

1801. — Chapter 12.

[May Session, ch. 12.]

AN ACT TO ALTER THE LINE BETWEEN THE SOUTH PARISH IN AUGUSTA, AND THE PARISH IN HALLOWELL, AND TO REPEAL THE SECOND SECTION OF AN ACT, ENTITLED, "AN ACT DIVIDING THE TOWN OF HALLOWELL, IN THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, INTO THREE PARISHES, AND FOR INCORPORATING THE SAME," PASSED THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, SEVENTEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY FOUR.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate, and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the Authority of the same,* That from and after the passing of this Act, the line dividing the towns of Hallowell and Augusta, shall be the dividing line between the south Parish in Augusta, and the Parish in Hallowell, and that any of the inhabitants, their heirs, and assigns, living within that part of the south Parish in Augusta, (agreeable to the original parish line) which are within the limits of the town of Hallowell, shall have full liberty at any time, within the space of one year after the passing of this act, to join themselves, with their estates, to the south Parish in Augusta, by leaving their names with the town Clerks of said Hallowell and Augusta, signifying their intentions so to do; whereupon they shall ever after belong to said Parish.

Parish line determined, &c.

Permission given to the inhabitants respecting joining any of the parishes.

SEC. 2D. *Be it further enacted,* That any of the inhabitants belonging to the towns of Hallowell or Augusta, who have joined themselves to the parish in Hallowell, or either of the parishes in Augusta, shall have full liberty, to remain members of that Parish, to which they have so joined themselves, together with their families and estates; and that they shall also have full liberty to return, at any time, with their said families and estates to that parish, within which they reside; *provided* they leave their names in writting with the Clerks of the two parishes concerned, certifying their intentions so to do; and upon their returning, as aforesaid, they shall forever after, belong to the said parish in which they reside.

Part of a former law repealed.

SEC. 3D. *Be it further enacted,* That the second section in an act, entitled, "An Act dividing the town of Hallowell, in the County of Lincoln, into three parishes, and for incorporating the same," passed the fourteenth day of

June, one thousand seven hundred and ninety four, be, and is hereby repealed.

SEC. 4TH. *Be it further enacted*, That any person or persons, who have taken the benefit of the second section of the act beforementioned, shall pay their proportionable part of all debts due from, or monies voted to be raised, by the parish in which they belonged prior to their having left the same by joining themselves to another parish by virtue of the act and section aforesaid. Provision relative to debts.

SEC. 5TH. *Be it further enacted*, That the lines established by an act dividing the town of Hallowell, in the County of Lincoln, into three parishes, and for incorporating the same, passed the fourteenth day of June, one thousand, seven hundred and ninety-four, shall be the lines of said parishes, except the line between the south parish in Augusta and the parish in Hallowell. Parish lines.

Approved June 18, 1801.

1801. — Chapter 13.

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AN ACT FOR INCORPORATING CERTAIN PERSONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING A BRIDGE OVER NORTH RIVER, IN THE COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH, BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF SCITUATE & MARSHFIELD AT OAKMAN'S FERRY.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate & House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the Authority of the same*, That Cushing Otis, Joseph Rogers, George Little, Elisha James, Amos Hatch, James Sparrel, Elijah Curtis, Thatcher Tilden, John Tolman, Benjamin Rogers, Jotham Tilden, with such other persons as now are associated, or may hereafter associate with them, for the purpose hereafter mentioned, their heirs, & assigns, be, and they hereby are made & constituted a Corporation or Body Politic, for the purpose of building a Bridge over the North River, between the towns of Scituate and Marshfield, in the County of Plymouth. Persons incorporated.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the aforesaid proprietors may, by posting up notifications at some public places in the towns of Scituate & Marshfield, warn & call a meeting of the proprietors, to be holden at any suitable time & place after ten days from the first publication of said advertisement; and the proprietors, by a Vote of a majority of those present, or duly repre- Two proprietors may call a meeting.