

HOUSE No. 465

Bill accompanying the petition of Wilfrid Wheeler for the encouragement of agriculture among children and youths. Agriculture. January 10.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventeen.

AN ACT

To provide for the Encouragement of Agriculture among
Children and Youths.

*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 one of chapter three hundred and
2 nineteen of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and
3 thirteen, as amended by chapter two hundred and sixty-
4 seven of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and
5 fourteen, is hereby further amended by striking out the
6 word "two", in the second line, and inserting in place
7 thereof the word: — three, — so as to read as follows: —
8 *Section 1.* A sum not exceeding three thousand dollars
9 may annually be expended by the state board of agricul-
10 ture in premiums or otherwise, as the board shall deter-
11 mine, as rewards to children and youths under eighteen
12 years of age for the purpose of stimulating interest and

13 activity in agriculture. The board shall report annually
 14 to the legislature the names of the recipients of pre-
 15 miums or other rewards given hereunder, and the amount
 16 or value given to each.

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

