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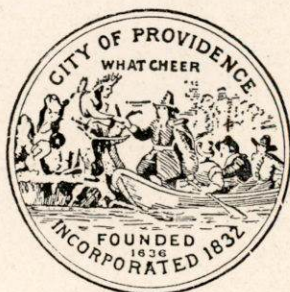
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(Supplement No. 30)



The following Ordinances of the City Council supplement the revision of 1914,*and are numbered continuously from supplement No. 29 for the year 1943. Printed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1048 of the Ordinances of 1941.

Included in this supplement will be found tables showing the changes in the Ordinances by chapter and section number and new Ordinances not classified with former Ordinances.

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TABLE SHOWING CHANGES IN THE CITY
ORDINANCES DURING THE MUNICIPAL
YEARS 1915-1944.

Chapter 2.—Auctioneers.

Secs. 3 and 4 added, by 791 of 1930.

Restricted as to sales of eggs and poultry under supervision
of Bureau of Markets, by 930 of 1936.

Chapter 5.—Billboards and Advertising.

Sec. 2, amended, by 802 of 1931.

Sec. 4, amended, by 783 of 1930.

Sec. 5, amended, by 783 of 1930.

Sec. 6, amended, by 783 of 1930.

Sec. 8, amended, by 783 of 1930.

(Total Chapter repealed by 1047 of 1940.)

Chapter 6.—Board of Contract and Supply.

Sec. 1, Commissioner of Public Buildings, and City
Treasurer, membership on, by 817 of 1931.

Sec. 1, Chairman of Bureau of Police and Fire, member-
ship on, by 920 of 1936.

Sec. 5, Tax Assessors, membership on, by 313 of 1921.

Sec. 8, automobile storage, by 94 of 1915.

Sec. 10, electric lamps, by 137 of 1916.

Sec. 11, Real Estate experts, by 296 of 1921.

Chapter 7.—Board of Recreation.

Sec. 8, acceptance of gifts, by 174 of 1917.

Chapter 8.—Board of Hospital Commissioners.

Secs. 2 and 3, certain charges, by 127 of 1916.

Chapter 9.—Bonds of City Officers.

- Sec. 1, amounts changed, by 75, 79, 88 of 1915.
- Sec. 1, city gauger, by 165 of 1917.
- Sec. 1, amounts changed, by 570 of 1927.
- Sec. 1, clerk and deputy clerk of police court, by 713 of 1929.
- Sec. 6, by 748 of 1929.

Chapter 11.—Business Relations with the City.

- Suspension *re* Water Board, by 103 of 1915.
- Suspension *re* Medical expert, by 160 of 1917.
- Suspension *re* Medical expert, by 161 of 1917.
- Suspension *re* Tax Books, by 229 of 1919.
- Suspension *re* Engrossing, by 246 of 1920.
- Suspension *re* Auto Hire, by 261 of 1920.
- Suspension *re* Sale of Truck, by 298 of 1921.
- Suspension *re* Sale of Boxes, by 401 of 1924.
- Suspension *re* Sale of Auto, by 421 of 1924.
- Suspension *re* Engrossing, by 488 of 1925.
- Suspension *re* Sale of Auto, by 496 of 1925.
- Suspension *re* Building expert, by 517 of 1926.
- Suspension *re* Engrossing, by 542 of 1926.
- Suspension *re* Engrossing, by 574 of 1927.
- Suspension *re* Sale of Auto, by 581 of 1927.
- Suspension *re* Law Books, by 582 of 1927.
- Suspension *re* Auctioneer, by 626 of 1928.

Chapter 12.—City Plan Commission.

- Sec. 1, added membership, by 315 of 1922.
 - Sec. 1, membership, by 1070 of 1941.
- (Total Chapter repealed by 1269 of 1944.)

Chapter 14.—Committees of the City Council.

- Sec. 1, garages, by 95 of 1915.
- Sec. 1, departmental organization, by 273 of 1920.

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- Sec. 1, municipal terminal development, by 274 of 1920.
 - Sec. 1, New Committees, by 277 of 1921.
 - Sec. 1, New Committees, by 348 of 1923.
 - Sec. 1, Garage Committee, name changed, by 675 of 1928.
 - Sec. 2, relief of disabled firemen, repealed, by 282 of 1921.
 - Sec. 2, relief of firemen and policemen, by 549 of 1927.
 - Sec. 2, relief of firemen and policemen, by 1073 of 1941.
 - Sec. 11, military service, by 164 of 1917.

(Since adoption of Providence Charter Act of 1940, the Committees of the City Council and their powers and duties are enumerated in "Resolution Adopting the Rules and Procedure of the City Council," usually adopted at the first meeting in the month of January next following a regular municipal election.)

Chapter 16.—Dexter Donation.

Town Meeting, by 641 of 1928.

Chapter 18.—Dogs.

- Sec. 1, (old) renumbered Sec. 2 by 774 of 1930.
- Sec. 1, Dogs at large, by 774 of 1930 (added).
- Sec. 1, by 843 of 1932.
- Sec. 2, fees, by 183 of 1917.
- Sec. 2, renumbered 3, by 774 of 1930.

Chapter 19.—Explosives.

Sec. 6, storage, by 101 of 1915.

Chapter 20.—Finances.

- Sec. 16, crediting receipts for furnishing electric energy, by 938 of 1937.
- Sec. 19, return of fees, by 212 of 1919.
- Sec. 20, return of fees, by 204 of 1918.

- Sec. 24, deputy city auditor, by 202 of 1918.
 Sec 24, second deputy city auditor, by 396 of 1924.
 Sec. 34, expenses of police department for extraditing cases, by 350 of 1923.
 Sec. 34, detecting criminals, by 476 of 1925.
 Sec. 49, surrendered bonds, by 618 of 1928.
 Sec. 49, surrendered bonds, by 1249 of 1944.
 Sec. 50, deputy city treasurer, by 205 of 1918.
 Sec. 50, second deputy city treasurer, by 403 of 1924.
 Sec. 57, receipts from real estate, by 176 of 1917.
 Sec. 60, water works depreciation and extension fund, by 631 of 1928.
 Sec. 60, water works depreciation and extension fund, by 946 of 1937.
 Sec. 61, refunds, by 242 of 1920.
 Sec. 61, refunds, by 1234 of 1944.
 Sec. 62, retaining money for change, by 279 of 1921.
 Sec. 62, added *re* to retaining money for change, by 297 of 1921.
 Sec. 63, automobile accident insurance fund, by 622 of 1928.

Chapter 21.—Fire Department.

- Sec. 3, total number increased, by 360 of 1923.
 Sec. 3, two deputy chiefs, by 380 of 1923.
 Sec. 3, total number increased, by 412 of 1924.
 Sec. 3, total number increased, by 477 of 1925.
 Sec. 3, total number of men increased, by 497 of 1925.
 Sec. 3, total number increased, by 534 of 1926.
 Sec. 3, total number increased, by 543 of 1926.
 Sec. 3, total number increased, by 698 of 1929.
 Sec. 3, total number increased, by 734 of 1929.
 Sec. 3, battalion chief increased, by 777 of 1930.
 Secs. 6, 12, by 360 of 1923.
 Sec. 14, by 360 of 1923.
 Secs. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, fire prevention bureau, by 498 of 1925.
 (Revised by Chapter 1210 of 1943.)

