

# HOUSE . . . . No. 2208

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 25, 1913.

The committee on Cities, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 183) of John R. Wallace for legislation to authorize the city of Lynn to pay a pension to John Helan, report the accompanying bill.

For the committee,

MICHAEL H. COTTER.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirteen.

### AN ACT

To authorize the City of Lynn to pay a Pension to John Helan.

*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 city of Lynn may, by vote of its mu-  
2 nicipal council, pay to John Helan, who was for thirty-  
3 five years an employee in the cemetery department of  
4 said city, an annual pension not exceeding in any one  
5 year half of the average yearly amount paid by the said  
6 city to the said Helan during the two years preceding  
7 his retirement from the service of said city. Said pen-  
8 sion may be during the life of said John Helan or for  
9 such term of years as the said municipal council may  
10 decide, and shall in no case take effect or be payable  
11 from a date earlier than that of the vote of the said  
12 council establishing the said pension.

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