

An Act to authorize Robert G. Shaw, and others, to extend their Wharves situate in that part of Boston called East Boston. *Chap 169.*

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

Robert G. Shaw, William H. Sumner, and Samuel S. Lewis, proprietors of the British Steam ship Wharves, situate in that part of Boston known as East Boston, and lying between and adjoining the land and wharves of the Eastern Rail-road Company; and Locke and Wheeler, are hereby authorized to extend and maintain their wharves, into the harbor channel, as far as the line established by the act, entitled, "An Act concerning the Harbor of Boston," passed on the seventeenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty; and shall have the right to lay vessels at the ends and sides of said wharves, and receive wharfage and dockage therefor: *provided*, that so much of said wharves as may be constructed below low water mark, shall be built on piles, which piles shall not be nearer to each other than six feet in the direction of the stream, and eight feet in a transverse direction, and that this act shall in no wise affect the legal rights of any persons or corporations whatever. [*Approved by the Governor, March 31, 1846.*]

Wharf in Boston may be extended to the line, &c.

*Provided, &c.*

An Act in addition to "An Act regulating the Inspection of Pickled Fish" *Chap 170.*

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

SECTION 1. From and after the passing of this act, there shall be four numbers of mackerel:—Those of the best quality, not mutilated, measuring not less than thirteen inches from the extremity of the head to the crotch, or fork of the tail, free from rust, taint or damage, shall be branded number one. The next best quality, being not less than eleven inches, measuring, as aforesaid, free from rust, taint or damage, shall be branded number two. Those that remain after the above selections, if free from taint or damage, and not less than thirteen inches, measuring as aforesaid, shall be branded number three, large. Those of the next inferior quality, free from taint or damage, not less than ten inches in length, as aforesaid, shall be branded number three. All other mackerel, free from taint or damage, shall be branded number four.

Number, measure and quality of four kinds of mackerel.

SECTION 2. The inspector general shall not have any interest, directly or indirectly, in the cure or packing of any pickled fish, except so far as a faithful performance of his duty requires.

Inspector general to have no private interests, &c. in pickled fish.

SECTION 3. The act in addition to an act, regulating the inspection of pickled fish, being the one hundred and fifty-

Repeal of previous provisions.