

Bill accompanying the petition of Charles J. Fay and another for legislation to prohibit expectoration in certain public places and conveyances. Public Health. January 23.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Five.

AN ACT

To prohibit Expectoration in Certain Public Places  
and Conveyances.

*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. It shall be unlawful for any per-  
2 son to expectorate or spit on any public sidewalk,  
3 or, except in receptacles provided for the purpose,  
4 upon the floor in any city or town hall, in any  
5 court house or court room, in any public library  
6 or museum, in any church or theatre, in any lec-  
7 ture or music hall, in any ferryboat or steamboat,  
8 in any railroad or railway car, in any railroad or  
9 railway station or waiting-room or on any side-  
10 walk or platform connected therewith.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever violates any provision  
2 of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less  
3 than one nor more than ten dollars.

