

of, the town of Falmouth, to wit : beginning at a stump and stones about it, a well-known monument near Red Brook spring, (so called) thence running westerly in a straight line to a long marked pine tree, another well-known monument, standing on the east side of Shelden's swamp, (so called) and thence running on the same course to the easterly line of Falmouth ; then commencing again at said stump, and running in a straight line easterly forty-one rods to the middle of Red Brook, thence running southwesterly, along the middle of said brook to Hamlin's pond, (so called) and thence running southerly across said pond in a straight line to Seconett channel ; and thence running southerly and westerly along the middle of said channel to Waquoit bay, and westerly and southerly through said bay, and out to the Vineyard sound. The lines above described, are hereby established as the southerly and westerly boundaries, as far as they go, of the district of Marshpee.

Boundaries.

SECT. 2. The selectmen of the district of Marshpee for the time being, are hereby authorized to sell and convey any land now owned by said district lying south of, and adjoining the northerly line described in the preceding section, and also to purchase, for the benefit of said district, any land lying to the north of said line and adjoining the same, now owned by individuals not belonging to said district.

Selectmen authorized to sell a certain part of the district.

SECT. 3. The line described in the preceding section is hereby established as the southerly and westerly boundaries, as far as it goes, of the district of Marshpee ; and said line shall hereafter constitute and be considered as the dividing line between said district and the owners of the land south and west of, and adjoining said line. [*Approved by the Governor, March 17, 1841.*]

Part of the boundaries of the district specified, &c.

An Act authorizing a highway and bridges across certain creeks in Truro.

Chap 103.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

The county commissioners of the county of Barnstable are hereby empowered, if, in their opinion, the public necessity and convenience require it, to lay out a highway over the following creeks, in the town of Truro, in said county, to wit : Palmit creek, Hopkins creek, and East Harbor creek, and cause to be constructed sufficient bridges over the same, at such places as they shall deem best suited to accommodate the public travel, and shall order such proportion of the expense of constructing the bridges across the two last-named creeks, aforesaid, as they may think proper, not less than three-fourths to be paid out of the treasury of said county ; and said commissioners, in carrying into effect the provisions of this Act, shall, in all respects, conform to the existing laws relative to laying out common highways. [*Approved by the Governor, March 17, 1841.*]

Creeks specified.

At least three-fourths of costs of bridges to be borne by the county.