

receives any of the same except for the purposes hereinbefore provided shall be deemed guilty of larceny.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved February 7, 1912.

Chap. 57 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TAKING OF CLAMS IN AND AROUND THE SHORES OF PLYMOUTH, KINGSTON AND DUXBURY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

1870, 195, § 1,
amended.

Licenses may
be granted for
taking, etc.,
of clams.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and ninety-five of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and seventy is hereby amended by striking out the word "five", in the third line, and inserting in place thereof the word:— fifteen, — so as to read as follows:— *Section 1.* The selectmen of the towns of Plymouth, Kingston and Duxbury, may, by writing under their hands, grant a license for such a term of years not exceeding fifteen, as they in their discretion may deem necessary and that the public good requires, to any inhabitant of their respective towns, to plant, cultivate and dig clams upon and in any flats and creeks in their respective towns, not, however, impairing the private rights of any person.

Time of taking
effect.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect in any of said towns only upon its acceptance by a majority of the voters thereof present and voting thereon at a meeting called for the purpose.

Approved February 9, 1912.

Chap. 58 AN ACT RELATIVE TO ACCOUNTING BY PAYMASTERS OF THE MILITIA.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

1908, 604, § 200,
amended.

Paymasters'
vouchers, etc.

SECTION 1. Section two hundred of chapter six hundred and four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eight is hereby amended by striking out the words "in duplicate", in the second line, and by striking out the words "the duplicates of", in the fourth and fifth lines, so as to read as follows:— *Section 200.* Paymasters shall take proper vouchers for all payments, and immediately after the payment of troops shall file with the treasurer and receiver general an account of their payments, with their vouchers; and such accounts shall be audited by the auditor of the commonwealth, and the several paymasters held to account for any discrepancies.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved February 9, 1912.