Chapter 23.—Flags.

- Sec. 1, care of, by 128 of 1916.
- Secs. 3 and 4, repealed.
- Secs. 5 and 6, renumbered 3 and 4.

Chapter 24.—Hackney Carriages and Other Vehicles.

- Secs. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, by 96 of 1915.
- Sec. 1, by 304 of 1921.
- Sec. 1, by 583 of 1927.
- Sec. 2, par. 4, fees, by 299 of 1921.
- Sec. 2, par. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, by 304 of 1921.
- Sec. 2, par. 7, by 601 of 1928.

Chapter 29.—Health.

- Sec. 3, Removal of Waste Matter, by 372 of 1923.
- Sec. 3, Removal of Waste Matter, by 623 of 1928.
- Sec. 4, Repealed, by 623 of 1928.
- Sec. 7, Combustible Rubbish, by 623 of 1928.
- Secs. 11, 15 and 16, *re* Adequate supply of Water, by 858 of 1933.
- Sec. 20, Penalty for Violation, by 372 of 1923.

(Total Chapter amended by 984 of 1939.)

Chapter 30.—Highways.

- Sec. 12, Distributing Handbills, Soliciting Business from Hallways, by 716 of 1929.
- Sec. 14, Roller Skates, by 92 of 1915.
- Sec. 17, bicycles, by 521 of 1926.
- Sec. 19, Sweeping of Sidewalks, by 1281 of 1944.

Chapter 31.—Inspectors.

- Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, by 504 of 1926.

Chapter 36.—Municipal Court.

- Sec. 1, Business Hours, by 257 of 1920.
- Sec. 1, Business Hours, by 455 of 1925.
- Sec. 1, Special Session, by 689 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Sessions During Bank Holidays, by 851 of 1933.

Chapter 38.—Officers of City and Their Duties.

- Sec. 1, Pound Keeper, by 456 of 1925.
- Sec. 1, Public Service Engineer, by 700 of 1929.
- Sec. 4, Fire Marshal, by Public Laws, Chap. 1269, 1915.
- Sec. 13, City Messenger, by 329 of 1922.
- Sec. 13, 4 p. m. closing, 2nd Tuesday in July to 1st Monday in September, by 804 of 1931.
- Sec. 14, City Sergeant, by 184 of 1917.
- Sec. 14, City Sergeant, by 365 of 1923.
- Sec. 16, City Solicitor, by 323 of 1922.
- Sec. 16, Fourth Assistant City Solicitor, by 399 of 1924.
- Sec. 19, City Weigher, by 595 of 1927.
- Sec. 28, Commissioner of Public Buildings, by 232 of 1919.
- Sec. 28, Commissioner of Public Buildings, by 241 of 1920.
- Sec. 28, Commissioner of Public Buildings, by 292 of 1921.
- Sec. 28, Commissioner of Public Buildings, by 314 of 1921.
- Sec. 31, Bath Houses, by 175 of 1917.

(For additions and changes see Chapter 832 of Public Laws of 1940 and Chapter 1665 of Public Laws of 1945.)

Chapter 39.—Ordinances Published in Newspapers.

- Sec. 2, by 859 of 1933.
(Repealed by Chapter 1048 of 1941.)

Chapter 40.—Parks.

- Secs. 3, 4, Bath Houses in Parks, by 175 of 1917.
- Sec. 3, Bath Houses in Parks, by 220 and 228 of 1919
- Sec. 3, Duties of Commissioners, by 701 of 1929.
- Sec. 3, Comfort Station, Davls Park, by 824 of 1931.
- Sec. 13, Bathing at R. W. Park, by 475 of 1925.
- Sec. 14, Sale of Articles, by 124 of 1916.
- Sec. 20, Sale of Articles, by 129 of 1916.
- Sec. 21, Municipal Golf Course, rebate part of fee to persons joining Armed Forces of the United States, by 1078 of 1941.

Chapter 42.—Places of Trade.

- Sec. 1, by 800 of 1931.

Chapter 43.—Plumbing and Drainage.

- Secs. 1, 2, 10, 11, 22, 28, by 166 of 1917.
- Secs. 2, 3, 10, 12, 13, 23 and 27, by 987 of 1939.
- Sec. 4, Approval of Specifications, by 125 of 1916.
(Chapter 125 Repealed, by 166 of 1917.)
- Secs. 10, 11, 12, 14, 22, 24, 27, 33, by 289 of 1921.
- Sec. 10, Cast Iron Drain Pipe, by 359 of 1923.
- Sec. 13, Requirements in Drain Connection, by 359 of 1923.
- Sec. 35, Added, by 166 of 1917.

Chapter 44.—Police Court.

- Sec. 2, Fees, by 714 of 1929.
- Sec. 3, Witness Fees, by 714 of 1929.
- Sec. 4, Annual Report, by 714 of 1929.

Chapter 45.—Poor.

- Sec. 1, Temporary Relief, by 218 of 1919.
- Secs. 1, 2, 3, Temporary Relief, by 278 of 1921.
- Secs. 1, 2, 3, Temporary Relief, by 393 of 1924.
- Sec. 5, Temporary Relief, by 308 of 1921.
- Sec. 5, by 978 of 1939.

Chapter 47.—Property of City.

Sec. 11, Fields Point Leases, by 77 of 1915.

Chapter 49.—Public Works Department.

Sec. 6, Water Bill Coupons and Accounting, by 283 of 1921.

Sec. 9, Approval of Salaries, by 198 of 1918.

Sec. 9, Approval of Salaries, by 225 and 231 of 1919.

Sec. 9, Approval of Salaries, by 293 of 1921.

Secs. 16, 17, 18, Public Service Engineer, by 106 of 1915.

Sec. 9, Revised by 1206 of 1943.

Secs. 16, 17, 18, by 1209 of 1943.

Sec. 30, Settling of Certain Claims, by 287 of 1921.

Sec. 30, Collection of Garbage, by 568 of 1927.

Secs. 31, 32, 33, Building Sidewalks, by 727 of 1929.

Sec. 34, Building Sidewalks in connection with Federal Works Program, by 934 of 1936.

Chapter 50.—Qualifications for Employment.

Sec. 1, Emergency Cases, by 117 of 1916.

Sec. 1, Qualified Elector, by 786 of 1930.

Sec. 1, Citizen, by 792 of 1930.

Sec. 1, Citizen of Providence; married women, by 801 of 1931.

(Total Chapter amended by 1209 of 1943.)

Chapter 51.—Railroad.

Sec. 1, Rule 9, Trolley Car Control, by 318 of 1922.

Sec. 3, Freight Cars, by Sec. 7 of 106 of 1915.

Sec. 27, Supervision, by Sec. 8 of 106 of 1915.

Sec. 29, Reports, by Sec. 9 of 106 of 1915.

Chapter 53.—Relief of Certain City Employees.

Sec. 1, amended, by 776 of 1930.

Sec. 2, amended, by 518 of 1926.

Sec. 2, amended, by 776 of 1930.

Chapter 55.—Salaries.

(Revised by Chapter 1206, of 1943.)

