
100l. to professor of Spanish and Italian in Trinity-college, and
100l. to discharge an arrear;
16l. 12s. for rent of R. I. academy;
52l. 18s. 2½d. to attendant on nautical observatory;
352l. 17s. 1½d. to pay following arrears;
25l. 7s. 6d. to vicar of Castleknock;
60l. to Fr. minister at Lisburn;
2 l. to Fr. minister at Waterford;
30l. to Fr. minister at Dundalk;
25l. to Fr. minister at Portarlington;
26l. 9s. 1½d. to rector of St. Paul's;
42l. 6s. 7d. to chaplain of Charlemont;
41l. 0s. 7½d. to vicar of St. Andrew's;
10l. 6s. 2 l. to rector of St. Michan's;
18l. 5s. 6d.

XXXII. And be it also enacted, That out of all or any of the said aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued to the trustees of the linen and hempen manufactures, the sum of twenty-one thousand six hundred pounds for the following purposes,

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to archbishop
of Dublin;
3l. 15s. to
B. of Meath;
45l. 6s. 8d.
to dean and
chapter of C.
church.

21,600l. to
truf. of linen
and hempen
manufactures,
viz.

2000l. for
raifing hemp
and flax;

2000l. to en-
courage
hempen and
flaxen manu-
factures in
Leinfter,
Munfter, and
Connaught;

7,250l. for
growth of
flax-feed; -
10,350l. to
be applied as
herein.

5000l. to
board of first
fruits for
building
churches, &c.

5,500l. to
D. fociety.

5000l. to
corporation
for paving,
&c. as herein.

5,989l. 7s.
2½d. for fol-
lowing issues:

that is to say, the sum of two thousand pounds for one year to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, to encourage the raising of sufficient quantities of hemp and flax in this kingdom; the further sum of two thousand pounds for one year to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, for the encouragement of the hempen and flaxen manufactures in the provinces of Leinster, Munster, and Connaught; and the further sum of seven thousand two hundred and fifty pounds for one year to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, to encourage the growth of flax-feed in this kingdom; and the sum of ten thousand three hundred and fifty pounds for one year to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, to be by the said trustees applied in such manner as shall appear to them to be most conducive to promote and encourage the said manufactures, the said sum to be in the place and stead of a like sum paid to them out of the produce of the duties on teas and coffee.

XXXIII. And be it also enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued to the board of first fruits the sum of five thousand pounds for building new churches, and re-building old churches in such parishes, as no public divine service has been performed in for twenty years last past, and for encouragement of the building of glebe houses on such terms as they shall think fit.

XXXIV. And be it also enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued to the Dublin society the sum of five thousand five hundred pounds, for the improvement of husbandry and other useful arts in Ireland, to be applied in such manner as shall be directed by parliament.

XXXV. And be it also enacted, That out of all or any the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued to the corporation for paving, cleansing, and lighting the streets of Dublin, the sum of five thousand pounds for one year to the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, to be by them expended in paving, lighting, and cleansing the said streets, the said sum to be in the place and stead of a like sum paid to them out of the produce of the duty on carriages.

XXXVI. And be it also enacted, That out of all or any the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued the sum of five thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine pounds seven shillings and two pence halfpenny, to make good the following issues in pursuance to the addresses of the house of commons, that

is to say, five thousand pounds towards defraying the expence of re-printing fifteen hundred sets of the journals of the said house; five hundred pounds towards defraying the expence of making a general index to the journals of the said house; and four hundred and eighty-nine pounds seven shillings and two pence halfpenny to discharge the several demands for completing the additional buildings to the house of commons as voted last session of parliament.

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5000l. towards re-printing journals; 500l. towards making a general index; and 489l. 7s. 2½d. for additional buildings to house of commons.
10000l. towards expence of re-printing journals.

XXXVII. And be it also enacted, That out of all or any of the aids or supplies aforesaid, there shall and may be issued the sum of ten thousand pounds to the right honourable the speaker, to be by him applied towards defraying the expence of re-printing the journals of the house of commons, pursuant to an order of the house last session.

XXXVIII. And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the lords commissioners of his Majesty's treasury to issue a sum not exceeding the sum of two thousand two hundred and seventy-six pounds nineteen shillings and eight pence halfpenny, to be paid in like sums, with such arrears as may be due thereon, as were heretofore paid to the same persons, and no other, as were before the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four paid such sums under the head of military contingencies.

2,276l. 19s. 8½d. for military contingencies.

XXXIX. And be it enacted, That the said aids and supplies provided as aforesaid, shall be issued and applied to the uses, intents, and purposes herein before mentioned, and to such other payments as have been directed by any act or acts heretofore passed, and now in force, and which are, or may be due, until the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, and also to the payment or compensation heretofore allowed for, or in lieu of the prizage and butlerage of wines.

Application of said aids and supplies;

prizage.

XL. And be it enacted, That the said aids and supplies shall not be issued or applied to any use, intent, or purpose whatsoever, other than as aforesaid.

Said aids not to be applied to any other purposes.

XLI. And whereas by the said second recited act, it is directed, that out of all or any of the supplies thereby granted, there shall and may be issued and paid any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred thousand pounds for defraying the charge of raising men in this kingdom for manning the fleet for one year to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six: and whereas the whole of the said sum hath not been expended; be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the said commissioners for executing the office of lord high

By 2d recited act, 200,000l. may be paid for raising seamen:

said sum was not expended; remainder of said sum may be issued.

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Monthly returns to treasury of expence and profits of gold mine; produce to be reserved for proprietor.

