

SENATE No. 269

To accompany the petition of Alexis Boyer, Jr., and others that the police court of Southbridge be established. Legal Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven.

AN ACT

To establish the Police Court of Southbridge.

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 town of Southbridge, Sturbridge
2 and Charlton, shall constitute a judicial district,
3 under the jurisdiction of a court to be called the
4 police court of Southbridge. Said court shall be
5 held in the town of Southbridge.

1 SECTION 2. There shall be one justice, two special
2 justices and a clerk of said court. All the provi-
3 sions of law applicable to police courts shall apply
4 to said court.

1 SECTION 3. Sittings of said court for criminal
2 business shall be held at Southbridge daily, except
3 on Sundays and legal holidays. Sittings of said

4 court for the transaction of civil business shall be
5 held at Southbridge as required by law, and on
6 such other days as may be fixed by rule of court.

1 SECTION 4. The first session of the court shall be
2 held on the first day of July, in the year nineteen
3 hundred and eleven, but nothing in this act shall
4 affect any suit or other proceeding begun prior to
5 said first day of July.

1 SECTION 5. So much of this act as relates to the
2 appointing and qualifying of the justices of the
3 court and the clerk of the court shall take effect
4 upon its passage, and the remainder of this act
5 shall take effect on the first day of July, in the year
6 nineteen hundred and eleven.

1 SECTION 6. So much of chapter one hundred and
2 sixty of the Revised Laws as is inconsistent with
3 this act is hereby repealed.