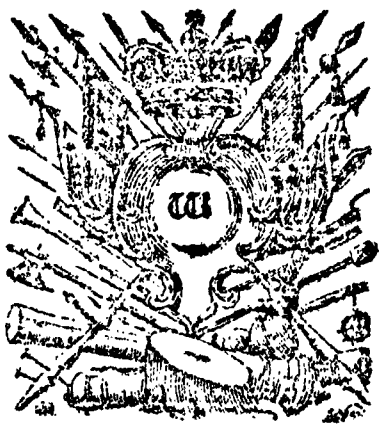
Anno tricesimo tertio

Georgii II. Regis.

An Act for adding certain Annuities granted in the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty nine, to the Joint Stock of Three *per Centum* Annuities, consolidated by the Acts of the Twenty fifth, Twenty eighth, Twenty ninth, and Thirty second Years of His present Majesty's Reign, and for carrying the several Duties therein mentioned to the Sinking Fund; and for cancelling such Lottery Tickets as were made forth in pursuance of an Act of the Thirtieth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, and were not disposed of.



WHEREAS in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Thirty second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, An Act for granting to His Majesty a Subsidy of Poundage upon certain Goods and Merchandizes to be imported into this Kingdom; and an additional Inland Duty on Coffee and Chocolate; and for raising the Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, by way of Annuities and a Lottery, to be charged on the said Subsidy and additional Inland Duty; several Persons, Bodies Politick or Corporate, have advanced and lent the Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, upon the Credit of the Subsidy of Poundage upon certain Goods and Merchandizes Preamble.

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chandizes to be imported into this Kingdom, and the additional Inland Duty on Coffee and Chocolate, by the said Act granted, for the Purchase of Annuities, after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum, transferrable at the Bank of England, and redeemable by Parliament: And whereas an additional Capital of Fifteen Pounds, was by the said Act directed to be added to every One hundred Pounds advanced towards the said Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, amounting to Nine hundred and ninety thousand Pounds, to be attended with like Annuities, after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum: And whereas it is thought necessary that the said principal Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, together with the said additional Capital of Fifteen Pounds added to every One hundred Pounds advanced towards the said Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, amounting to Nine hundred and ninety thousand Pounds, should be (with the Consent of the Proprietors thereof, to be signified within the Time herein after mentioned) added to, and made a Part of, the Joint Stock of Three Pounds per Centum transferrable Annuities at the Bank of England; and that the Charges and Expences in respect thereof, should be charged upon, and paid out of, the Fund, commonly called The Sinking Fund, until Redemption thereof by Parliament, in the same and like Manner as the Annuities aforesaid are paid and payable; and that the Subsidy of Poundage upon certain Goods and Merchandizes to be imported into this Kingdom, and the additional Inland Duty on Coffee and Chocolate, which, by the said Act, were made a Fund for Payment of the said Three Pounds per Centum Annuities, should be carried to, and made a Part of, the said Fund, commonly called The Sinking Fund: May it therefore please Your most Excellent 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 Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same,

The principal Sum of 6,600,000 *l.* borrowed on the Credit of the recited Act, together with the additional Capital of 990,000 *l.* added thereto,

That from and after the Fifth Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and sixty, the principal Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, borrowed by virtue of the said before recited Act, together with the said additional Capital of Fifteen Pounds added to every One hundred Pounds advanced towards the said Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, amounting to Nine hundred and ninety thousand Pounds, carrying an Interest after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per

Annum, payable at the Bank of England, shall, with the Consent of the Proprietors as aforesaid, be added to, and made a Part of, the Joint Stock of Three Pounds per Centum transferrable Annuities at the Bank of England, consolidated by the Acts made in the Twenty fifth, Twenty eighth, Twenty ninth, and Thirty second Years of His present Majesty's Reign, and shall be transferrable at the Bank of England; and the Charges and Expences in respect thereof, shall be charged upon, and paid out of, the Fund, commonly called The Sinking Fund, until Redemption thereof by Parliament, in the same and like Manner as the Annuities consolidated as aforesaid are transferrable, and as the Charges and Expences in respect thereof are payable; any thing in the said Act made in the Thirty second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

