

HOUSE No. 116

Accompanying the fourth recommendation of the Secretary of the Commonwealth (House, No. 112). Election Laws.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Three.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE USE OF PASTERS OR STICKERS,
SO CALLED, ON PRIMARY BALLOTS.

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 three of chapter fifty-three of the General
2 Laws, as most recently amended by section one of
3 chapter forty-five of the acts of nineteen hundred and
4 thirty-seven, is hereby further amended by inserting
5 after the word "votes" in the fourth line the words: —
6 on pasters or stickers bearing his name and residence,
7 street and number, city or town, — so that said
8 section, as amended, will read as follows: — *Section*
9 *3.* A person whose name is not printed on a state,
10 city or town primary ballot as a candidate for an
11 office but who receives sufficient votes on pasters or
12 stickers bearing his name and residence, street and
13 number, city or town to nominate him therefor, shall
14 file a written acceptance of the nomination in the
15 office of the state secretary or the city or town clerk,

16 as the case may be, within six days succeeding five
17 o'clock in the afternoon of the day of holding the
18 primaries, otherwise his name shall not be printed on
19 the ballot as a candidate for that office at the ensuing
20 election.