

(Similar Matter Filed During Previous Session—See House, No. 2791.)

SENATE No. 285

By Mr. Aylmer, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 285) of John F. Aylmer and Alfred Almeida for legislation to increase the fees for dog licenses and providing for the disposition of the unexpended balance of the dog fund. Counties.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Three.

AN ACT INCREASING THE FEES FOR DOG LICENSES AND PROVIDING FOR THE DISPOSITION OF THE UNEXPECTED BALANCE OF THE DOG FUND.

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 172 of said chapter 140 is hereby amended by
2 striking out the first sentence and inserting in place thereof
3 the following sentence: — Money received by a county treas-
4 urer under the preceding sections relating to dogs, and paid
5 out for damages, license blanks or books, record books, anti-
6 rabic vaccine or other purposes as required under said sections
7 shall, in January, be paid back to the treasurers of the towns
8 and cities, in proportion to the amounts received for such
9 cities and towns and the money so refunded shall be held by
10 the treasurers in an account for dog control together with any
11 other funds appropriated by such town or city for similar
12 purposes but without the need of appropriation to such ac-
13 count by the town or city.

