

HOUSE No. 936

Bill accompanying the petition to C. T. Mooney for legislation relative to the overloading of horses and mules, especially in the city of Fall River. Cities. January 27.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nine.

AN ACT

Relative to the Loads hauled by Horses and Mules in the City of 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. In the city of Fall River, it shall be un-
2 lawful for an owner or driver of horses or mules to
3 cause any single horse or mule to haul a load exceeding
4 twenty-five hundred pounds in weight, or to cause any
5 pair of horses or mules to haul a load exceeding five
6 thousand pounds in weight, or to cause a team of horses
7 exceeding two in number to haul a greater proportionate
8 load than the load hereby established.

1 SECTION 2. Any owner violating the provisions of
2 this act shall be fined a sum not exceeding fifty dollars
3 for each offence, and any driver violating the provisions
4 of this act shall be fined a sum not exceeding twenty-five
5 dollars for each offence.

