Anno triceſimo primo

Georgii II. Regis.

An Act for enabling His Majeſty to raiſe the Sum of Eight hundred thouſand Pounds, for the Uſes and Purpoſes therein mentioned; and for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Seſſion of Parliament.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Great Britain, in Parliament aſſembled, having taken into our ſerious Conſideration Your Majeſty's moſt gracious Meſſage, ſignifying Your Majeſty's Deſire, to be enabled, by Your faithful Commons, to defray any extraordinary Expences of the War, incurred, or to be incurred, for the Service of the Year One thouſand ſeven hundred and fifty eight, and to take all ſuch Meaſures as may be neceſſary to diſappoint or defeat any Enterprizes or Deſigns of Your Majeſty's Enemies, and as the Exigency of Affairs may require, have reſolved to give and grant to Your Majeſty the Sum of Eight hundred thouſand Pounds for that Purpoſe: And do therefore moſt humbly beſeech Your Majeſty, that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the King's moſt

Preamble.

800,000*l.* granted to His Majeſty.

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 it shall and may be lawful to and for the King's most Excellent Majesty, by Warrant or Warrants under His Royal Sign Manual, to authorize and impower 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, at any Time or Times before the Fifth Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and fifty nine, to cause or direct any Loans to be taken or received at His Majesty's Exchequer, from any Person or Persons, Natives or Foreigners, Body or Bodies Politick or Corporate, or any Number of Exchequer Bills to be made out there, for any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding, in Loans and Exchequer Bills together, in the Whole, the said Sum of Eight hundred thousand Pounds; in the same or like Manner, Form, and Order, and according to the same or like Rules and Directions, as in and by an Act of this present Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for continuing and granting to His Majesty certain Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder, and Perry, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; are enacted and prescribed, concerning the Loans or Exchequer Bills to be taken or made in pursuance of the said Act.

His Majesty, by Warrant under His Royal Sign Manual, may, at any Time before 5 *Jan.* 1759, authorize the Commissioners of the Treasury to raise the said Sum, either by Loans, or Exchequer Bills;

in the same Manner as is prescribed, concerning Loans or Exchequer Bills, by the Malt Act of this Session.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all and every the Clauses, Provisoes, Powers, Privileges, Advantages, Penalties, Forfeitures, and Disabilities, contained in the said last-mentioned Act, relating to the Loans or Exchequer Bills authorized to be made by the same Act (except such Clauses as do charge the same on the Taxes granted by the same Act) shall be applied and extended to the Loans and Exchequer Bills to be made in pursuance of this Act, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as if the same Loans or Exchequer Bills had been originally authorized by the said last-mentioned Act, or as if the said several Clauses or Provisoes had been particularly repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this Act.

All Clauses, Provisoes, and Powers, &c. in the said Act, relating to Loans and Exchequer Bills, extended to this Act.

Exception.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all such Loans or Exchequer Bills, together with the Interest, Premium, Rate, and Charges, incident to, or attending the same, shall be, and are hereby charged and chargeable upon, and shall be repaid or borne by or out of the First Aids or Supplies which shall be granted in the next Session of Parliament; and in case sufficient

The Money so raised, to be repaid out of the First Supplies;

Aids or Supplies for that Purpose, shall not be granted before the Fifth Day of July, One thousand seven hundred and fifty nine, then all the said Loans or Exchequer Bills, with the Interest, Premium, Rate, and Charges, incident to, or attending the same, shall be and are hereby charged and chargeable upon such Monies, as, at any Time or Times at or after the said Fifth Day of July, One thousand seven hundred and fifty nine, shall be or remain in the Receipt of the Exchequer of the Surplusses, Excesses, Overplus Monies, and other Revenues composing the Fund commonly called The Sinking Fund (except such Monies of the said Sinking Fund as are appropriated to any particular Use or Uses, by any Act or Acts of Parliament, in that Behalf) and such Monies of the said Sinking Fund, shall and may be issued and applied, as soon as the same can be regularly stated and ascertained, for and towards paying off, cancelling, and discharging, such Loans or Exchequer Bills, Interest, Premium, Rate, or Charges, until the Whole of them shall be paid off, cancelled, and discharged, or Money sufficient for that Purpose be kept and reserved in the Exchequer, to be payable on Demand to the respective Proprietors thereof.

and if none be granted before 5 *July* 1759, then to be paid out of the Sinking Fund;

and the Monies to be issued thereout accordingly.