XLII. And be it enacted, That a monthly account shall be returned to the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury, of the produce and profits of the said gold mine in the county of Wicklow, and of the expences of working the same, and that such produce or profits be kept apart and reserved to be disposed of as may be just, in case it shall appear that any person or persons hath, or have a legal right and title to the said mine.

No part of the 7000l. for building a Roman Catholick seminary, to be issued, unless plan and estimate approved of by lord lieutenant.

XLIII. And be it enacted, That no part of the said sum of seven thousand pounds granted for building a seminary for the better education of persons professing the Popish or Roman Catholick religion, shall be issued, unless a plan of the said building, and an estimate of the expence thereof shall be laid before the lord lieutenant, or other chief governor or governors of this kingdom for the time being, and approved of by him or them.

Application of aids granted by the herein recited act of this session.

XLIV. And be it enacted, That the aids granted to his Majesty in and by an act passed in this session of parliament, entitled, *An act for granting for one year the several duties therein mentioned, in lieu of all other duties payable upon the articles therein specified, during the said term, and for regulating the trade between this kingdom and his Majesty's colonies, and for other purposes therein mentioned*, appropriated to the payment of the interest of the several sums secured by debentures and treasury bills, and of the several annuities and charges attending the same, shall be applied and paid by the commissioners of his Majesty's treasury, now or for the time being, or any three or more of them, or the lord high treasurer for the time being, to the payment of the said sum of twenty-five thousand five hundred pounds *per annum*, and to the payment of the annuities aforesaid, granted for the sums of two hundred and sixty-five thousand pounds, one hundred and seventy-five thousand pounds, and three hundred thousand pounds respectively, and towards the discharge of the interest of four pounds *per centum per annum*, on the sums borrowed upon debentures, carrying such interest, and towards payment of an interest, after the rate of three pounds ten shillings *per centum per annum*, and five pounds *per centum per annum*, on the several sums borrowed upon debentures, carrying such interest respectively, and of an interest of five pounds *per centum per annum*, on the said sum raised

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raised in England, and made stock transferable in the books of the governor and company of the bank of England, and towards the payment of the interest of the several principal sums heretofore borrowed, and now due upon, or secured by treasury bills, carrying an interest after the rate of two pence halfpenny, and three pence by the day respectively, for every one hundred pounds, and five pounds *per centum per annum*, and towards payment of the interest, not exceeding the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, on such principal sums as may be borrowed in pursuance of this act, and likewise the several annuities which have been granted in pursuance of any former act, or may be granted in pursuance of this act, and towards payment of the expences which may be incurred by sending or remitting from time to time to London, such of the several annuities and interest money, as are payable there, pursuant to the several acts passed relating thereto respectively, or as may be payable there, in pursuance of this act; and also an allowance after the rate of five pounds *per centum per annum*, on such sums as have been paid on account of any loans raised under any former act, or as shall be paid on account of such sums as shall be raised under this act, for discount for prompt payment which hath accrued, or may be due under the specific contracts for said loans respectively; and also the charges attending the expence of the money raised in London, pursuant to the said second recited act, and of such money as may be raised there, in pursuance of this act, and of transmitting the same to this kingdom, and that the surplus of the said duties be applied in such manner, as shall be directed by parliament.

XLV. And be it enacted, That whatever expences shall be incurred by sending or remitting from time to time, the said interest and annuities, from this kingdom to the city of London, and the payment of the same there, shall be charged upon the duties, rates, impositions and taxes, subject to the payment of the said interest and annuities; and that whatever profit shall be made in the way of exchange, by remitting the said sums, or any of them, shall be brought to the credit of the balance due of the said duties.

Expence of remittances to London to be charged, and profit of exchange brought to credit of balance.

XLVI. And be it further enacted, That an act passed in thirteenth and fourteenth years of his Majesty's reign, entitled, *An act to explain and amend an act, passed in this session of parliament, entitled, An act for granting annuities in manner therein provided, to such persons as shall voluntarily subscribe towards the raising a sum not exceeding the sum of two hundred and sixty-five thousand pounds*, shall continue in force until the twenty-fifth day of

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Principal and interest on debentures remaining unpaid on 25 Mar. 1797, shall be paid without deduction.

XLVII. And be it further enacted, That so much of the several principal sums so heretofore from time to time borrowed upon, or secured by debentures, carrying an interest after the rate of four pounds *per centum per annum*, and three pounds ten shillings *per centum per annum*, and five pounds *per centum per annum* respectively, as shall be due and unpaid on the twenty-fifth day of March, which shall be in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, and such sum not exceeding in the whole, one million two hundred and sixty-two thousand four hundred pounds, as shall be raised or borrowed pursuant to the provisions of this act, as shall remain unpaid on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, shall be well and truly satisfied and paid unto the several and respective persons, their executors, administrators and assigns, to whom the same shall be then due, together with all interest for the same, at the respective rates at which the same are, or shall be payable, without any deduction whatsoever.

Surplus in exchequer, to be disposed of by parliament.

XLVIII. And be it enacted, That whatsoever surplus or exceeding of the duties granted in the last, or any former session of parliament, appropriated to the payment of the interest of the several principal sums, annuities and charges herein before mentioned, shall remain in his Majesty's exchequer, over and above all interest, annuities and charges payable thereout, on the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, shall be disposed of in such manner, as shall be directed by parliament.

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An Act for granting for one Year the several Duties therein mentioned, in Lieu of all other Duties payable upon the Articles therein specified during the said Term, and for regulating the Trade between this Kingdom and His Majesty's Colonies, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

Expired.

WHE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the commons of Ireland, in parliament assembled, having a just sense of your royal care of all your subjects, and well knowing that the security and prosperity of this realm depend upon the support of your Majesty's government; most humbly beseech your Majesty, that it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the King's most excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the lords spiritual and temporal, and