

HOUSE No. 525.

Bill accompanying the petition of O. C. Bidwell for legislation relative to furnishing water for hydrants by the Housatonic Water Company in the town of Great Barrington. Water Supply. January 23.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Five.

AN ACT

To require the Housatonic Water Company to furnish Water for Hydrants in Certain Parts of the Town of Great Barrington.

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 the duty of the Housatonic
2 Water Company to furnish water, at its own expense,
3 for hydrants for fire protection and other public uses,
4 which shall be erected or designated by the town of
5 Great Barrington, or by any fire district therein, in that
6 part of Great Barrington known as Housatonic, and in
7 any other part of the said town in which water is sup-
8 plied to customers by the said company. Water as
9 aforesaid shall be furnished for the hydrants within

10 thirty days after written notice requiring the same has
11 been given by the selectmen of the town to the water
12 company, and if after the expiration of such thirty days
13 the company neglects to supply said hydrants with
14 water, the town may make such connections as are
15 necessary for the purpose, using all reasonable care for
16 the protection of the pipes and works of the water
17 company.

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