Provided always, and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That whatever Monies shall be so issued out of the said Surplusses, Excesses, Overplus Monies, or other Revenues composing the Sinking Fund, shall, from time to time, be replaced by and out of the first Supplies to be then after granted in Parliament; any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Monies issued out of the Sinking Fund, to be replaced out of the first Supplies.

Provided always, and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all the Monies coming into the Exchequer, either by Loans or Exchequer Bills, upon One Act of this Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for continuing and granting to His Majesty, certain Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder, and Perry, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and so much Money, if any such be, of the Duties thereby granted, as shall arise or remain after all the Loans or Exchequer Bills made or to be made on the same Act, and all the Interest, Premium, Rate, and Charges thereon, and the Charges thereby allowable for raising the said Duties, shall be satisfied, or Money sufficient shall be reserved in the Exchequer to satisfy and discharge the same; and also all the Monies coming into the Exchequer, either by Loans or Exchequer Bills, upon One other Act of this Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in *Great Britain*, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven

Monies arising into the Exchequer by the Malt Act,

Land Tax,

hundred and fifty eight; and for enforcing the Payment of the Rates to be assessed upon *Somerset House* in the *Strand*, and so much Money, if any such be, of the Tax thereby granted, as shall arise or remain after all the Loans or Exchequer Bills made or to be made on the same Act, and all the Interest, Premium, Rate, and Charges thereon, and the Charges thereby allowable for raising the said Land shall be satisfied, or Money sufficient shall be reserved in the Exchequer to satisfy and discharge the same; and also all the Monies coming into the Exchequer by Contributions for Annuities and a Lottery, granted by One other Act of this Session of Parliament, intituled,

Annuity and Lottery Act;

An Act for granting to His Majesty several Rates and Duties upon Offices and Pensions, and upon Houses, and upon Windows or Lights; and for raising the Sum of Five Millions by Annuities, and a Lottery, to be charged on the said Rates and Duties; and also the Sum of Three hundred thousand pounds, out of such Monies as shall or may arise of the Surplusses, Excesses, or Overplus Monies, and other Funds, composing the Fund commonly called The Sinking Fund, directed to be issued and applied by One other Act of this Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money out of the Sinking Fund, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and for impowering the proper Officers to make forth Duplicates of Exchequer Bills, Tickets, Certificates, Receipts, Annuity Orders, and other Orders, in lieu of such as shall be lost, burnt, or otherwise destroyed; and for obliging the Retailers of Wines, commonly called *Sweets* or *Made Wines*, to take out a Wine Licence; and also the Sum of Ninety three thousand three hundred seventy one pounds, eleven shillings, and seven pence three farthings, remaining in the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer, disposeable by Parliament, of the Produce of the Sinking Fund, for the Quarter ended the Tenth Day of October, One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven, by the said Act directed to be issued and applied; and also the Sum of Four hundred ninety two thousand four hundred pounds, eight shillings, and three pence, remaining in the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer, disposeable by Parliament, of the Produce of the Sinking Fund, on the Fifth Day of April, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, by the said Act directed to be issued and applied; and also the Sum of One Million six hundred and six thousand seventy six pounds, five shillings, and One penny farthing, by the said Act directed to be issued and applied, out of such Monies as shall or

and also the Sum of 300,000 *l.* granted out of the Sinking Fund, by an Act of this Session,

and 93,371 *l.* 11 *s.* 7 *d.* 3 *q.* Surplus remaining in the Exchequer of the Produce of the Sinking Fund, for the Quarter ended 10 *Octob.* 1757;

and 492,400 *l.* 8 *s.* 3 *d.* Surplus of the Produce of the said Fund, on 5 *April*, 1758;