- Sec. 1, Commissioner of Public Works, by 79 of 1915
- Sec. 1, Deputy Overseer of Poor, by 88 of 1915.
- Sec. 1, Public Service Engineer, by 107 of 1915.
- Sec. 1, City Solicitor's Office, by 108 of 1915.
- Sec. 1, Deputy City Clerks, by 146 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Supt. of Parks, by 148 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Deputy Tax Assessors, by 149 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Tax Assessors, by 150 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Judge Municipal Court, by 151 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, City Auditor, by 152 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Recorder of Deeds Office, by 154 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Mayor, by 155 of 1916.
- Sec. 1, Deputy Smoke Inspector, by 156 of 1916
- Sec. 1, Mayor's secretary, by 158 of 1917.
- Sec. 1, Deputy City Sergeant, by 167 of 1917.
- Sec. 1, Sanitary Engineer, by 168 of 1917.
- Sec. 1, General Revision, by 182 of 1917.
- Sec. 1, Supt. of Public Buildings, by 187 of 1918.
- Sec. 1, Inspector of Provisions, by 189 of 1918.
- Sec. 1, Deputy City Auditor, by 203 of 1918.
- Sec. 1, Assistant City Solicitor's by 207 of 1918.
- Sec. 1, Curator of R. W. Park, by 213 of 1919.
- Sec. 1, Maximum Classifications, by 230 of 1919.
- Sec. 1, City Officers and Employees, by 236 of 1919.
- Sec. 1, City Weigher, by 237 of 1919.
- Sec. 1, Harbor Master, by 238 of 1919.
- Sec. 1, Deputy City Clerks, by 239 of 1919.
- Sec. 1, City Clerk's Dept., by 245 of 1920.
- Sec. 1, Deputy Smoke Inspector, by 249 of 1920.
- Sec. 1, Recorder of Deeds Dept., by 258 of 1920.
- Sec. 1, Police Commissioner's Dept., by 260 of 1920.
- Sec. 1, City Officers, by 265 of 1920.
- Sec. 1, City Solicitor and Assistant, by 312 of 1921.
- Sec. 1, Fourth Assistant City Solicitor, by 323 of 1922.

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- Sec. 1, Superintendent of Public Buildings, by 347 of 1922.
 - Sec. 1, Secretary Board of Review, by 373 of 1923.
 - Sec. 1, Third Assistant City Solicitor, by 388 of 1923.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy City Treasurer, by 389 of 1923 (Rescinded, by 392 of 1924.)
 - Sec. 1, Deputy City Sergeant, by 390 of 1923.
 - Sec. 1, City Auditor, by 391 of 1924.
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 - Sec. 1, City Auditor's Department, by 397 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, City Treasurer's Deputies, by 404 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, by 413 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Board of Review, Secretary, by 414 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy Inspector of Buildings, by 417 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Mayor's Salary, by 435 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, City Auditor, by 437 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Judge and Clerk of Municipal Court, by 438 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Inspector of Buildings, by 439 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Sanitary Engineer of Plumbing and Drainage, by 440 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Tax Assessors, and Deputies, by 441 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Overseer of Poor, and Deputy, by 442 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Recorder of Deeds, by 443 of 1924.
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 - Sec. 1, Medical Inspector, by 445 of 1924.
 - Sec. 1, Commissioner of Public Buildings, by 446 of 1924.
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 - Sec. 1, Supt. of Weights and Measures, by 558 of 1927.
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 - Sec. 1, Deputy City Engineer, by 564 of 1927.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, by 569 of 1927.
 - Sec. 1, Superintendent of Public Parks, by 596 of 1927.
 - Sec. 1, First Deputy City Treasurer, by 690 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy Recorder of Deeds, by 690 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy Clerk of Municipal Court, by 690 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Deputy Sealer of Weights and Measures, by 691 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Second Deputy Sealer of Weights and Measures, by 691 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Deputy Assessors of Taxes, by 699 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Second Deputy Superintendent of Health and City Registrar, by 699 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Inspector of Provisions, by 699 of 1929.
 - Sec. 1, Superintendent of Playgrounds, by 699 of 1929,

- Sec. 1, Deputy Sanitary Engineer of Plumbing and Drainage, by 699 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Deputy Public Service Engineer, by 700 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Superintendent of Health and City Registrar, by 728 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, City Clerk, by 740 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Public Service Engineer, by 741 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, City Auditor, by 744 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, City Treasurer, by 745 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Commissioner of Public Buildings, by 746 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Commissioner of Public Works, by 747 of 1929.
- Sec. 1, Mayor, by 760 of 1930.
- Sec. 1, First and Second Deputy City Sergeants, by 803 of 1931.
- Sec. 1, City Treasurer's Dept., by 820 of 1931.
- Sec. 1, City Officers, by 899 of 1935.
- Sec. 1, Bureau of Police and Fire, Chairman and two members, by 907 of 1935.
- Sec. 1, Bureau of Police and Fire, Assistants. by 908 of 1935.
- Sec. 1, Chief Sanitary Inspector, by 942 of 1937.
- Sec. 1, Supt. of North Burial Ground, by 1001 of 1940.
- Sec. 1, Deputy Recorder of Deeds, by 1096 of 1941.
- Sec. 1, City Treasurer, by 1098 of 1941.
- Sec. 1, Inspector of Buildings, by 1100 of 1941.
- Sec. 1, Bureau of Police and Fire, Secretary, by 1128 of 1942.
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- Sec. 1, Purchasing Department, by 1200 of 1943.
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 - Sec. 2, Probate Court, Assistants, by 761 of 1930.
 - Sec. 2, Assistant Inspector of Buildings, by 763 of 1930.
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 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (d), by 503 of 1926.
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- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 495 of 1925.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 500 of 1926.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 508 of 1926.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 512 of 1926.
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- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 550 of 1927.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 554 of 1927.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 563 of 1927.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 565 of 1927.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 572 of 1927.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 573 of 1927.
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- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 611 of 1928.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 612 of 1928.
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- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 628 of 1928.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 629 of 1928.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 630 of 1928.
- Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 633 of 1928.
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 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 654 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 655 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 656 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 657 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 658 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 659 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 660 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 661 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 662 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 665 of 1928.
 - Sec. 1, Regulation 34 (f), by 666 of 1928.
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- Sec. 1, Amended, by 623 of 1928.
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Chapter 492.—Flag Display.

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Sec. 7, (e), by 674 of 1928.

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Sec. 9, "Steel Joist Construction," by 785 of 1930.

Sec. 14, by 670 of 1928.

Sec. 24, (a), by 692 of 1929.

Sec. 24, (c), by 593 of 1927.

Sec. 24, (e), by 593 of 1927, (added).

Sec. 24, (f), by 692 of 1929, (added).

Sec. 28, (a), by 692 of 1929.

Sec. 32, (d), by 593 of 1927.

Sec. 33, (g), by 692 of 1929, (added).

Sec. 34, "Parapet Walls," by 913 of 1935.

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Sec. 39, (c), by 692 of 1929.

