

HOUSE No. 922

Bill accompanying the report of the special recess committee on tuberculosis. Public Health. January 14.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen.

AN ACT

To establish a Department of Diseases dangerous to the
Public Health.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the
same, as follows:*

1 There shall be in the state board of health a depart-
2 ment of diseases dangerous to the public health, with
3 mandatory powers, consisting of three persons known to
4 be familiar with diseases dangerous to the public health,
5 to be appointed by the state board of health and to hold
6 office until the successor of each shall be chosen by the
7 said board. The members of this department shall serve
8 without pay except that they shall be reimbursed for
9 their hotel and travelling expenses. The said department
10 shall appoint a secretary who shall be the executive offi-
11 cer of said board and shall receive such compensation as
12 may be fixed by the state board of health to be paid out
13 of the amount appropriated therefor by the legislature.

