

HOUSE No. 189

By Mr. Bagley of Townsend, petition of Earle S. Bagley for payments by the Commonwealth to compensate persons for property damage caused by inmates of the Industrial School for Boys at Shirley who escape therefrom. Ways and Means.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR PAYMENTS BY THE COMMONWEALTH TO COMPENSATE PERSONS WHOSE PROPERTY MAY BE DAMAGED BY ACTS OF INMATES OF THE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS AT SHIRLEY WHO ESCAPE THEREFROM.

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

1 Upon written request by the trustees of the Massa-
2 chusetts training schools, there shall be paid out of
3 the state treasury, from such funds as may be avail-
4 able therefor, to any person determined by the
5 attorney general to be entitled to compensation for
6 damage to his property caused by the act of any
7 inmate of the industrial school for boys at Shirley
8 upon his escape from said school, such sum as the
9 attorney general shall determine to be just and reason-
10 able and as the governor and council shall approve.

