

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE PROPRIETORS OF THE MINISTERIAL FUND  
IN THE PARISH OF BYFIELD TO SELL CERTAIN REAL ESTATE.

Chap.204

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

SECTION 1. The proprietors of the ministerial fund in the parish of Byfield, a corporation established by an act passed on the twenty-ninth day of February in the year eighteen hundred and twelve, is hereby authorized to sell at public or private sale the whole or any part of a certain parcel of woodland owned by said corporation known as the "parsonage lot," and situated in the town of Newbury.

May sell the  
"parsonage  
lot" in New-  
bury.

SECTION 2. The proceeds of the sale of said land shall be invested in the same manner and the interest accruing therefrom shall be appropriated to the purposes set forth in said act of incorporation.

Investment of  
proceeds of  
sale.

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

*Approved May 29, 1883.*

AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE MALDEN, MEDFORD AND MELROSE  
GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

Chap.205

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

SECTION 1. So much of section two of chapter two hundred and eighty of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and fifty-six as changed the name of the Malden and Melrose Gas Light Company to the Malden, Medford and Melrose Gas Light Company, is hereby repealed, and the name of said company shall be the Malden and Melrose Gas Light Company.

Name changed.

SECTION 2. All acts done in the name of the Malden and Melrose Gas Light Company since the acceptance of said act shall have the same force and effect as if done in the name of the Malden, Medford and Melrose Gas Light Company.

Acts confirmed.

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

*Approved May 29, 1883.*

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE ESSEX COUNTY BUILDING COMPANY.

Chap.206

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

SECTION 1. S. Endicott Peabody, Benjamin W. Russell and Francis Peabody, Jr., their associates and successors, are made a corporation for the term of fifty years, from the date of the passage of this act, by the name of the Essex County Building Company; and for

Corporators.

Name.

Powers and liabilities.

this purpose said corporation shall be subject to the provisions of chapter one hundred and five and chapter one hundred and six of the Public Statutes, and to all general corporation laws which now are or hereafter may be in force, and shall have the powers and be subject to the liabilities and restrictions prescribed therein, and shall have power to purchase and hold in fee simple or otherwise all or any part of any lands in Salem, in Essex County, now owned by S. Endicott Peabody of said Salem, and such other unimproved lands in said Salem as said corporation may purchase from time to time, not exceeding three acres in all including the lands now owned by said S. Endicott Peabody.

May sell property, erect buildings, etc.

SECTION 2. The said corporation shall have power to sell, lease, mortgage and otherwise dispose of its corporate property and any parts thereof and to improve the same, to erect buildings, dwelling houses and other structures thereon, and otherwise improve the same as may be deemed expedient.

Capital stock and shares.

SECTION 3. The capital stock of the said corporation shall not exceed two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved May 29, 1883.*

### Chap.207

AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR SALARIES AND EXPENSES AT THE STATE WORKHOUSE AT BRIDGEWATER.

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

Appropriation.

SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth, from the ordinary revenue, for the payment of salaries and expenses at the state workhouse at Bridgewater, during the year eighteen hundred and eighty-three, to wit:

Salaries and expenses.

For payment of salaries at the state workhouse at Bridgewater, a sum not exceeding eleven thousand dollars; and for other current expenses of said institution, a sum not exceeding twenty-nine thousand dollars.

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

[*The foregoing was laid before the Governor on the twenty-second day of May, 1883, and after five days it had the "force of a law," as prescribed by the Constitution, as it was not returned by him with his objections within that time.*]