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Sec. 43, (a), by 593 of 1927.
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Sec. 50, (b) 3, by 593 of 1927.
Sec. 50, (b) 7, by 593 of 1927, (added).
Sec. 50, (b), by 613 of 1928, (added).
Sec. 51, (b), by 798 of 1931.
Sec. 52, by 643 of 1928.
Sec. 55, (a) 4, by 692 of 1929, (added).
Sec. 55, (a) 5, by 692 of 1929, (added).
Sec. 65, oil burning installations, by 762 of 1930, (added).
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Sec. 65, (h), by 780 of 1930.
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Sec. 66, (c-4), by 829 of 1932.
(e), repealed by 829 of 1932.
(e), added by 829 of 1932.
Sec. 67, storage of dangerous chemicals, by 798 of 1931
(added).
Secs. 66 and 67, renumbered 68 and 69, by 798 of 1931.
Sec. 66, by 887 of 1934, (added).
Sec. 66, (c-4), by 888 of 1934.
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Secs. 66, 67, 68, 69, renumbered 67, 68, 69, and 70, by 887
of 1934.
Sec. 69, added by 983 of 1939.

Chapter 524.—Building Code "Building Rules."

Rule 3, Sec. XIX 4a, by 593 of 1927.

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Sec. 30, (b), (1), by 720 of 1929.

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Sec. 30, (b), (1), by 750 of 1929.

Sec. 30, (b), (4), by 796 of 1930.

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Chapter 870.—Grant Agreement with United States of America. (P. W. A. Docket 1243). re to Street Improvement.

Federal Grant by 876 of 1934.

Amended. by 894 of 1934. (adding one street).

Chapter 871.—Grant Agreement with United States of America, (P. W. A. Docket 1244), re to Street and Highway Improvement.

Federal Grant, by 877 of 1934.

Amended, by 895 of 1934, (adding to the description of, "The Project.")

Chapter 872.—Grant Agreement with United States of America, (P. W. A. Docket 1249), re completion of Sewage Disposal Plant at Fields Point.

Federal Grant, by 881 of 1934.

Amended, by 906 of 1935, (adding to the description of "The Project.")

Amended, by 941 of 1937, re installation of equipment at Sewage Disposal Plant.

Chapter 880.—Providing for \$340,000.00 P. W. A. Sewage Disposal Plant Bonds.

Sec. 1, by 883 of 1934.

Chapter 890.—Grant Agreement with United States of America, (P. W. A. Docket 6579), re the erection of two Senior High School Buildings.

Federal Grant, by 891 of 1934.

Amended, by 917 of 1935, (adding to item designated, "Cost of Project.")

Federal Grant, by 919 of 1935.

Chapter 950.—City Council Members Holding Office, Repealed by 1267 of 1944.

Chapter 967.—Public Works Loan Bonds to the Commissioners of Sinking Funds.

Sec. 2, by 969 of 1939.

Chapter 988.—Emergency Unemployment Relief Loan Bonds.

Sec. 5, by 989 of 1939.

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- Chapter 1086.—Appropriation for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1942, amended by:
- 1116 (Charles V. Chapin Hospital), 1942.
 - 1117 (Charles V. Chapin Hospital), 1942.
 - 1119 (Water Supply Board), 1942.
 - 1120 (American Legion Convention), 1942.
 - 1124 (Mt. Pleasant Ave. School Repairs), 1942.
 - 1125 (Balance of salary to widow of late Councilman Hickey), 1942.
 - 1126 (City Registrar), 1942.
 - 1127 (City Auditor), 1942.
 - 1132 (Water Supply Board Transfer), 1942.
 - 1141 (Organization for Defense), 1942.
 - 1142 (Old Market Building), 1942.
 - 1146 (Board of Canvassers and Registration), 1942.
 - 1149 (Revisions in Appropriations), 1942.
 - 1152 (Debt Service—Serial Bond Payments), 1942.
- Chapter 1101.—Providing for Supervision and Control of WPA and SUR Work Relief Projects, repealed by 1160 of 1942.
- Chapter 1102.—Providing for Care and Management of Municipal Garage by the Purchasing Agent, by Chapters 1137 and 1158 of 1942.
- Chapter 1156.—Transferring \$3300.00 from Organization for Defense to Public Buildings Account, Item 3, repealed by Chapter 1166 of 1942.
- Chapter 1160.—Providing for Supervision and Control of WPA and SUR Work Relief Projects, repealed by 1182 of 1943.
- Chapter 1162.—Appropriation for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1943, amended by,

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- 1164 (Alterations in Office of Recorder of Deeds), 1942.
1165 (Water Supply Board Transfer), 1942.
1169 (Auditing Department), 1942.
1170 (Providence Civilian Defense Council, 1942.
1171 (Salaries City Council Members), 1942.
1175 (Budget Director's Department), 1943.
1179 (City Hall Item 3, Increase), 1943.
1183 (Tax Department), 1943.
1185 (Public Works—Snow Removal), 1943.
1186 (Public Buildings), 1943.
1187 (Public Works—Incinerator), 1943.
1192 (Public Celebrations), 1943.
1194 (Providence Canning Centers Committee), 1943.
1195 (Victory Book Campaign), 1943.
1198 (Public Service Engineer), 1943.
1201 (Public Buildings), 1943.
1202 (Transfers to several City Departments), 1943.
1204 (Bureau of Police and Fire), 1943.

Chapter 1205.—Appropriation for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1944, amended by

- 1212 Roger Williams Museum, 1943.
1216 Tax Department and Public Comfort Stations, 1943.
1225 City Owned Property at Blackstone Boulevard Parkway, repair of, 1943.
1227 Inspector of Buildings, Item 1, 1944.
1228 Charles V. Chapin Hospital, Item 1, 1944.
1229 Water Fund—Contributions to Employees' Retirement System, 1944.
1230 Health Department, 1944.
1232 Post-War Planning Committee, 1944.
1233 Employees' Retirement System, 1944.

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- 1235 Water Supply Board, 1944.
1236 Providence Public Library, 1944.
1239 Water Supply Board, 1944.
1245 Ambulance for R. I. Hospital, 1944.
1246 Servicemen's Center, 1944.
1247 Recorder of Deeds, 1944.
1251 City Sergeant's Department, 1944.
1252 Memorial Day, 1944.
1256 American Legion—Memorial Day, 1944.
1257 Water Supply Board, 1944.
1258 Public Service Engineer, 1944.
1259 Sewer Maintenance, 1944.
1261 Law Department, Item 1, 1944.
1262 Veterans of Foreign Wars, 1944.
1263 American Legion, 1944.
1264 Contingencies, 1944.
1265 Contingencies, 1944.
1266 Public Works (Garbage Collection and Disposal), 1944.
1268 Providence Canning Centers' Committee, 1944.
1271 Water Supply Board, 1944.
1272 Board of Canvassers and Registration, 1944.
1273 City Sergeant's Department, Item 1, 1944.
1274 Water Supply Board, Item 5, 1944.
1275 Municipal Dock, Item 1, 1944.
1276 Fire Department, Item 5, 1944.
1277 Fire Department, Item 5, 1944.
1278 Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 0, 1944.
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1280 Police Court, Item 1, 1944.
1282 Fire Department, Item 5, 1944.
1283 Contingencies, 1944.
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- 1285 Public Bath Houses, Item 5, 1944.
1297 General Public Assistance Unallocated,
Item 1, 1944.

Chapter 1206.—Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence, amended:

- Sec. 1, by 1217 of 1943.
- Sec. 1, by 1241 of 1944.
- Sec. 1, by 1294 of 1944.
- Sec. 1, by 1304 of 1944.
- Sec. 7, by 1217 of 1943.

