

SENATE No. 10.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

IN SENATE, January 21, 1867.

The Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was committed the Bill in relation to bail in criminal cases, have examined the same and report the Bill ought not to pass.

Per order,

S. W. BOWERMAN, *Chairman.*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-
Seven.

AN ACT

In relation to Bail in Criminal Cases.

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

1 SECT. 1. Any justice of the supreme judicial
2 court, on the application of a person imprisoned for
3 the alleged commission of the offence of rape or
4 arson, may admit such person to bail, in such sum,
5 and with such sureties, as he shall judge reasonable.

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2 herewith are hereby repealed.

1 SECT. 3. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.