& 1,606,076 *l.* 5 *s.* 1 *d.* 1 *q.* directed to be issued out of the Surplusses of the said Fund;

may arise of the Surplusses, Excesses, or Overplus Monies, and other Revenues composing the Fund commonly called The Sinking Fund; and the further Sum of Eight hundred thousand pounds by this Act granted, shall be further appropriated, and are hereby appropriated for and towards the several Uses and Purposes herein after expressed; that is to say; It is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid, That out of all or any the Aids or Supplies provided as aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Three millions five hundred forty four thousand four hundred twenty one pounds, five shillings, and eight pence, for or towards the Naval Services herein after particularly expressed; that is to say, For or towards Victuals, Wages, Wear and Tear of the Navy, and the Victualling thereof, performed and to be performed; and for or towards Sea Services in the Office of Ordnance, performed and to be performed; and for or towards defraying the Ordinary of his Majesty's Navy; and for Half-pay to Sea Officers; and for or towards maintaining Fourteen thousand eight hundred and forty five Marines; and for or towards the Buildings, Rebuildings, and Repairs, of his Majesty's Ships for the said Year.

and 800,000 *l.* by this Act granted are appropriated in general;

viz. out of all, or any the said Supplies, any Sum not exceeding 3,544,421 *l.* 5 *s.* 8 *d.* for Naval Services herein expressed;

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, 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 Three hundred thousand pounds towards paying off and discharging the Debt of the Navy.

300,000 *l.* towards paying off the Debt of the Navy;

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, 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 Ten thousand pounds, towards carrying on the Works of the Hospital for Sick and Wounded Seamen, building at Haslaer near Gosport, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight.

10,000 *l.* towards building the Hospital for Sick and Wounded near *Gosport*.

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, 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 Ten thousand pounds, towards carrying on the Works of the Hospital for Sick and Wounded Seamen building near Plymouth, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight.

10,000 *l.* towards building the Hospital for Sick and Wounded near *Plymouth*.

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, 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 Ten thousand Pounds,

upon

10,000 *l.* upon Account, towards the Support of *Greenwich Hospital*;

upon Account, towards the Support of the Royal Hospital at Greenwich, for the better Maintenance of the Seamen of the said Hospital, worn out and become decrepit in the Service of their Country.

391,807 *l.* 7 *s.* 3 *d.* for Charge of the Office of Ordnance for Land Service;

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, 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 Three hundred ninety one thousand eight hundred seven pounds, seven shillings, and three pence, for the Charge of the Office of Ordnance for Land Service, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, and for defraying the extraordinary Expence of the Office of Ordnance for Land Service, not provided for by Parliament.

4,032,772 *l.* 3 *s.* 9 *d.* ½ for Land Forces, &c. in general; *viz.*

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, 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 Four millions thirty two thousand seven hundred seventy two pounds, three shillings, and nine pence farthing, for and towards maintaining His Majesty's Land Forces, and other Services herein after more particularly expressed; that is to say, Any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding One million two hundred fifty three thousand three hundred and sixty eight pounds, eighteen shillings, and six pence, for defraying the Charge of Fifty three thousand seven hundred and seventy seven effective Men, including Commission and Non-commission Officers, and also Four thousand and eight Invalids for Guards and Garrisons, and other His Majesty's Land Forces, in Great Britain, Guernsey, and Jersey, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirty seven thousand four hundred fifty two pounds, three shillings, and four pence, for the Pay of the General and General Staff Officers of the Hospitals for His Majesty's Land Forces, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Six hundred twenty three thousand seven hundred four pounds, and two pence, for maintaining His Majesty's Forces and Garrisons in the Plantations, and Gibraltar, and for Provisions for the Garrisons in Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, Gibraltar, and Providence, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Forty three thousand nine hundred sixty eight pounds, four shillings, and two pence, for defraying the Charge of Four Regiments of Foot on the Irish Establishment, serving in North America and the East Indies, for the

1,253,368 *l.* 18 *s.* 6 *d.* thereof, for Charge of Guards, Garrisons, and Land Forces in *Great Britain, Guernsey,* and *Jersey*;

37,452 *l.* 3 *s.* 4 *d.* for Pay of the General, and General Staff Officers, &c.

