

SENATE....No. 101.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

IN SENATE, March 14, 1859.

The Committee on Banks and Banking, who were instructed by an Order of the 4th of March, to inquire into the expediency of allowing the Atlas Bank, of Boston, to increase their capital stock five hundred thousand dollars, under the general banking law of the Commonwealth, report the accompanying Bill.

E. R. SAWIN, *Chairman.*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-
Nine.

AN ACT

To increase the Capital Stock of the Atlas Bank.

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

1 The president, directors, and company of the Atlas
2 Bank, in Boston, are hereby authorized to increase
3 their capital stock, by an addition thereto not exceed-
4 ing five hundred thousand dollars: *provided*, that such
5 increase shall be subject to the provisions, duties,
6 restrictions, liabilities and privileges, set forth in the
7 act passed May twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and
8 fifty-one, entitled "An Act in addition to an Act enti-
9 tled, An Act to authorize the Business of Banking:"
10 and *provided, also*, that no part of the additional capi-
11 tal aforesaid shall be exempted from taxation, until
12 the whole circulation of said bank shall exceed the
13 amount already allowed by law.