Chapter 1209.—Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence, amended:

- Secs. 1, 5 and 6, by 1218 of 1943.
- Sec. 1, by 1242 of 1944.
- Sec. 1, by 1270 of 1944.
- Sec. 1, by 1296 of 1944.
- Sec. 1, by 1303 of 1944.

Chapter 1210.—Establishing Classes of Positions, Maximum Number of Employees and number of Employees in certain classes in City Departments, amended:

- Sec. 17, Police, by 1219 of 1943.
 - Sec. 35, Incinerator, by 1219 of 1943.
 - Sec. 35, Incinerator, by 1243 of 1944.
 - Sec. 39, Health, by 1231 of 1944.
 - Sec. 42, Chapin Hospital, by 1219 of 1943.
 - Sec. 42, Chapin Hospital, by 1237 of 1944.
 - Sec. 46, Dexter Asylum, by 1219 of 1943.
 - Sec. 48, Parks, by 1219 of 1943.
 - Sec. 49 Roger Williams Park, repealed by 1219 of 1943.
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1298, Public Comfort Stations, Item 1, 1944.
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1307, Mayor's Office, Item 1, 1944.
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- Chapter 67.—Permitting Providence Telephone Co. to Erect Poles and Wires on Helme Street.
- Chapter 68.—Prohibiting the Regular Employment of Pensioners of the City in the City Departments, Unless they Waive their Pensions for the Periods of their Employment by the City.
- Chapter 69.—Continuing the Joint Special Committee on Increased Water Supply. (Subsequently made a Permanent Board by Chapter 1278 of Public Laws of 1915.)
- Chapter 70.—Providing for \$1,500,000 Highway Bonds.
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- Chapter 72.—Permitting Providence Telephone Co. to Erect Poles and Wires in Alumni Avenue.
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- Chapter 74.—Permitting The Rhode Island Co. to Rearrange and Relocate Tracks at and near the junction of South Main and Wickenden Streets.

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- Chapter 78.—Permitting Providence Telephone Co. to Erect Poles and Wires on Frederick Street.
- Chapter 80.—Amending an “Ordinance Permitting The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company to Lay Pipes Under Allens Avenue.”
- Chapter 81.—Permitting The Rhode Island Co. to Lay Rails for a Double Track in Empire Street and Connecting Tracks.
- Chapter 82.—Permitting The Rhode Island Co. to Relocate Track in Broadway and to Lay Rails for a Track in Fountain Street.
- Chapter 83.—Permitting The Rhode Island Co. to Relocate and Lay Rails for Tracks in North Main Street.
- Chapter 84.—Permitting The Rhode Island Co. to Relocate Tracks in Broad Street.
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- Chapter 86.—Providing for the Flag or Standard of the City of Providence.
- Chapter 87.—Permitting Narragansett Electric Lighting Co. to Construct a Conduit in Empire Street.
- Chapter 89.—Permitting The Rhode Island Co. to Lay Rails for a Turnout in Hope Street.
- Chapter 90.—Relating to the Municipal Medal.

- Chapter 91.—Supplying the Water Supply Board with Funds to carry on its work Authorized by Law.
- Chapter 93.—Providing for Licensing of Motor Busses and Regulating the Operation Thereof in the City of Providence.
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Chapter 330.—New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, Rails in Allens Avenue.

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Chapter 1129.—Transferring the sum of \$10,000.00 from P. W. A. School Docket No. 6579, Construction Account, to a Special Account to be known as "Mt. Pleasant Avenue School Repair Fund" and Appropriating the same for making Repairs to the Mt. Pleasant Ave. Sr. High School.

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- Chapter 1130.—Transferring the Sum of Ten Thousand Dollars from Appropriation for Civil Service Commission and Appropriating the same for an Examination of Accounting Procedure and Methods of Financial Departments of the City.
- Chapter 1131.—Providing for a Referendum relative to Parking Meters.
- Chapter 1133.—Appropriating \$2,000.00 to Repair Damage caused by Fire at City Hospital.
- Chapter 1134.—Transferring the sum of \$15,000.00 from the Appropriation for Civil Service Commission and Appropriating the same for Providence Civilian Defense Council.
- Chapter 1135.—Relative to Re-Employment of Persons Inducted into or enlisting in the Armed Forces of the United States.
- Chapter 1138.—Filing of an Annual Report of the Operation of various City Departments.
- Chapter 1139.—Transferring the sum of \$13,350.00 from Item 1 Police Department to Item 2 Fire Department.
- Chapter 1140.—Appropriating the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of Defraying Expenses of the Building Law Revision Committee.
- Chapter 1143.—Transferring the sum of \$29,413.36 from Public Works—Snow Removal Account, to Public Works—Highway, Item 1.
- Chapter 1144.—Electing to Enter into the General Public Assistance Program provided by Article 1 of Chapter 1212 of the Public Laws, 1942, entitled "An Act to Provide Financial Aid to the Cities and Towns of the State and to Provide for Ways and Means of Raising Revenue Therefor."

- Chapter 1145.—Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Contract with Special Counsel for the Defense of the City of Providence.
- Chapter 1147.—Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Purpose of Refunding Obligations Maturing during the Five Years ending December 31, 1945, in a Total Sum not Exceeding \$318,500.00.
- Chapter 1148.—Authorizing renewal of Notes for the purpose of Paying for Materials, Supplies, Supervision, Transportation and all other necessary expenses on Projects carried on under the Works Progress Administration.
- Chapter 1150.—Appropriating the sum of \$420,000 for Public Welfare-General Public Assistance.
- Chapter 1151.—Directing the City Treasurer to pay Outstanding Bonds.
- Chapter 1153.—Authorizing the City Auditor to close out Unused Capital Accounts.
- Chapter 1154.—City Treasurer to pay outstanding notes to the Amount of \$381,477.58 and discontinuing and cancelling authority to hire money for Unemployment Relief.
- Chapter 1155.—Permitting the Narragansett Electric Company to Install a Duct Line Extension underground on the southerly line of Ernest Street easterly of Ellis Street to property of the United States Maritime Commission for High Voltage Electric Current.
- Chapter 1156.—Transferring \$3300.00 from the monies appropriated for the Organization for Defense, to Public Buildings Account, Item 3.

Chapter 1160.—Providing for the Supervision and Control of Work Relief Projects.

Chapter 1161.—Authorizing Department Heads to Retain on the Payroll for a 30-Day Period, Permanent Officers and Employees entering the Armed Services.

Chapter 1162.—Appropriating \$18,125,065.13 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1943.

Chapter 1163.—Appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00 to the Appropriation for Public School Estates Revolving Fund.

Chapter 1166.—Transferring \$3300.00 from the moneys appropriated for the Organization for Defense, Mayor Dennis J. Roberts, Co-Ordinator, to Public Buildings Account, Item 3.

Chapter 1167.—Directing Department Heads to continue on the Payroll for a period of four weeks all regular Officers and Employees who are inducted or enlist in the Military or Naval Forces of the United States.

Chapter 1171.—Fixing the Salary for City Council Members.

(1943)

Chapter 1172.—Authorizing Borrowing Funds in Anticipation of the Receipt of the Balance of Federal Grant in Connection with P. W. A. Docket 1132-F, Municipal Wharf, and Making an Appropriation Relative Thereto.

Chapter 1173.—Providing for the Issue of Unemployment Bonds in the Amount of \$2,000,000.00.

