

DAMAGES CAUSED BY DOGS [Mar. 23] 2

HOUSE No. 258.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 19, 1889.

The Committee on the Judiciary, who were instructed to inquire into the expediency of amending section 93 of chapter 102 of the Public Statutes, in relation to damages done by dogs, report the accompanying Bill.

For the Committee,

J. OTIS WARDWELL.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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

AN ACT

To amend Section Ninety-three of Chapter One Hundred and Two of the Public Statutes, relative to Damages caused by Dogs.

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 ninety-three of chapter one hundred
2 and two of the Public Statutes is hereby amended
3 by striking out the word "double" in the second
4 line thereof, so that said section, as amended, will
5 read: Every owner or keeper of a dog shall for-
6 feit to any person injured by it the amount of the
7 damage sustained by him, to be recovered in an
8 action of tort.