623,704 *l.* 0 *s.* 2 *d.* for the Forces and Garrisons in the Plantations and *Gibraltar*; and Provisions for the Garrisons in *Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, Gibraltar,* and *Providence*;

43,968 *l.* 4 *s.* 2 *d.* for the 4 Regiments of Foot on the *Irish* Establishment serving in *North America*, and the *East Indies*;

year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirty five thousand six hundred and two pounds, upon account of the reduced Officers of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, for the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Three thousand ninety eight pounds, seventeen shillings, and eleven pence, for defraying the Charge for Allowances to the several Officers and Private Gentlemen of the Two Troops of Horse Guards, and Regiment of Horse reduced; and to the superannuated Gentlemen of the Four Troops of Horse Guards, for the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Two thousand two hundred and twenty six pounds, for the paying of Pensions to the Widows of such reduced Officers of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines as died upon the Establishment of Half-pay in Great Britain, and who were married to them before the Twenty fifth Day of December, One thousand seven hundred and fifteen, for the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Twenty six thousand pounds, upon Account, for Out-Pensioners of Chelsea Hospital, for the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding One hundred forty five thousand four hundred fifty four pounds, fifteen shillings, and one farthing, for defraying the extraordinary Expences of His Majesty's Land Forces, and other Services, incurred in the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven, and not provided for by Parliament; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirty eight thousand three hundred sixty pounds, nineteen shillings, and ten pence three farthings, for defraying the Charge of Two thousand one hundred and twenty Horse, and Nine thousand and nine hundred Foot, together with the General and Staff Officers, the Officers of the Hospital, and Officers and others belonging to the Train of Artillery, the Troops of the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel, in the Pay of Great Britain for Sixty Days, from the Twenty fifth Day of December, One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven, to the Twenty Second Day of February, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, both inclusive, together with the Subsidy for the said Time, pursuant to Treaty; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirty eight thousand three hundred sixty pounds, nineteen shillings, and ten pence three farthings, for defraying the Charge of Two thousand one hundred and twenty Horse, and Nine thousand

35,602 *l.* to the reduced Officers of the Land Forces and Marines;

3,098 *l.* 17 *s.* 11 *d.* Allowance to the Officers and Private Gentlemen of the Two Troops of Horse Guards, and Regiment of Horse reduced, and superannuated Gentlemen of the Four Troops of Horse Guards;

2,226 *l.* for Pay of Widows Pensions;

26,000 *l.* upon Account, for Out-Pensioners of *Chelsea Hospital*;

145,454 *l.* 15 *s.* 1 *q.* for extraordinary Expences of the Land Forces, and other Services incurred in 1757, not provided for;

38,360 *l.* 19 *s.* 10 *d.* 3 *q.* for Troops of the Landgrave of *Hesse Cassel*, in the Pay of *Great Britain*, from 25 *Dec.* 1757, to 22 *Feb.* 1758; together with the Subsidy for the said Time, pursuant to Treaty;

38,360 *l.* 19 *s.* 10 *d.* 3 *q.* for defraying the Charge of the said Troops, and Payment of like Subsidy, from 23 *Feb.* 1758, to 23 *April* following.

