

Bill accompanying the petition of Henry J. Mahoney for an investigation of the present government and financial administration of the county of Middlesex. Counties. January 26.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen.

AN ACT

To provide for a Commission to investigate the Government and Financial Administration of Middlesex County.

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. A commission of five persons shall be ap-
2 pointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of
3 the council, to investigate the administration of affairs in
4 the county of Middlesex, with a view of establishing a
5 more efficient system of government for said county.
6 The commission shall report to the general court on or
7 before the fifteenth day of January, nineteen hundred
8 and fifteen, and shall, as a part of its report, draft an
9 act embodying a comprehensive plan of government, giv-
10 ing assurance to the people of the county by this act of
11 a better administration of its affairs, particularly in its
12 financial management. The members of the commission
13 shall serve without compensation, but may expend for
14 such necessary expenses, as may be approved by the gov-
15 ernor and council, a sum not exceeding two thousand five
16 hundred dollars.

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

