

HOUSE No. 308.

[Bill accompanying the petition of F. P. Bennett. Education.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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

AN ACT

Making an Appropriation for a Textile School at Fall River.

*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. The sum of fifty thousand dollars
2 is hereby appropriated for the establishment and
3 maintenance of a textile school at Fall River,
4 upon condition that a like sum shall be appro-
5 priated for the same purpose by the city of Fall
6 River.

1 SECTION 2. The said sum shall be paid over
2 in three instalments of twenty-five thousand dol-
3 lars, fifteen thousand dollars and ten thousand
4 dollars, respectively, the first instalment to be

5 paid as soon as the city of Fall River shall have
6 paid over a like sum for the same purpose; the
7 second instalment to be paid one year, and the
8 third instalment two years thereafter, both of said
9 payments being conditional upon the payment
10 of like sums by the said city of Fall River.

1 SECTION 3. The mayor of Fall River shall,
2 upon the passage of this act, appoint a committee
3 of not less than nine and not more than fifteen
4 persons, who shall be incorporated, or who shall
5 constitute themselves trustees for the purpose of
6 establishing and maintaining the said textile
7 school and of holding property therefor. When-
8 ever the first instalment provided for in section
9 two hereof has been paid, there shall be added to
10 said incorporators or trustees two other persons,
11 by appointment of the governor of the Common-
12 wealth; and whenever the first instalment to be
13 paid by the said city has so been paid, the mayor
14 of said city and the superintendent of schools
15 shall be added to the said incorporators or
16 trustees.

1 SECTION 4. The said textile school, or the
2 corporation or trustees aforesaid, for the use and
3 benefit of said school, may acquire and hold
4 property to the value of three hundred thousand
5 dollars.

1 SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.