sand and nine hundred Foot, together with the General and Staff Officers, the Officers of the Hospital, and Officers and others belonging to the Train of Artillery, the Troops of the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel in the Pay of Great Britain for Sixty Days, from the Twenty third Day of February, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, to the Twenty third Day of April following, both inclusive, together with the Subsidy for the said Time, pursuant to Treaty; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding One hundred sixty five thousand one hundred and seventy five pounds, four shillings, and ten pence halfpenny, for defraying the Charge of what remains to be paid for Two thousand one hundred and twenty Horse, and Nine thousand and nine hundred Foot, together with the General and Staff Officers, the Officers of the Hospital, and Officers and others belonging to the Train of Artillery, the Troops of the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel in the Pay of Great Britain for Three hundred and sixty five Days, from the Twenty fifth Day of December, One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven, to the Twenty fourth Day of December, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, both Days inclusive, together with the Subsidy for the said Time, pursuant to Treaty; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding One hundred thousand pounds, upon Account, as a present Supply in this critical Exigency, towards enabling His Majesty to subsist and keep together the Army formed last Year in His Electoral Dominions, and now again put into Motion, and actually employed against the Common Enemy, in concert with the King of Prussia; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Four hundred sixty three thousand eighty four pounds, six shillings, and ten pence, for defraying the Charge of Thirty eight thousand Men of the Troops of Hanover, Wolfenbuttle, Saxe Gotha, and Count of Buckkeburgh, together with that of General and Staff Officers, actually employed against the Common Enemy, in concert with the King of Prussia, from the Twenty eighth of November, One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven, to the Twenty fourth of December, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, inclusive; to be issued in Advance every Two Months, in like Manner as the Pay of the Hessian Forces, now in the Service of Great Britain; the said Body of Troops to be mustered by an English Commissary, and the effective State thereof to be also ascertained by the Signature of the Commander in Chief of the said Forces; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Three hundred eighty six thousand nine hundred and fifteen pounds, thirteen shillings, and two

165,175 *l.* 4 *s.* 10 *d.* 2 *q.* for defraying the remaining Charge of the said Troops and Subsidy, from 25 *Dec.* 1757, to 24 *Dec.* 1758, inclusive;

100,000 *l.* upon Account, towards subsisting and keeping together the Armies formed last Year in His Majesty's Electoral Dominions, employed in concert with the King of *Prussia*;

463,084 *l.* 6 *s.* 10 *d.* for the Troops of *Hanover*, *Wolfenbuttle*, *Saxe Gotha*, and Count of *Buckkeburgh*, employed in concert with the King of *Prussia*; from 28 *Nov.* 1757, to 24 *Dec.* 1758, inclusive;

to be issued in Advance every 2 Months;

and the Troops to be muster'd by an *English* Commissary, &c.

two pence, in full Satisfaction for defraying the Charges of Forage, Bread Waggons, Train of Artillery, and Train of Provisions, Wood, Straw, et cetera, and all other extraordinary Expences, Contingencies, and Losses whatsoever, incurred and to be incurred, on account of His Majesty's Army, consisting of Thirty eight thousand Men, actually employed against the Common Enemy, in concert with the King of Prussia, from the Twenty eighth Day of November last, to the Twenty fourth Day of December next, inclusive; the said Sum to be issued, from time to time, in like Proportions as the Pay of the said Troops; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Six hundred and seventy thousand pounds, to enable His Majesty to make good His Engagements with the King of Prussia, pursuant to a Convention between His Majesty and the King of Prussia, concluded April the Eleventh, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight.

386,915 *l.* 13 *s.* 2 *d.* in full for defraying all extraordinary Charges and Contingencies of His Majesty's Army employed in concert with the King of *Prussia*, from 28 *Nov.* 1757, to 24 *Dec.* 1758, inclusive;

the said Sum to be issued as the Pay of the said Troops;

670,000 *l.* to the King of *Prussia*, pursuant to Treaty.

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That out of all or any the Aids or Supplies provided as aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Eight hundred thousand pounds, to enable His Majesty to discharge the like Sum raised in pursuance of an Act made in the last Session Parliament, and charged upon the First Aids or Supplies to be granted in this Session of Parliament.

800,000 *l.* to discharge the like Sum raised in pursuance of an Act of the last Session, and charged upon the First Aids;

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That out of all or any the Aids or Supplies provided as aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied, any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Eight hundred thousand pounds, upon Account, to enable His Majesty to defray any extraordinary Expences of the War, incurred, or to be incurred, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, and to take all such Measures, as may be necessary to disappoint or defeat any Enterprizes or Designs of His Enemies, and as the Exigency of Affairs may require.