- Chapter 1174.—Establishing the Office of Budget Director and Fixing His Compensation and Prescribing His Duties and Powers.
- Chapter 1177.—Providing for the Payment of Wardens, Clerks and Supervisors of Elections.
- Chapter 1178.—Providing for the Payment of Caucus Officials, Including Caucus Moderators and Assistant Clerks.
- Chapter 1184.—Appropriating \$21,000.00 for Renovating and Maintaining part of the Old Police Station on Fountain Street.
- Chapter 1188.—Appointment of a Supervisor of Mosquito Control.
- Chapter 1191.—Appointment of a Deputy Budget Director and Fixing His Compensation.
- Chapter 1196.—Examining and Licensing of Engineers and Boiler Operators.
- Chapter 1197.—Cleaning of Abandoned or Unused Storage Tanks in Gasoline Filling Stations.
- Chapter 1203.—Issue of Bonds for the Purpose of Refunding Obligations maturing during the five years ending December 31, 1945.
- Chapter 1205.—Appropriating \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944.
- Chapter 1206.—Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence.
- Chapter 1207.—Appropriating \$54,190.00 for the Purpose of carrying out a Compensation Plan for City Employees.

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- Chapter 1208.—Appropriating \$148,270.00 for the purpose of carrying out a Bonus Plan for City Employees.
- Chapter 1209.—Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence.
- Chapter 1210.—Establishing Classes of Positions, Maximum Number of Employees and number of Employees in certain classes in the City Departments.
(Repealed by Chapter 1295 of 1943.)
- Chapter 1211.—Establishing a Bonus for certain City Employees.
- Chapter 1213.—Appropriating the sum of \$25,000.00 for Public School Estates Revolving Fund.
- Chapter 1214.—Appropriating \$1850.00 to a Special Account to be known as "Old Market Square Building Adjustment Account".
- Chapter 1224.—Appropriating \$5,000.00 for the purpose of defraying the further expenses of the Building Code Revision Committee.
- Chapter 1226.—Appropriating \$16,500.00 to repair damage caused by a fire at the Public Buildings Warehouse and Shop.

(1944)

- Chapter 1238.—Appropriating \$2,500.00 to be paid to Edward Williams as Compensation for Injuries sustained by him.
- Chapter 1248.—Authorizing City Treasurer to issue Coupon Bonds in exchange for Registered Bonds.
- Chapter 1250.—Authorizing Commissioners of Sinking Funds to exchange certain issues of Registered Bonds.
- Chapter 1253.—Appropriation for Victory Book Campaign.

- Chapter 1254.—Dr. Charles V. Chapin Memorial Award Committee.
- Chapter 1255.—Equipping of Hot Water Tanks with Safety Valves.
- Chapter 1260.—Issue of Bonds for Refunding Obligations.
- Chapter 1287.—Appropriation for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1945.
- Chapter 1288.—Establishing a Bonus for certain City Employees.
- Chapter 1289.—Appropriation to defray the cost of a Bonus Plan to City Employees.
- Chapter 1290.—Making Revenue available to finance Bonus Plan.
- Chapter 1291.—Establishment of account to be known as "Reserve for Revenue for Extraordinary Expenditures of the Year 1944-1945."
- Chapter 1292.—Appropriating \$25,000.00 to Public School Estates Revolving Fund.
- Chapter 1293.—Establishing a Special Fund to be known as "School Fund."
- Chapter 1295.—Establishing Classes of Positions, Maximum Number of Employees and Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the City Departments.
- Chapter 1301.—Authorizing Commissioners of Sinking Funds to exchange certain issues of Registered Bonds.

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(Continued from Chapter 1226 of 1943.)

CHAPTER 1227.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Inspector of Buildings, Item 1.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making an Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55, for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Inspector of Buildings, Item 1, the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. The said sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars shall be taken from the appropriation for contingencies as con-

tained in the appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances approved September 23, 1943, in order to carry out the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1228.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Thirty-six Hundred (\$3600.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Chapin Hospital, Item 1.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making an Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55, for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Chapin Hospital, Item 1 "Services Other Than Personal", the sum of thirty-six hundred (\$3600.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. The said sum of thirty-six hundred (\$3600.00) dollars shall be transferred from the appropriation for Chapin Hospital, Item 0, as contained in said appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, No. 414 as approved September 23, 1943, in order to carry out the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1229.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Twenty-two Hundred Twenty-one and 25/100 (\$2221.25) Dollars to the Appropriation for "Contributions to Employees' Retirement System" from the Water Fund.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making an Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for "Water Fund—Contributions to Employees' Retirement System", the sum of twenty-two hundred twenty-one and 25/100 (\$2221.25) dollars.

SEC. 2. The said sum of twenty-two hundred twenty-one and 25/100 (\$2221.25) dollars shall be transferred from the appropriation for "Water Fund—Payment to Sinking Fund" to the appropriation for "Water Fund—Contributions to Employees' Retirement System", in order to carry out the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1230.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$1800.00 to the Appropriation for Health Department, Item 0, "Personal Services."

(Approved January 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of Seventeen Million Five Hundred Six Thousand One Hundred Forty-three and 55/100 Dollars (\$17,506,143.55) for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Public Health Department, Item 0, "Personal Services," the sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1800.00.)

SEC. 2. The said sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1800.00) shall be taken from the General Fund, from "Funds Not Otherwise Appropriated."

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1231.

An Ordinance Amending Section 39 of Chapter 1210 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Said Ordinance Being Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Number of Employees in the City Departments," by Adding "One Public Health Nursing Director."

(Approved January 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 39 of Chapter 1210 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, is hereby amended by adding to the list of employees designated in said Section 39 the following:

"One (1) Public Health Nursing Director."

SEC. 2. The first sentence in said Section 39 of Chapter 1210 of the Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

"The number of employees in the Department of Health shall not exceed sixty-two (62)."

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1232.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, Approved September 23, 1943, by Making an Appropriation of One Thousand (\$1000.00) Dollars for the City of Providence Post-War Planning Committee.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by making an appropriation of one thousand (\$1000.00) dollars for the City of Providence Post-War Planning Committee; and the City Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to set up an account for said appropriation. The sum of money hereby appropriated or so much thereof as may be necessary, is to be used for the purpose of defraying the expense of any assistance engaged or required or any materials or supplies purchased and furnished in order to carry on the functions and activities of said Committee.

* Any such expense shall be incurred only under the direction and with the approval of His Honor the Acting Mayor, and payment as against said appropriation shall be made upon voucher duly approved by His Honor the Mayor.

SEC. 2. The moneys hereby appropriated shall be taken from the general fund from moneys not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1233.

An Ordinance Amending Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$73,778.75 to the Appropriation for "Contributions to Employees' Retirement System."

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Ap-

appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for "Contributions to Employees' Retirement System" the sum of Seventy-three Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-eight and 75/100 (\$73,778.75) Dollars.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Seventy-three Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-eight and 75/100 (\$73,778.75) Dollars hereby appropriated shall be taken from additional estimated revenue receipts in the General Fund which have been not otherwise appropriated. The total revenue receipts as previously estimated at the time of the passage of the Annual Appropriation Ordinance in the amount of \$17,516,731.27 are hereby increased by adding to said total the sum of Seventy-three Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-eight and 75/100 (\$73,778.75) Dollars, and for that purpose the estimated horse racing receipts of Two Hundred Thirty-five Thousand (\$235,000.00) Dollars contained in said estimated total, are increased by said additional amount.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1234.

