

## AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE ELIOT FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, IN BOSTON.

Chap. 26.

*Be it enacted, &c., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The Eliot Fire Insurance Company, in Boston, is hereby authorized to increase its capital stock, by adding thereto a sum not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars: *provided, however*, that such addition shall be paid in within two years from and after the passage of this act.

Increase of capital authorized.

Proviso.

SECTION 2. No stock shall be issued under this act, for a less sum or amount, to be actually paid in on each share, than the par value of the original shares.

Shares not to be issued less than par value

*Approved February 14, 1859.*

## AN ACT RELATING TO RETURNS OF ELECTIONS.

Chap. 27.

*Be it enacted, &c., as follows:*

The secretary of the Commonwealth shall, with the returns of votes, which he is required by the constitution to lay before the senate and house of representatives, on the first Wednesday of January, to be by them examined, also return schedules showing the number of ballots which appear to have been cast for each person voted for, in the several cities and towns of the Commonwealth.

Secretary to return schedule of number of ballots for each person voted for.

*Approved February 14, 1859.*

## AN ACT AUTHORIZING SAMUEL R. EDWARDS AND ANOTHER TO WIDEN TOWN RIVER IN QUINCY.

Chap. 28.

*Be it enacted, &c., as follows:*

Samuel R. Edwards and Charles H. Edwards are hereby authorized to widen, straighten and deepen the channel of Town River, in the town of Quincy, in the county of Norfolk: *provided, however*, that this grant shall not in any manner interfere with the legal rights of any person or persons whatever.

May widen channel, &amp;c.

Proviso.

*Approved February 15, 1859.*

## AN ACT RELATING TO THE LOWELL INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS.

Chap. 29.

*Be it enacted, &c., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The Lowell Institution for Savings, is hereby continued as a corporation from and after the expiration of its present charter, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties, liabilities and restrictions, set forth in the general laws of the Commonwealth relating to institutions for savings.

Act continued.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

*Approved February 15, 1859.*