800,000 *l.* upon Account, to His Majesty, to defray extraordinary Expences of the War, *&c.*

And it is hereby also enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That out of all or any the Aids or Supplies provided as aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied, any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Nine thousand nine hundred two pounds, and five shillings, upon Account, for supporting and maintaining the Settlement of His Majesty's Colony of Nova Scotia, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Six thousand six hundred twenty six pounds, nine shillings, and nine pence halfpenny, upon Account, for defraying the Charges incurred by supporting and maintaining the Settlement of His

9,902 *l.* 5 *s.* upon Account, for supporting the Colony of *Nova Scotia*;

6,626 *l.* 9 *s.* 9 *d.* 2 *q.* upon Account, for defraying the Charges incurred by supporting the said Colony in 1756, not provided for;

His Majesty's Colony of Nova Scotia, in the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty six, and not provided for by Parliament; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Three thousand five hundred fifty seven pounds, and Ten Shillings, for defraying the Charges of the Civil Establishment of His Majesty's Colony of Georgia, and other incidental Expences attending the same, from the Twenty fourth Day of June, One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven, to the Twenty fourth Day of June, One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight.

3,557 *l.* 10 *s.* for defraying the Charges of the Civil Establishment, &c. of the Colony of *Georgia*, from 24 *June*, 1757, to 24 *June*, 1758;

And it is hereby also further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That out of all or any the Aids or Supplies provided as aforesaid, there shall and may be issued and applied, any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirty one thousand pounds, to make good to His Majesty the like Sum which has been issued by His Majesty's Orders, in pursuance of the Addresses of this House; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Forty thousand pounds, towards enabling the Governors and Guardians of the Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of exposed and deserted young Children, to receive all such Children, under a certain Age to be by them limited, as shall be brought to the said Hospital before the First Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and fifty nine; and also towards enabling them to maintain and educate such Children as are now under their Care, and to continue to carry into Execution the good Purposes for which they were incorporated; and that the said Sum be issued and paid for the Use of the said Hospital, without Fee or Reward, or any Deduction whatsoever; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Two hundred eighty four thousand eight hundred and two pounds, One shilling, and three farthings, to make good the Deficiency of the Grants for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Fifteen thousand pounds, to be applied towards the rebuilding of London Bridge; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding One hundred thousand pounds, upon Account, towards defraying the Charge of Pay and Cloathing for the Militia, for the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty eight, and for defraying such Expences as were actually incurred, upon the Account of the Militia, in the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Ten thousand pounds, towards carrying on the Works for fortifying and securing the Harbour of Milford; and any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding Twenty seven thousand three hundred and eighty pounds, nineteen shillings, and

31,000 *l.* to make good the like Sum issued by His Majesty's Orders, pursuant to the Address of the House;

40,000 *l.* to the *Foundling Hospital*; to be paid without any Fee or Deduction;

284,802 *l.* 1 *s.* 3 *d.* to make good the Deficiency of the Grants for the Year 1757;

15,000 *l.* towards rebuilding *London Bridge*;

100,000 *l.* upon Account, for Pay and Cloathing for the Militia for 1758, and Expences incurred in 1757;

10,000 *l.* towards fortifying the Harbour of *Milford*;

27,380 *l.* 19 *s.* 11 *d.* 2 *q.* for reimbursing to the Province of *Massachuset's Bay*,

and eleven pence halfpenny, for reimbursing to the Province of Massachusets Bay, their Expences in furnishing Provisions and Stores to the Troops raised by them for his Majesty's Service, for the Campaign in the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty six; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirteen thousand seven hundred thirty six pounds, seventeen shillings, and seven pence, for reimbursing to the Colony of Connecticut, their Expences in furnishing Provisions and Stores to the Troops raised by them for his Majesty's Service, for the Campaign in the year One thousand seven hundred and fifty six; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Twenty thousand pounds, upon Account, to be paid to the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, towards enabling them to defray the Expence of a Military Force in their Settlements, to be maintained by them in lieu of the Battalion of his Majesty's Forces, withdrawn from those Settlements; and the Sum of Four thousand pounds for repairing the Parish Church of Saint Margaret Westminster; and any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Ten thousand pounds, to be employed in maintaining and supporting the British Forts and Settlements upon the Coast of Africa.

