

Chap. 95.

AN ACT in relation to the Boston Clearing House.

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

Specie deposited,
&c., to be deem-
ed as actually in
bank.

SECT. 1. The specie belonging to the banks in Boston, connected with the Boston Clearing House, and placed by them in a depository bank as special deposit, shall be taken and considered, in the returns required by law to be made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, as specie actually in the bank depositing the same.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, April 5, 1856.*]

Chap. 96.

AN ACT relating to the return of Writs in Civil Actions before Justices of the Peace and Police Courts.

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

Return of writs,
&c., in civil ac-
tions.

In civil actions before justices of the peace and police courts, the writ, or other process, shall not be returnable earlier than nine o'clock in the forenoon, nor later than five o'clock in the afternoon, of the day on which said writ or other process is returnable. [*Approved by the Governor, April 5, 1856.*]

Chap. 97.

AN ACT to set off a part of the Town of Stoneham and annex the same to the Town of South Reading.

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

Annexed to
South Read-
ing.

SECT. 1. All that part of the town of Stoneham, in the county of Middlesex, with the inhabitants thereon, lying north-easterly of the following described line, is hereby set off from the town of Stoneham and annexed to the town of South Reading, to wit: Beginning at the boundary between said towns of Stoneham and South Reading, at a stone monument in the Taylor Pasture, so called, and running south, twenty-one degrees east, one hundred and forty and five-tenths rods, to the wall on the northerly side of the road, called in South Reading, Albion Street, near its junction with Broadway, so called; thence south, thirty-seven degrees east, one hundred and fifty-seven and five-tenths rods, more or less, to the boundary line between said towns of Stoneham and South Reading, at the south-west corner of Crystal Lake, containing about one hundred and ninety acres: *pro-*

Boundaries.