

HOUSE No. 940.

[Bill accompanying the petition of C. H. Blood for legislation relative to the service of writs, notices and process upon foreign corporations. Judiciary. Feb. 5.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and One.

AN ACT

Relative to Actions against Foreign Corporations.

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 three hundred thirty of
2 the acts of eighteen hundred eighty-four is hereby
3 amended by inserting after section four of said
4 chapter the following: —

5 *Section 5.* So long as any corporation subject
6 to this act neglects or omits to comply herewith
7 any and all writs, notices and processes in any
8 suit or proceeding based upon or arising out of
9 any contract made or entered, or act done by said

10 corporation within this Commonwealth, may be
11 served upon any officer or agent of said corpora-
12 tion within this Commonwealth, and if so served
13 such service shall be and constitute a valid and
14 effectual service upon said corporation, — and by
15 appropriately renumbering sections five and six
16 of said act.

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