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Bill accompanying the petition of Charles H. Hayward and others for legislation relative to membership in the corporation known as the Proprietors of the South Church in Salem. Parishes and Religious Societies. January 23.

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Six.

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### AN ACT

Relative to Membership in the Proprietors of the South Church in Salem.

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

1 SECTION 1. All persons now holding deeds to  
2 pews or parts of pews in the church building for-  
3 merly standing on Chestnut street in Salem, and  
4 which belonged to the Proprietors of the South  
5 Church in Salem, shall be deemed to be proprie-  
6 tors or members of said corporation, and other  
7 persons over twenty-one years of age may be-  
8 come proprietors or members upon such terms

9 and conditions as may from time to time be pre-  
10 scribed by the by-laws of said corporation. Each  
11 proprietor or member shall have as many votes as  
12 he has sittings.

1 SECTION 2. All parts of chapter one hundred  
2 and twenty-four of the acts of the year eighteen  
3 hundred and four inconsistent herewith are hereby  
4 repealed.

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