

HOUSE....No. 180.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 16, 1866.

The Committee on Parishes and Religious Societies, to whom was recommitted the Report on the Petition of the parish committee of the Salem and Beverly precinct, report the accompanying Bill.

Per order,

SAM'L M. WORCESTER.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-  
Six.

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### AN ACT

To incorporate the Second Congregational Society in  
Beverly, and relating to the Salem and Beverly  
Precinct.

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

1    SECT. 1. Richard P. Waters, Henry Wilson,  
2    Elijah E. Lummus, Charles Perry, Benjamin Knight,  
3    and the other owners of the pews of the meeting-  
4    house formerly of the Salem and Beverly precinct,  
5    with their associates and successors, are hereby made  
6    a corporation as a religious society, by the name of  
7    the Second Congregational Society in Beverly, with  
8    all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the  
9    duties, restrictions, and liabilities set forth in all  
10   general laws which now are or may hereafter be, in  
11   force relating to such corporations.

1    SECT. 2. The corporation created by this act shall  
2 succeed to all the rights, privileges and property of  
3 the said Salem and Beverly precinct: *provided*, that  
4 the inhabitants of said precinct, within three months  
5 from the passage of this act, at a meeting duly called  
6 for that purpose, in the usual manner of notifying  
7 meetings of said precinct, shall vote to accept this act.

1    SECT. 3. This act shall take effect upon its  
2 passage.

