

HOUSE No. 354

By Mr. O'Farrell of Malden, petition of George H. O'Farrell for legislation to provide a higher minimum salary for public school teachers. Education.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A HIGHER MINIMUM SALARY FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS.

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 40 of chapter 71 of the General Laws, as most
2 recently amended by chapter 69 of the acts of 1952, is
3 hereby further amended in the first sentence by strik-
4 ing out the words "twenty-three hundred dollars" and
5 "twenty-five hundred dollars" and inserting in place
6 thereof, respectively, the words:—twenty-eight hun-
7 dred dollars and three thousand dollars, — so that said
8 sentence will read as follows:—The compensation of
9 every teacher employed in any public day school in the
10 commonwealth, except persons in training and those
11 employed as temporary substitutes, shall be at a rate
12 of not less than twenty-eight hundred dollars in towns
13 of less than two and one half million dollars valuation
14 for the fiscal year preceding, and in all other towns at
15 a rate of not less than three thousand dollars for the
16 school year in that school.

