

Bill accompanying the petition of James Oliver for legislation relative to the sale and marking of shingles. Mercantile Affairs. January 19.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nine.

AN ACT

Relative to the Marking of Shingles.

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. When shingles are sold each bundle shall
2 be plainly and correctly marked on the binder of the
3 bundle the number of shingles in said bundle. The
4 figures shall be at least three-fourths of an inch high and
5 one-half of an inch wide, and shall be put where they
6 can be easily seen. A shingle shall be reckoned four
7 inches wide or its equivalent, that is, a course of shingles
8 twenty inches wide when closely laid shall be counted
9 as five shingles.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever violates the provisions of this
2 act shall be fined five dollars for each offence.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect one year from
2 the date of its passage.

