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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Feb. 28, 1912.

The committee on Election Laws, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 569) of Alfred Tewksbury for legislation to provide for the filing of acceptances by persons nominated or elected at primaries, report the accompanying bill.

For the committee,

WM. M. McMORROW.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twelve.

### AN ACT

Relative to the Filing of Acceptances by Certain Candidates  
nominated at State Primaries.

*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. No person whose name is not printed on  
2 a state primary ballot as a candidate for nomination for  
3 any office shall be entitled to have his name printed on  
4 the ballot to be used at a state election as a candidate for  
5 said office unless such person files in the office of the secre-  
6 tary of the commonwealth, within seventy-two hours after  
7 the date on which the primary was held, a written accept-  
8 ance of such nomination.

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



