

porations, shall elect so to do; or, if the said Bedford Railroad Company shall not, within the time specified in the fourth section of this act, file the location of their road according to law, then the said Lexington and West Cambridge Rail-road Company, or their successors, may, within one year after the expiration of said time, locate, construct and maintain said road, on the route provided in this act; and, in either case, for the purposes contained in this section, the said Lexington and West Cambridge Rail-road Corporation, shall have and exercise, all the rights, privileges and powers, and be subject to all the duties, liabilities, and restrictions, contained in this act, and for the same purposes, the said Lexington and West Cambridge Rail-road Corporation are hereby authorized to increase their capital stock one hundred thousand dollars.

Or said company may locate road, &c.  
*Provided, &c.*

and in either case, said road may increase its capital by \$100,000.

SECTION 9. This act shall take effect from and after its passage. [*Approved by the Governor, April 16, 1846.*]

When to take effect.

An Act to establish the Salary of the Register of Probate for the County of Barnstable.

*Chap 256.*

*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. The register of probate for the county of Barnstable shall receive an annual salary of five hundred dollars, payable quarterly, instead of the salary which he now receives.

Annual salary to be \$500, &c.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect from and after the first day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-six. [*Approved by the Governor, April 16, 1846.*]

When to take effect.

An Act to change the Names of the Persons therein mentioned.

*Chap 257.*

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

Ruth Castles may take the name of Ruth Cobb; Henry Castles may take the name of Charles Henry Cobb; Thomas Coffin Amory may take the name of Thomas C. Amory; Sylvia Fellows Mudget may take the name of Sylvia Fellows Thomas; George B. Kehew may take the name of George B. Appleton; Nathaniel Baker may take the name of Henry Smith Baker; Albert Callender may take the name of Charles Albert Callender; William Sewall Murphy, minor son of widow Sarah L. Pool, may take the name of William Sewall; Samuel Hutchinson Parkhurst may take the name of Julius Thorn Parkhurst; George Vincer may take the name of Edwin Vincer Welch; Mary Whiten may take the name of Mary Wilbur; Caroline Maria Haynes, minor, may take the name of Caroline Maria Crane; Joseph Joost may take the name of Joseph Joost

Suffolk.