

HOUSE No. 834

Bill accompanying the petition of the mayor of the city of Boston that admission of the public to public amusements be regulated. Joint Judiciary. January 16.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen.

AN ACT

To regulate Admission of the Public to Public Amusements.

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. Every ticket of admission to a public
2 amusement licensed under any special statute or general
3 law shall have printed thereon as and when issued and
4 offered for disposal or sale the condition of the contract
5 securing the right of admission that such ticket is a
6 revocable license; is issued for the amount of money
7 appearing on its face and no more; and is wholly void
8 if and when transferred, sold or purchased at a premium;
9 and any ticket so transferred, sold or purchased upon
10 payment of more than the amount of money so appear-
11 ing on its face as aforesaid shall then and there be
12 wholly void; and the right of admission of the holder
13 thereof to any public amusement aforesaid shall be and
14 become thereby wholly revoked and void.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever issues and offers for disposal or
2 sale a ticket of admission except in accordance with the
3 provisions of section one of this act, or whoever grants
4 or permits admission to the holder of a ticket issued,
5 transferred, sold or purchased contrary to the provisions
6 of said section, or whoever transfers, sells or purchases
7 a ticket contrary to the provisions of said section shall
8 be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars
9 for each offence.