

Chap. 145 AN ACT TO AMEND THE THIRTY-SIXTH SECTION OF CHAPTER THIRTY-EIGHT OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, IN RELATION TO THE MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL-HOUSES BY TOWNS.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

Penalty on towns for neglecting to maintain school-houses.

The thirty-sixth section of chapter thirty-eight of the General Statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following words:—

A town which for one year refuses or neglects to comply with the requisitions of this section, shall forfeit a sum not less than five hundred nor more than one thousand dollars, under the same provisions as those made in sections fourteen and fifteen of this chapter.

Approved March 30, 1871.

Chap. 146 AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE ORANGE SAVINGS BANK.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

Corporators.

Name and purpose.

Powers and duties.

SECTION 1. Edward Barton, Rodney Hunt, Davis Goddard, N. L. Johnson, their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Orange Savings Bank, to be located in the town of Orange; with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties, restrictions and liabilities, set forth in all general laws, which now are or may hereafter be in force applicable to institutions for savings.

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

Approved March 30, 1871.

Chap. 147 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NASHUA AND LOWELL RAILROAD CORPORATION TO INCREASE ITS CAPITAL STOCK.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

\$50,000 additional capital stock.

Proviso.

SECTION 1. The Nashua and Lowell Railroad Corporation may, for the purchase of depot and terminal facilities, increase its capital stock fifty thousand dollars, and the capital stock of said corporation is fixed and limited at eight hundred thousand dollars: *provided*, that no stock shall be issued for a less sum to be actually paid in in cash on each share than the par value thereof.

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

Approved March 30, 1871.

Chap. 148 AN ACT RELATING TO THE CANTON AND HYDE PARK, AND STOUGHTON BRANCH RAILROAD COMPANIES, AND THE BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE RAILROAD CORPORATION.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

Time for locating road extended.

SECTION 1. The time for locating the road of the Canton and Hyde Park Railroad Company is hereby extended to the first day of May, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-three; and the time for constructing the same is extended to the first day of May, in the year eighteen hundred

and seventy-four; and the time allowed said company to unite with the Stoughton Branch Railroad Company is extended to the first day of May, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-six.

SECTION 2. Said Canton and Hyde Park Railroad Company may connect its road with the road of the Boston and Providence Railroad Corporation, and use the same according to law, but no such connection shall be made without the consent of the Boston and Providence Railroad Corporation.

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

Approved March 30, 1871.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE HENRY GARDNER TO EXTEND HIS WHARF IN WEYMOUTH.

Chap. 149

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

SECTION 1. License is hereby given to Henry Gardner to extend his wharf on Fore River, so called, in Weymouth; the extent, width and materials of such extension to be determined by the board of harbor commissioners, subject to the provisions of chapter one hundred and forty-nine of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and chapter four hundred and thirty-two of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, so far as the same are applicable.

May extend wharf in Weymouth, subject to direction of harbor commissioners.

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

Approved March 30, 1871.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE MORSE INSTITUTE IN NATICK.

Chap. 150

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

SECTION 1. John W. Bacon, Willard Drury, John O. Wilson, Elisha P. Hollis and Horatio Alger, the trustees elected by the inhabitants of the town of Natick under the provisions of the will of Mary Ann Morse, and their successors as such trustees, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Morse Institute in Natick; and they and their successors shall be and remain a corporation by that name forever; with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all duties, restrictions and liabilities that now are or hereafter may be in force applicable to such corporations; but when any person shall be elected a trustee of said institute, the person in whose place he is elected shall cease to be a member of said corporation upon the acceptance of his successor.

Trustees under will of Mary Ann Morse incorporated.

Name.

Powers and duties.

SECTION 2. Said corporation shall hold the devise and bequest of said Mary Ann Morse and the proceeds thereof, and shall perform and carry out the trusts upon which said devise and bequest were given to the town of Natick, and

To hold bequest and carry out trusts upon which it was given to Natick.