

HOUSE . . . . . No. 4785

By Mr. MacLean of Fairhaven, petition of William Q. MacLean, Jr., relative to increasing the tax for horse, dog and harness racing on Sundays. Taxation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Two.

AN ACT INCREASING THE TAX FOR SUNDAY HORSE, DOG AND HARNESS RACING TWO PER CENT.

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 5 of chapter 128A of the General Laws, as most  
2 recently amended by chapter 718 of the acts of 1971, is  
3 hereby amended by adding, after the last paragraph, the follow-  
4 ing paragraph: —

5 In addition to any amount required to be withheld under  
6 the provisions of the preceding paragraphs by a licensee con-  
7 ducting a horse, dog or harness horse racing meeting, such  
8 licensee shall withhold an additional amount equal to two per  
9 cent of the total amount wagered on Sundays, which amount  
10 shall be retained by the licensee.

By the Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, in answer to a resolution of the House, passed July 1, 1892, relating to the report of the Committee on the Judiciary, in relation to the case of the late Senator Charles Sumner, deceased.

THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE, PASSED JULY 1, 1892,

RELATIVE TO THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY, IN RELATION TO THE CASE OF THE LATE SENATOR CHARLES SUMNER, DECEASED.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDER OF THE HOUSE, PASSED JULY 1, 1892, RELATIVE TO THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY, IN RELATION TO THE CASE OF THE LATE SENATOR CHARLES SUMNER, DECEASED.

SECTION 2 OF ARTICLE I, OF THE CONSTITUTION, PROVIDES THAT THE SENATE SHALL HAVE THE SOLE POWER TO IMPEACH AND TRY ALL CIVIL OFFICERS OF THE UNITED STATES.

IN ADDITION TO THE POWER VESTED IN THE SENATE BY THE CONSTITUTION, THE SENATE HAS THE POWER TO IMPEACH AND TRY ALL CIVIL OFFICERS OF THE UNITED STATES, AND TO REMOVE THEM FROM OFFICE.