

Privileges and restrictions.

all the duties, restrictions and liabilities, and possess all the powers and privileges, set forth in the sixtieth and sixty-eighth chapters of the General Statutes.

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

Approved February 26, 1862.

Chap. 39. AN ACT TO CONFIRM CERTAIN ACTS DONE BY ALFRED W. PAUL, AS JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Acts made valid.

SECTION 1. All acts done by Alfred W. Paul, of Dighton, in the county of Bristol, as a justice of the peace within and for said county of Bristol, between the twenty-first day of April, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-six, and the twenty-third day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, are hereby made valid and confirmed, to the same extent as they would have been valid had he been, during that interval, duly qualified to discharge the duties of said office.

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

Approved February 28, 1862.

Chap. 40. AN ACT RELATING TO PROCEEDINGS IN EQUITY.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Interrogatories may be filed in same manner as in civil actions under chap. 129, General Statutes.

SECTION 1. In suits in equity, the complainant and the respondent may at any time after the filing of the answer, file in the clerk's office interrogatories for the discovery of facts and documents material to the support or defence of the suit, to be answered on oath by the adverse party, in the same manner, and subject to the same restrictions and regulations as are now provided by chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the General Statutes with reference to interrogatories in civil actions.

Neglect to amend or answer to effect dismissal or other decree required.

SECTION 2. If a party neglects or refuses to expunge, amend or answer according to the requisitions of chapter one hundred and twenty-nine of the General Statutes, the bill shall be dismissed or taken as confessed, or such other order or decree may be entered as the case may require.

Approved February 28, 1862.

Chap. 41. AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN FALL RIVER.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Fall River, shall hereafter be called and known by the name of the United Presbyterian Church in Fall River.

Approved February 28, 1862.