An Ordinance Amending Section 61 of Chapter 20 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 61 of Chapter 20 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914 as amended by Chapter 242 of the Ordinances as approved February 14, 1920, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Sec. 61. If any money except money for taxes or other assessments should be collected through an error, or if any money except money for taxes or other assessments, though properly

collected, ought to be refunded under the law to the person paying the same, the head of the department responsible for such collection shall certify the facts to the City Auditor, stating what part of said money so collected should be refunded, and thereupon the City Auditor, if he is satisfied that said refund ought to be made, with the approval of the Committee on Finance and of the City Solicitor, shall certify a bill for such refund payable in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments. Such refund shall be charged to an account to be set up and designated as "Refund of Collections—Current Year" if said receipt was collected during the current year and to an account to be set up and designated as "Refund of Collections—Prior Years" if such receipt was collected during a prior year. Any balance existing in the above accounts as determined at periods from time to time by the City Auditor, shall be closed into the account or accounts affected by the original receipt. If any money for taxes or other assessments should be collected through an error, or if any money for taxes or other assessments, though properly collected, ought to be refunded under the law to the person paying the same, said refund shall be authorized by the City Council and shall be handled in the manner provided for above.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1235.

An Ordinance Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205 No. 414 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Transferring the Sum of Seventy-five Hundred (\$7500.00) Dollars from the Appropriation for Water Supply Board—Administration, Item 0, "Personal Services" to Item 1 "Services Other Than Personal."

(Approved February 18, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205, No. 414 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by transferring from the appropriation contained therein for Water Supply Board—Administration, Item 0, "Personal Services," the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7500.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Water Supply Board—Administration, Item 1, "Services Other Than Personal."

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1236.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding and Appropriating Seventy-five Hundred Dollars (\$7500.00) to the Appropriation for the Providence Public Library.

(Approved February 18, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinance as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Providence Public Library, the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7500.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. The said sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7500.00) dollars shall be taken from the general fund from funds not otherwise appropriated, and the total anticipated revenue receipts as originally estimated are increased by a like amount.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1237.

An Ordinance Amending Section 42 of Chapter 1210, Increasing the Number of Attendants at the Chapin Hospital from 13 to 18 in Said Institution.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 42 of Chapter 1210 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, as amended by Chapter 1219 of the Ordinances as approved November 5, 1943, which reads in part as follows:

“The number of employees in the Chapin Hospital shall not exceed two hundred thirteen (213).”

“13 Institution Attendant”

is hereby amended to read as follows:

“The number of employees in the Chapin Hospital shall not exceed two hundred eighteen (218).”

“18 Institution Attendant”

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1238.

An Ordinance Appropriating Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2500.00) to Be Paid to Edward Williams as Compensation for Injuries Sustained by Him on May 27, 1943, When He Was Accidentally Shot by a Member of the Providence Police Department.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. In accordance with the authority granted by act passed at the January Session of the General Assembly, A. D. 1944, and approved by the Governor the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1944, the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated and ordered paid to Edward Williams as compensation for injuries sustained by the said Edward Williams when accidentally shot by a member of the Providence Police Department on May 27, A. D. 1943.

SEC. 2. The moneys hereby appropriated shall be taken from the general fund from moneys not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1239.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Transferring the Sum of Seventy-five Hundred (\$7500.00) Dollars from the Appropriation for Water Fund Transmission and Distribution, Item 0; Personal Services, to Item 1, Services Other Than Personal, and Repealing Chapter 1235, of the Ordinances as Approved February 18, 1944.

(Approved March 18, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55, for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944", is hereby amended by transferring the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7500.00) dollars from the appropriation contained therein for Water Fund

Transmission and Distribution, Item 0, Personal Services, to Item 1, Services Other Than Personal, of the appropriation for said Water Fund Transmission and Distribution.

SEC. 2. Chapter 1235 of the Ordinances approved February 18, 1944, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1240.

An Ordinance Changing Lots 109, 352 and 353, as Shown on Assessors' Plat 52, Located on the Southerly Side of Atlantic Avenue, from a Dwelling House District A-1 to an Apartment House District C-1.

(Approved March 18, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

The Zoning Map accompanying and made a part of Chapter 370 of the Ordinances approved June 6, 1923, entitled "An Ordinance zoning the City of Providence and establishing Height, Area and Use Districts" is hereby amended by changing from a Dwelling House District A-1 to an Apartment House District C-1, certain land on the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Atlantic avenue, seventy-five (75) feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of Atlantic avenue and Melrose street, and at the northeasterly corner of Lot 353, as shown on Assessors' Plat 52, thence southerly along the easterly line of Lot 353 to the southerly line of said lot, thence westerly along the southerly lines of Lots 353, 352 and 109 to the westerly line of said Lot 109, thence northerly along the westerly line of said Lot 109 to the southerly line of Atlantic avenue; thence easterly in the southerly line of Atlantic

avenue to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 353 and the point and place of beginning.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1241.

An Ordinance Amending Section 1 of Chapter 1206 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Relative to Incinerator Employees.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1206 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence," is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

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| Laborer I (Incinerator) | \$6.30 per day |
| Equipment Operator I (Incinerator) .. | 7.20 per day |

SEC. 2. The classifications below are amended to read as follows:

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| Crane Operator | \$1.00 per hour |
| Stationary Fireman | .75 per hour |

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1242.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1209 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence" Providing for Laborer I and Equipment Operator I (Incinerator.)

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1209 is hereby amended by adding the attached specifications for Laborer I (Incinerator), and Equipment Operator I (Incinerator.)

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1243.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1210 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in City Departments" Relative to Incinerator Employees.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 35 of Chapter 1210 is hereby further amended by striking out the words

23 Equipment Operator I

on page 17 of said Chapter 1210, and substituting therefor the following classification:

23 Equipment Operator I (Incinerator)

SEC. 2. Section 35 of Chapter 1210 is hereby further amended by increasing the maximum number of appointments in Classification 79, Laborer I, from a maximum of sixty-five to a maximum of seventy-one.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1244.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1211 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing a Bonus for Certain City Employees" Relative to Incinerator Employees.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1211 is hereby amended by adding after the words "Tree Trimmer": Laborer I (Incinerator); Equipment Operator I (Incinerator.)

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1245.

An Ordinance Appropriating the Sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars for the Purchase of an Ambulance for Rhode Island Hospital.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated for the purchase of an ambulance for Rhode Island Hospital.

SEC. 2. The said five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars shall be obtained by transferring that amount from the appropriation for Snow and Ice Removal, "Item 0", as contained in the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, to an account designated as "Ambulance for Rhode Island Hospital."

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1246.

An Ordinance Appropriating the Sum of Sixty-five Hundred (\$6,500.00) Dollars for the Servicemen's Center.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. The sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated for the maintenance and operation of the Servicemen's Center, located in the Old Central Police Station Building on Fountain street, Providence, and used as a recreation center for men in the armed forces of the United States. Said sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars shall be added and placed in the "Servicemen's Center Fund" as set up on the books and accounts of the City Auditor, and shall be expended under the direction and supervision of His Honor, the Mayor. All payments properly approved by the Mayor shall be charged to said fund.

