

HOUSE No. 76.

[House No. 57 as amended and engrossed.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-two.

AN ACT

Concerning the Issue of Railroad Passes and the
Compensation of Members of the Legislature.

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

1 SECTION 1. No railroad corporation shall issue
2 to the governor, lieutenant-governor, any member
3 of the council, any judge of the supreme judicial
4 court or the superior court, probate court, municipi-
5 pal or district court or county commissioners or
6 any member or member-elect of the legislature,
7 any free pass, or any ticket entitling him to trans-

8 portation at a less rate of fare than is demanded
9 of the public generally.

1 SECT. 2. Any officer, agent or employee of a
2 railroad corporation who issues, delivers or offers
3 to any person mentioned in section one of this
4 act, or to or for any other person at the request,
5 solicitation or procurement of any person men-
6 tioned in section one, any free pass or any ticket
7 entitling him to transportation at a less rate of
8 fare than is demanded of the public generally
9 shall be punished by a fine of not less than one
10 hundred nor more than one thousand dollars.

1 SECT. 3. Any person mentioned in section one
2 of this act who requests, for himself or another,
3 accepts or uses any free pass upon a railroad, or
4 any ticket entitling him to transportation upon a
5 railroad, for which he has paid a less price than
6 is demanded of the public generally, shall be pun-
7 ished by a fine of not less than one hundred or
8 more than one thousand dollars.

1 SECT. 4. Each member of the senate and
2 house of representatives shall receive seven hun-
3 dred and fifty dollars for the regular annual
4 session for which he is elected, and two dollars
5 for every mile of ordinary travelling distance
6 from his place of abode to the place of the
7 sitting of the general court; and the president
8 of the senate and the speaker of the house shall

9 receive double the compensation provided for
10 members except the aforesaid two dollars per
11 mile of distance.

1 SECT. 5. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Feb. 12, 1892.

Passed to be engrossed.

Sent up for concurrence.

EDWARD A. McLAUGHLIN, *Clerk.*