to be made, with Consent of the Proprietors, Part of the Joint Stock of 3 *l. per Cent.* Annuities consolidated by Acts 25, 28, 29, & 32, *Geo.* II. and the Charges to be paid out of the Sinking Fund.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That such Proprietors who shall not on or before the Twentieth Day of June, One thousand seven hundred and sixty, signify their Dissent to such Consolidation as aforesaid, in Books to be opened at the Bank of England for that Purpose, shall be deemed and taken to assent thereto; any thing to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Proprietors dissenting, to enter their Dissent on or before 20 *June* 1760.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all the Monies which have arisen since the Fifth Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and sixty, or that shall or may hereafter arise, of the Subsidy of Poundage upon certain Goods and Merchandizes imported, or to be imported, into this Kingdom, and the additional Inland Duty on Coffee and Chocolate, which were made a Fund for Payment of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum, at the Bank of England, on Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, borrowed, by virtue of the said Act made in the Thirty second Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, towards the Supply of the Year One thousand seven hundred and fifty nine, as also on the said additional Capital of Fifteen Pounds added to every One hundred Pounds advanced towards the said Sum of Six millions six hundred thousand Pounds, amounting to Nine hundred and ninety thousand Pounds, shall be carried to, and made a Part of, the Fund, commonly called The Sinking Fund; and the same shall be deemed and taken to be Part of the said Sinking Fund, and shall be issued and applied to such Uses and Purposes as the several Excesses, Surplusses, or Overplus Monies composing the said Sinking Fund, are or may be

The Duties appropriated for Payment of the Annuities chargeable on the said Principal Sums, to be carried to the Sinking Fund; and made a Part thereof; and to be applied accordingly.

issued and applied; any thing in the said before recited Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, An Act for granting to His Majesty a Sum not exceeding One million fifty thousand and five Pounds and Five Shillings, to be raised by way of Lottery; the Managers and Directors of the said Lottery were required to cause such of the Tickets contained in the outermost Column of the Books to be prepared in pursuance of the said Act, which should not have been disposed of to Contributors, and also the Tickets upon which Defaults of Payments should have been made, to be delivered into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer, there to be retained and kept as Cash, to be issued and disposed of for the Purposes of the said Act, in such Manner as the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, or any Three or more of them then being, or the High Treasurer, or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the time being, should direct: And whereas the Managers and Directors of the said Lottery did, in pursuance of the said Act, deliver into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer, Six hundred and forty seven thousand two hundred and eighty one Tickets, there to be retained and kept as Cash, which, at One Pound One Shilling each, amounted to the Sum of Six hundred and seventy nine thousand six hundred and forty five Pounds, One Shilling: And whereas the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury did afterwards by their Warrant appoint Robert Jennings, John Dive, Barwell Smith, Daniel Wray, and Frederick Atherton Hindley, to receive from His Majesty's Exchequer the said Six hundred and forty seven thousand two hundred and eighty one Tickets, and to sell and dispose of the same; who accordingly did receive the said Tickets from the Tellers of the said Receipt, and did sell and dispose of Sixty six thousand five hundred and seventy four Tickets, Part of the said Tickets, which, at One Pound One Shilling each, amounted to Sixty nine thousand nine hundred and two Pounds, Fourteen Shillings, and paid the said Sum into the said Receipt of Exchequer, and did return Five hundred and eighty thousand seven hundred and seven Tickets, which remained in their Hands undisposed of, into the said Receipt, which are now retained and kept as Cash there, and, computed at the Rate of One Pound and One Shilling each, amount to the Sum of Six hundred and nine thousand seven hundred and forty two Pounds and Seven Shillings; be it therefore enacted and declared by the Au-

Clause in Act 30 Geo. II.

thority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, or any Three or more of them, or the High Treasurer for the time being, to issue the said Five hundred and eighty thousand seven hundred and seven Tickets to any Person or Persons whatsoever, to be by them cancelled and destroyed, that thereby the Tellers of His Majesty's Receipt of Exchequer may be discharged of the Total Amount of the Cash or Value of the said Five hundred and eighty thousand seven hundred and seven Tickets, at the Rate of One Pound One Shilling each; and that the said Robert Jennings, John Dive, Barwell Smith, Daniel Wray, and Frederick Atherton Hindley, shall be and are hereby discharged of their Account touching the same; and the Managers and Directors of the said Lottery, or any Five or more of them, or the Person or Persons in whose Custody the Columns containing the Duplicates of, and the Tickets of the Numbers and Classes corresponding with, the said Five hundred and eighty thousand seven hundred and seven Tickets, do or shall remain, may, and is and are hereby authorized and impowered to cancel and destroy such Part of the said Columns as contain the said Duplicates, and Tickets of the corresponding Numbers and Classes, as aforesaid; any thing in the said Act, or any other Act, contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Commissioners of the Treasury to issue, in order for cancelling, such Lottery Tickets as were made forth in pursuance of the recited Acts, and were not disposed of;

and the Tellers, &c. to be discharged of their Account touching the same.

Managers to cancel the Duplicates.

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