

HOUSE No. 1398

Bill accompanying the petition of Annie K. Brown for legislation to require the submission to stockholders of names of directors and officers of corporations. Mercantile Affairs. January 24.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven.

AN ACT

Relative to the Directors and Officers of 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. It shall be the duty of every corporation
2 established under the laws of this commonwealth, at least
3 ten days before its annual meeting, to notify every stock-
4 holder in writing of the names of the directors and other
5 officers intended to be presented by the officers of the cor-
6 poration, or any of them to be voted upon at the said
7 meeting; and it shall be unlawful for any officer of the
8 corporation to vote for any director or other officer whose
9 name has not been transmitted to the stockholders in
10 accordance with the provisions hereof.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever violates the provisions of this act
2 shall be subject to fine or imprisonment at the discretion
3 of the court.

