

IV. And, Whereas the commissioners of the tax, in some of the counties, have qualified themselves or appointed assessors after the expiration of the time limited in the act aforesaid :

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V. Be it enacted, That all such qualifications, appointments, and the acts done in consequence thereof, shall be as valid and effectual, as if the same had been made and done within the time limited in the act aforesaid; and if any commissioner or assessor, nominated and appointed as aforesaid, has made default at the time appointed for his appearance, and if any assessor on his appearance has refused to act, such commissioner and assessor shall not, for such neglect or refusal, be subject to the penalties imposed by the said act.

Acts done after the time limited valid, &c.

VI. Whereas the time limited by the act aforesaid expired on the twenty-fifth day of March, seventeen hundred and eighty, in which the several collectors should have collected the assessment and paid the same into the treasury :

VII. Be it therefore enacted, That the several collectors who have begun their collection of the assessment in virtue of the said act, shall proceed therein, and complete their several and respective collections of the tax as soon as possible, and pay the same into the treasury; so that the said collection be fully completed, and the several sums so received paid into the treasury on or before the tenth day of May next; and in case of failure, the several collectors are hereby respectively made liable to the payment of interest, and all other the penalties by said recited act imposed on sheriffs making default in payment.

Collectors to proceed in their collections, &c.

VIII. And be it enacted, That the collectors shall be saved harmless from all damages which might accrue, by reason of the assessments not being paid into the treasury on the twenty-fifth day of March, as directed by the act aforesaid.

Saved harmless for the assessors not being paid in by March 25, &c.

IX. And be it enacted, That such of the collectors who have not entered on the collection of the assessment in pursuance of the act aforesaid, shall give security and conform in all respects to the directions of the said act, and pay the assessment into the treasury on or before the first day of July next, and on failure shall be liable to the penalties mentioned in the act aforesaid imposed on sheriffs making default in payment as aforesaid.

To pay in the assessment before July 1, &c.

X. And be it enacted, That in the several counties where persons have not been called upon to declare on oath what money and plate they had in their possession on the first day of February last past, it shall and may be lawful for the several assessors in such counties, and they are hereby required to call on all persons liable to assessment within their several and respective districts, to give an account on oath or affirmation, as the case requires, of the money or plate in their possession respectively on the fifteenth day of May next, at seven o'clock in the morning, and also of the species of money; and all persons refusing to render such account on oath, or affirmation, if a quaker, menonist, or dunker, shall incur the same penalties as are specified in the said recited act, and return shall be made of such money or plate to the commissioners of the tax, as by the said act is directed.

Persons not called on to give an account of money, &c. they had on Feb. 1, to give an account of what they had on May 15, &c.

XI. And,