

HOUSE . . . . . No. 837.

---

---

[Bill accompanying the petition of David I. Walsh and others for legislation relative to compensation for damages in the town of Clinton occasioned by the construction of the metropolitan water system. Metropolitan Affairs and Water Supply. Feb. 4.]

---

---

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and One.

---

AN ACT

Relative to Compensation for Damages in the Town of Clinton occasioned by the Construction of the Metropolitan Water System.

*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. The owners of any real estate sit-  
2 uated in that part of the town of Clinton on the  
3 southerly and westerly side of Nashua river,  
4 between the Lancaster mills dam and Water  
5 street, not taken, but directly or indirectly  
6 decreased in value or actually damaged by chap-  
7 ter four hundred and eighty-eight of the acts of

8 the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five,  
9 entitled, "An act to provide for a metropolitan  
10 water supply," or by the doings of the metropol-  
11 itan water board thereunder, shall have the same  
12 right to damages for such decrease in value, to be  
13 determined and recovered in the same way as is  
14 provided for owners of real estate in the towns of  
15 West Boylston and Sterling, by said chapter four  
16 hundred and eighty-eight of the acts of the year  
17 eighteen hundred and ninety-five and chapter  
18 four hundred and forty-five of the acts of the year  
19 eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its  
2 passage.