

HOUSE No. 1272.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Feb. 26, 1903.

The committee on Metropolitan Affairs, to whom was referred the petition of John Woodbury, secretary, for legislation to authorize the appropriation of an additional amount of money to be placed at the disposal of the Metropolitan Park Commission for park purposes, report the accompanying bill.

For the committee,

HENRY M. ALDRICH.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 1, 1903.

The committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the Bill to increase the amount of money to be placed at the disposal of the Metropolitan Park Commission for park purposes (House, No. 476), report that the same ought to pass in a new draft herewith submitted.

For the committee,

ARTHUR W. HATCH.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three.

AN ACT

To increase the Amount of Money to be placed at the Disposal of the Metropolitan Park Commission for Park Purposes.

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 metropolitan park commis-
2 sion, created by chapter four hundred and seven
3 of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and
4 ninety-three, for the purpose of carrying out the
5 provisions of that act and of all acts in amend-
6 ment thereof and in addition thereto, may ex-
7 pend an additional sum of one hundred and
8 twenty-five thousand dollars.

1 SECTION 2. To meet expenditures made under
2 authority of this act the treasurer and receiver-
3 general, with the approval of the governor and
4 council, shall issue scrip or certificates of in-

5 debtedness, bearing interest at a rate not exceed-
6 ing four per centum per annum, to the said amount
7 of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars
8 as an addition to the Metropolitan Parks Loan,
9 at such times and in such sums as the metropolitan
10 park commission shall certify to him to be neces-
11 sary to meet the liabilities incurred by said com-
12 mission under the acts aforesaid, and shall add
13 to the existing sinking fund to provide for the
14 payment of the same. Such scrip or certificates
15 of indebtedness shall be issued and additions to
16 said sinking fund shall be assessed and collected
17 in accordance with the provisions of sections nine,
18 ten, eleven and twelve of said chapter four hun-
19 dred and seven, and in accordance with the pro-
20 visions of chapter two hundred and eighty-three
21 of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and
22 ninety-five and of chapter four hundred and nine-
23 teen of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and
24 ninety-nine.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon
2 its passage.