the Expences in furnishing Provisions and Stores to the Troops raised there in 1756;

13,736*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.* for reimbursing to the Colony of *Connecticut*, their Expences in furnishing Provisions and Stores to the Troops raised there in 1756;

20,000*l.* upon Account, to the *East India* Company, towards defraying the Expence of a Military Force there;

4,000*l.* for repairing the Church of *St. Margaret, Westminster*;

10,000*l* for supporting the *British* Forts on the Coast of *Africa*.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the said Aids and Supplies provided as aforesaid, shall not be issued or applied to any Use, Intent, or Purpose whatsoever, other than the Uses and Purposes before mentioned, or for the several Deficiencies, or other Payments, directed to be satisfied thereout, by any Act or Acts, or any particular Clause or Clauses for that Purpose contained in any other Act or Acts of this present Session of Parliament.

The said Supplies to be applied as herein directed, and not otherwise.

And, as to the said Sum of Thirty five thousand six hundred and two Pounds by this Act appropriated on Account of Half-pay as aforesaid, it is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid, That the Rules herein after prescribed, shall be duly observed in the Application of the said Half-pay; that is to say, That no Person shall have or receive any Part of the same, who was a Minor, and under the Age of Sixteen Years, at the Time when the Regiment, Troop, or Company, in which he served, was reduced; that no Person shall have or receive any Part of the same, except such Person who did actual Service in some Regiment, Troop, or Company; that no Person having any other Place or Employment of Profit, Civil or Military, under his Majesty, shall have or receive any Part of the said Half-pay; that no Chaplain of any Garrison or Regiment, who has any

Regulations to be observed in the Application of the Half-pay.

Ecclesiastical Benefice in Great Britain or Ireland, shall have or receive any Part of the said Half-pay; that no Person shall have or receive any Part of the same, who has resigned his Commission, and has had no Commission since; that no Part of the same shall be allowed to any Person by virtue of any Warrant or Appointment, except to such Persons as would have been otherwise intitled to the same, as reduced Officers; and that no Part of the same shall be allowed to any of the Officers of the Five Regiments of Dragoons, and Eight Regiments of Foot lately disbanded in Ireland, except to such as were lately taken off the Establishment of Half-pay in Great Britain.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Thirtieth Year of his Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for granting to His Majesty certain Sums of Money out of the Sinking Fund; and applying certain Monies remaining in the Exchequer, and the Savings out of the Monies granted in this Session of Parliament for the Pay of the Troops of *Hanover*, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven; and for further appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session of Parliament; and for Relief *Claud Johnson*, with respect to a Bond entered into by him, for securing the Duties on Tobacco imported by *George Buchanan* and *William Hamilton*; the several Supplies which had been granted to His Majesty, as is therein mentioned, were appropriated to the several Uses and Purposes therein expressed; amongst which, any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Thirty three thousand Pounds was appropriated to be paid to the reduced Officers of His Majesty's Land Forces and Marines, subject nevertheless to such Rules to be observed in the Application of the said Half-pay, as in and by the aforesaid Act were prescribed in that Behalf; now it is hereby provided, enacted, and declared, by the Authority aforesaid, That so much of the said Sum of Thirty three thousand Pounds, as is or shall be more than sufficient to satisfy the said reduced Officers, according to the Rules prescribed by the said Act to be observed in the Application thereof, or any Part of such Overplus, shall and may be disposed of to such Officers who are maimed, or have lost their Limbs in the late Wars, or such others, as by reason of their long Service, or otherwise, His Majesty shall judge to be proper Objects of Charity; or to the Widows or Children of such Officers, according to such Warrant or Warrants, under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, as shall be signed in that Behalf; any thing in this Act, or the said former Act, to the contrary notwithstanding.

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Surplus of the Half-pay arising from the last Year's Grants, to be disposed of to such Officers, Widows, or Children, as His Majesty shall judge to be proper Objects of Charity.

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