

HOUSE No. 914

Bill accompanying the petition of John T. Crowley relative to heating the front vestibule of cars of street railway companies during a certain period. Street Railways. January 15.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventeen.

AN ACT

Requiring Street Railway Companies to heat the Front Vestibule of all Vestibule Cars from the Fifteenth Day of October in Each Year to the First Day of May in Each Succeeding Year.

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 street railway company and every
2 person operating lines of electric street railway within the
3 commonwealth shall, from the fifteenth day of October
4 in each year until the first day of May in each succeeding
5 year, heat by electricity the front vestibule of each vesti-
6 bule car operated within the commonwealth for the
7 transportation of freight or passengers between the
8 fifteenth day of October in each year and the first day
9 of May in each succeeding year, while any such car is
10 being so operated.

1 SECTION 2. Any street railway company or any person
2 operating lines of electric street railway within the com-
3 monwealth and failing to comply with the provisions of
4 section one of this act shall be punished by a fine of
5 twenty dollars for each trip run by any of its cars not
6 heated as provided in section one of this act, except when
7 the failure to heat such car is due to an accident to the
8 car or heating apparatus during said trip.

1 SECTION 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent
2 herewith are hereby repealed.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

