

SENATE No. 18.

[To accompany the petition of Frederick B. Allen and others that certain witness fees allowed to police officers of the city of Boston shall be paid to the Boston Police Relief Association.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-seven.

AN ACT

Relating to Witness Fees of Police Officers in the
City of Boston.

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. Any police officer of the city of
2 Boston on duty at night, who attends any sitting
3 of any municipal, police or district court within
4 the county of Suffolk, as a witness for the Com-
5 monwealth, shall be allowed the same fees for
6 attendance and travel as are allowed to other
7 witnesses, and the amount of such fees shall be
8 paid over by the treasurer of the county of Suf-
9 folk to the treasurer of the Boston Police Relief

10 Association in the city of Boston, for the purpose
11 of assisting the families of deceased members of
12 said association and the members thereof, when
13 sick and disabled or upon the decease of their
14 wives. The clerks of said courts shall in every
15 such case certify the amount of said fees to the
16 treasurer of the county of Suffolk, separately, or
17 in such manner that the same can be identified.

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

