

By Mr. Early of Worcester, petition of Joseph D. Early for legislation to designate "We're From Massachusetts, Cradle of Liberty!" by Thomas Francis Farrell as the official song of the Commonwealth. State Administration.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A STATE SONG.

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. Chapter 2 of the General Laws is hereby amend-
2 ed by adding at the end of the following section:—
3 *Section 10.* The following composition entitled: "We're
4 From Massachusetts, Cradle of Liberty!" by Thomas Francis
5 Farrell is hereby designated as the official song of the common-
6 wealth:—

VERSE

When the Pilgrim Fathers came across the sea
They landed on Cape Cod;
Ever since we've all been singing joyously,
Giving our thanks to Almighty God!

CHORUS

We're from Massachusetts!
Cradle of Liberty!
We're from Massachusetts!
Freedom for you and me!
Here's to Massachusetts!
History will recall:
To this very day there'd be no U. S. A.,
We are the cause of it all!

