

HOUSE No. 268

By Mr. Cain of Wilmington, petition of Fred F. Cain for legislation to regulate charges by newspapers and other advertising media for certain advertisements. Commerce and Labor.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Nine.

AN ACT REGULATING THE CHARGES FOR CERTAIN ADVERTISING.

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

1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special
2 law to the contrary, no owner, editor, publisher or agent of a
3 newspaper or other advertising medium shall charge more than
4 the usual and regular rates for any advertisement when cash
5 prepayment for same is made or required. Violation of the
6 foregoing shall subject the publisher thereof to a fine of not
7 more than two hundred dollars.

By Mr. Galt of Wisconsin, position of Mrs. A. C. Galt for inclusion in article
 charges by newspapers and other advertising media for certain other purposes
 Commerce and Labor

The Commercially of Representatives

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Nine

As the Commission has already said certain provisions
 that it needed by the Senate and House of Representatives in
 General Court assembled, and by the authority of the court, as
 follows:

- 1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special
- 2 law to the contrary, no salary, honorarium, or other benefit of a
- 3 newspaper or other advertising medium shall change more than
- 4 the usual and regular rates for any advertisement when such a
- 5 payment for same is made or required. Violation of the
- 6 foregoing shall subject the publisher thereof to a fine of not
- 7 more than two hundred dollars.