

Bill accompanying the petition of Thomas H. Green for further regulation of the manufacture of explosives. Mercantile Affairs. January 16.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen.

AN ACT

To regulate further the Manufacture of Explosives.

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. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm
2 or corporation engaged in the manufacture of explosives
3 to construct new buildings or additions to buildings to be
4 used for said purpose within a distance of two miles from
5 a habitation in a city or town in this commonwealth:
6 *provided, however,* that such temporary or minor con-
7 struction may be permitted connected with the business
8 of making explosives which shall have first received the
9 approval of a majority of the selectmen of a town or of
10 the mayor and board or boards of administration of a
11 city as the case may be.

1 SECTION 2. Whoever violates the provisions of this
2 act shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one
3 thousand dollars or imprisonment not exceeding six
4 months or both fine and imprisonment for each offence.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect ninety days after
2 its passage.

