

ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE
State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations,

PASSED JANUARY, 1851,

BEING THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE ANNUAL OCTOBER SESSION, 1850,

WITH THE ROLL OF MEMBERS, PROCEEDINGS OF THE TWO HOUSES IN
GRAND COMMITTEE, AND REPORTS ORDERED TO BE PUBLISHED.



State of Rhode Island, &c.
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, MARCH, 1851.

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ury towards the support and maintenance of each insane pauper, who may be placed at the Butler Hospital, and who shall have become chargeable to any town in this State, since the thirty-first day of December, A. D. 1850.

AN ACT in amendment of an act entitled an act relating to theatrical exhibitions and places of amusement.

It is enacted by the General Assembly, as follows :

Section 1. No pistol gallery, or rifle gallery, or any other building, or enclosure, where fire arms are used for practicing in firing with ball or shot, shall hereafter be kept in the compact part of the town of Newport, under a penalty of two hundred dollars for the first offence, and five hundred dollars for every subsequent offence ; to be recovered, to and for the use of the State, by indictment in any court proper to try the same. And the town council of said town is hereby authorized and directed to define the limits of the compact part of said town, which limits shall be taken and deemed, to all intents under this act, to comprehend the compact part of said town.

Pistol and rifle galleries prohibited in the compact part of Newport.

Sec. 2. The town council of said town is hereby authorized and required to assess, levy and collect a tax not exceeding two hundred dollars per annum on any person who shall own or keep a pistol gallery, rifle gallery, or other building or enclosure, referred to in the preceding section, which tax shall be collected and appropriated in the same manner as is provided in the fifth section of the act of which this is in amendment in regard to the tax therein mentioned.

AN ACT in amendment of an act to prevent hawking and peddling without license.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows :

Section 1. Every petty chapman, jobber, trader, or other person, not an inhabitant of, and not assessed for taxes in the town in which he or she would establish himself or herself for transacting business in the sale of any kind of merchandize, shall, previous to the exposing for sale any such merchandize, obtain from the town

Hawking and peddling of merchandize further regulated.