

Bill accompanying the petition of Timothy J. Ahern for legislation relative to medical and hospital services under the workmen's compensation act. Joint Judiciary. January 1.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirteen.

AN ACT

Relative to Medical and Hospital Services under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

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. Section five of Part II of chapter seven
2 hundred and fifty-one of the acts of the year nineteen
3 hundred and eleven is hereby amended by striking out,
4 in line one, the words "first two weeks after the injury",
5 and inserting in place thereof the words: — disability of
6 the injured employee, — and also by striking out, in line
7 two, the word "furnish", and inserting in place thereof
8 the words: — be liable for, — so as to read as follows: —
9 *Section 5.* During the disability of the injured employee,
10 the association shall be liable for reasonable medical and
11 hospital services, and medicines when they are needed.

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

