

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF BLANDFORD TO MAKE BY-LAWS AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USE OF ITS HIGHWAYS. *Chap. 87.*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows :*

SECTION 1. The town of Blandford may from time to time establish reasonable by-laws, subject to the approval of the superior court or any justice thereof, as now provided by law, to regulate the use of and prevent injury to the highways, town ways, causeways and bridges within its limits which said town is required by law to keep in repair, and may annex penalties not exceeding twenty dollars for each violation of any by-law so established.

May make by-laws regulating use of highways, etc.

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

*Approved March 2, 1895.*

AN ACT TO REMOVE THE RESTRICTIONS UPON SHAD AND ALEWIFE FISHING IN THE MERRIMAC RIVER. *Chap. 88.*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows :*

SECTION 1. All provisions of law relative to the taking of shad or alewives in the Merrimac river, so far as they relate to the taking of fish in any part of said river where the tide ebbs and flows, or the selling of fish taken in that part of said river, are hereby repealed: *provided, however,* that whoever uses in that part of said river a gill-net of any description, or a sweep seine having a mesh which stretches less than two and a quarter inches, shall forfeit twenty-five dollars for each offence and in addition shall forfeit the fish taken and the apparatus used.

Fishing in Merrimac river.

Proviso.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful to take shad in the Merrimac river in any manner between the first day of July in any year and the first day of April in the succeeding year.

Taking of shad restricted.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

[*This bill, returned by the Governor to the House of Representatives, the branch in which it originated, with his objections thereto, was passed by the House February 21, and, in concurrence, by the Senate February 28, the objections of the Governor notwithstanding, in the manner prescribed by the Constitution; and thereby has the "force of a law."*]

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECOUNTING OF VOTES UPON THE QUESTION OF GRANTING LICENSES FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS, IN TOWNS VOTING BY PRECINCTS. *Chap. 89.*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows :*

SECTION 1. Section two of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and

1894, 192, § 2, amended.