

HOUSE No. 1364

By Mr. Wall of Lawrence, petition of Samuel B. Horovitz for legislation relative to the compensation payable under the workmen's compensation law to seriously and permanently injured employees. Labor and Industries.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT TO ASSIST SERIOUSLY AND PERMANENTLY INJURED CRIPPLES.

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 34A of chapter 152 of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by adding at the end of the first para-
3 graph thereof the following:— Notwithstanding any
4 provision herein, if the permanent and total incapacity
5 is due to the loss, or loss of use, of any two limbs, or of
6 both eyes, or due to insanity, or paraplegia, due to the
7 injury, the weekly compensation shall equal one hun-
8 dred per cent of his average weekly wages, but in no
9 case less than thirty-five dollars weekly.

