

SENATE....No. 109.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

IN SENATE, April 18, 1850.

The Committee on Roads and Bridges, to whom was committed the Petition of the Braintree and Weymouth Turnpike Corporation, praying for authority to establish additional toll gates, report the accompanying Bill.

MOSES NEWELL, *Chairman.*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty.

AN ACT

Authorizing the Braintree and Weymouth Turnpike Corporation to erect two additional Toll Gates.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1 SECT. 1. The Braintree and Weymouth Turnpike
2 Corporation, from and after the passage of this act,
3 are hereby authorized to demand and receive, at each
4 of the two toll gates, heretofore established upon said
5 turnpike road, the one-half of the sums now authorized
6 and established by law, and no more.

1 SECT. 2. The said corporation are hereby further-
2 more authorized to establish one other toll gate on
3 said turnpike road, any where between Tuft's store,
4 so called, and Richards' meadow, so called ; and also,
5 another toll gate upon said turnpike road, any where
6 between the store formerly kept by Benjamin New-
7 comb and Quincy line, with the right to demand and

8 receive at each of the aforesaid gates, the like sums in
9 tolls, for the various description of travel passing said
10 gates, that are hereby authorized to be taken, under
11 this act, at the two gates already established.

12 And the same exemptions from tolls, shall be made
13 at the gates established by this act, as were made by
14 the original charter, at the gates then established.

1 SECT. 3. Whenever any town, or individuals, shall
2 petition the county commissioners of the counties in
3 which said turnpike road is located, to have said
4 turnpike, within any town, laid out as a public high-
5 way, if the said turnpike corporation shall refuse to
6 assent to said petition, and accept of such award as
7 the commissioners of either county shall make, after
8 a view and hearing in the premises, to said turnpike
9 corporation, for the franchise of that part of said
10 turnpike within any town, or of the whole turnpike
11 road in all the towns through which it passes, then
12 the two additional gates authorized by this act, shall
13 be removed, and the authority to take tolls at them is
14 hereby annulled.

