

hereby amended by adding at the end of the first section thereof the following words: “*provided*, that the treasury need not be kept open for the receipt and payment of money beyond the hour of three in the afternoon.”

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.
Approved March 2, 1881.

AN ACT IN RELATION TO SUBORDINATE OFFICERS FOR THE REFORMATORY PRISON FOR WOMEN.

Chap. 43

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The superintendent of the reformatory prison for women may, with the approval of the commissioners of prisons, appoint as many matrons, assistant matrons and deputy matrons, not exceeding twenty-six in all, as the said commissioners may judge necessary for the management of said prison.

Appointment of subordinate officers.

SECTION 2. So much of section five of chapter three hundred and eighty-five of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and seventy-four as is inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed.

Inconsistent provisions repealed. 1874, 385, § 5.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.
Approved March 2, 1881.

AN ACT TO REGULATE THE TAKING OF FISH IN NORTH RIVER IN THE COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH.

Chap. 44

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The inhabitants of the town of Pembroke are hereby permitted to take fish at the weir where they have usually caught them, on the North River, so called, or stream leading to the Indian Ponds, so called, in said town, on any secular day of the week, and at any hour of the day, and at no other time.

Inhabitants may take fish as heretofore.

SECTION 2. No person or persons shall take fish from the stream leading from said North River to the said Indian Ponds, or streams tributary to the North River, excepting at the weir above mentioned, at any time between the tenth day of April and the fifteenth day of May inclusive, of each year.

Fish not to be taken between April 10 and May 15.

SECTION 3. The selectmen or committee for the time being, of the town of Pembroke, shall, from the first running of alewives, after the tenth day of April in each year, take and deposit alive, in good condition, in Indian Ponds in said Pembroke, not less than ten thousand alewives, so they may cast their spawn in said ponds; and the expense of the same shall be borne in equal shares by the towns of Pembroke, Marshfield, Scituate and South Scituate,

Alewives to be deposited in ponds.

and said towns are hereby permitted to raise money for the same.

Rights of towns on river to take fish.

SECTION 4. It shall be lawful for the inhabitants of the several towns on North River to take fish on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, from April first to June first inclusive, of each year, with ten seines only in the manner following, to wit: The towns of South Scituate, Scituate and Pembroke shall each have the right of disposing at public auction for their own benefit, of the privilege of catching fish with two seines only, and the town of Marshfield the right of disposing at public auction for their own benefit, of the privilege of catching fish with four seines only, in the river aforesaid.

Rights of inhabitants of Hanson.

SECTION 5. It shall be lawful for the inhabitants of the town of Hanson to take fish from Indian Head River on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, from April first to June first inclusive, of each year: *provided*, said inhabitants shall not be allowed to take fish at any time from said Indian Head River within eighty rods of the mouth of said river.

Penalties.

SECTION 6. Any person or persons who may by seine or mesh net take fish from the said North River, except such persons as have authority under this act, shall be punished for each offence by a fine not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the house of correction not less than one nor more than three months.

Repeal.
1872, 229.

SECTION 7. Chapter two hundred and twenty-nine of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two, and all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved March 2, 1881.

Chap. 45 AN ACT TO AMEND "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ESSEX TO LAY OUT A HIGHWAY AND CONSTRUCT A BRIDGE OVER IPSWICH RIVER."

Be it enacted, etc., as follows :

May construct bridge without a draw.
1876, 107, § 1.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and seven of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and seventy-six is hereby amended by striking out after the word "bridge," in the fourth line, the words "and draw," and inserting the words "without a draw."

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

Approved March 2, 1881.