SEC. 2. The said sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars as hereby appropriated shall be obtained by transferring sixty-five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars from the appropriation for Snow and Ice Removal, "Item 0," as contained in the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1247.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Four Thousand (\$4,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for the Recorder of Deeds, "Item 5."

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Recorder of Deeds, "Item 5," the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. The moneys hereby appropriated shall be obtained by transferring said sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars from the appropriation for Snow and Ice Removal "Item 0," as contained in said Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1248.

An Ordinance Authorizing the City Treasurer to Issue Coupon Bonds Payable to Bearer in Exchange for a Like Principal Amount of Registered Bonds of the City, Upon Request of the Holders of the Entire Amount Remaining Outstanding of an Original Issue of Bonds Under Any One Ordinance.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The City Treasurer may from time to time and upon request of the holders of registered bonds, issue coupon bonds payable to bearer, or cause them to be issued, in exchange for a like principal amount of such registered bonds of the City, provided such registered bonds constitute the entire amount remaining outstanding of an original issue of bonds under any one Ordinance. Such coupon bonds shall be of like tenor as the bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, except that they shall be payable at the fiscal agency of the City of Providence in New York City, and except that the principal thereof and interest thereon shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for public and private debts, and except that such coupon bonds shall bear date corresponding to such of the interest payment dates as the City Treasurer may determine.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1249.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Section 49 of Chapter 20, Revised Ordinances, 1914, as Amended, Providing for the Cancellation of Registered Bonds When Surrendered in Exchange for Coupon Bonds.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 49 of Chapter 20, Revised Ordinances of 1914, as amended by Chapter 618 of the Ordinances of 1928, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

“The City Treasurer, whenever any holder of any of the coupon bonds of the City shall surrender to him such bonds with

the unpaid coupons thereon, with a request that he will issue a certificate of such surrender, and make a record thereof in his office, shall make an entry of such surrender in a book kept for that purpose, and shall issue a certificate thereof (which certificate shall be duly recorded) to the person making such surrender, that such person is entitled to receive the amount mentioned in such surrendered bond and the interest thereon, payable at the time and place named in such surrendered bond, which certificate shall not be transferable except by the order of the holder thereof or his personal representative made thereon, and upon notice to the city treasurer, and upon the reception of any notice of such transfer he shall enter a memorandum thereof upon the record of such certificate, and shall also cancel all such surrendered bonds by writing or stamping upon the same the word CANCELLED, together with his official signature and the date of such surrender, and shall also detach all the unpaid coupons from such bonds, and deliver such coupons to the Committee on Finance, who shall cause the same to be burned. Upon the maturity and payment of each issue of bonds, the city treasurer shall deliver to the Committee on Finance all cancelled coupon bonds of such issue which have been surrendered to him to be exchanged for registered bonds of the same issue and said committee shall cause the same to be burned. Similar steps shall be taken in the event of surrender of registered bonds in exchange for coupon bonds. Said committee and treasurer shall report to the City Council on the first Monday of each month their proceedings under this section."

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1250.

An Ordinance Authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds to Exchange Certain Issues of Registered Bonds of the City of Providence Held by Them for Bonds in Coupon Form, and to Sell and Dispose of Said Coupon Bonds.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. The Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds is authorized to surrender in exchange for bonds in coupon form the following issues of registered bonds in the total sum specified, all of which bonds have been previously issued to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds by duly approved Ordinances of the City, which bonds in each case constitute the entire original issue of said bonds.

(1) Five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars "Highway Loan" Bonds dated June 1, 1920 and due June 1, 1950, issued to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds by authority of Chapter 251 of the 1920 Ordinances of the Providence City Council.

(2) Five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars "Highway Loan" Bonds dated May 1, 1922 and due May 1, 1952, issued to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds by authority of Chapter 319 of the 1922 Ordinances of the Providence City Council.

(3) Three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars "Public Improvement Loan" Bonds dated June 1, 1920 and due June 1, 1950, issued to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds by authority of Chapter 252 of the 1920 Ordinances of the Providence City Council.

(4) Five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars "School Loan" Bonds dated May 1, 1922 and due May 1, 1952, issued to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds by authority of Chapter 320 of the 1922 Ordinances of the Providence City Council.

(5) Two hundred thousand (\$200,000) dollars "Sewer Loan" Bonds dated June 1, 1920 and due June 1, 1950, issued to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds by authority of Chapter 254 of the 1920 Ordinances of the Providence City Council.

SEC. 2. Upon the completion of the exchange of registered bonds for coupon bonds, said Board is hereby authorized to sell

and dispose from time to time at public sale of said bonds in coupon form, at not less than par.

SEC. 3. Any such sale under the authority of this Ordinance shall be made by the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds, subject to the approval of the Mayor.

SEC. 4. The proceeds from the sale of said bonds shall be invested by the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds in any securities in which investment is authorized by Section 6 of Chapter 61 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914.

SEC. 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and any Ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby waived.

CHAPTER 1251.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Eighty-seven Hundred (\$8700.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for City Sergeant's Department, Item 1.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55, for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for City Sergeant's Department, Item 1 "Services Other Than Personal," the sum of eighty-seven hundred (\$8700.00) dollars. Said sum shall be used for the purpose of providing a rest room and proper toilet facilities for women employees in the City Hall, in accordance with plans and specifications as prepared by the Superin-

tendent of Public Buildings. Said moneys or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be expended under the direction and supervision of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, and payment against said appropriation shall be made by the City Auditor upon voucher properly approved by the Superintendent of Public Buildings.

SEC. 2. The said sum of eighty-seven hundred (\$8700.00) dollars as hereby appropriated shall be taken from the general fund from funds not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1252.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance by Adding the Sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Memorial Day—Veterans of Foreign Wars.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55, for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation therein for Memorial Day—Veterans of Foreign Wars, the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Said sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars thus hereby appropriated shall be taken from the general fund from funds not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1253.

An Ordinance Appropriating Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars as a Contribution to the 1944 Victory Book Campaign, Said Sum to Be Payable to "Grace M. Sherwood—Special Account for the Armed Forces."

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) is hereby appropriated as a contribution to the 1944 Victory Book Campaign for the purchase of specialized technical and reference books for the Armed Forces in Rhode Island. Said sum shall be payable to "Grace M. Sherwood—Special Account for the Armed Forces" and shall be deposited in the Special Book Pool Account for the Fighting Services, and shall be expended under the direction of the Librarian of the State of Rhode Island for the purchase of specialized technical and reference books, maps, charts and pertinent reading material, to be distributed by said Librarian from a Book Pool, so-called, to the various officers and men of the contingents of the Fighting Services in this State.

SEC. 2. The money hereby appropriated shall be charged to the general fund to moneys not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1254.

An Ordinance Creating a Standing Committee of the City Council to Be Known as the "Dr. Charles V. Chapin Memorial Award Committee," and Appropriating the Sum of Three Hundred and Fifty (\$350.00) Dollars for the Expense of Said Committee.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. A Standing Committee of the City Council is hereby created, consisting of five members of the City Council to be appointed by the President of the City Council, and to be known as the "Dr. Charles V. Chapin Memorial Award Committee." The members of said Committee shall be appointed as soon as may be after the passage of this Ordinance and in the year 1945, and biennially thereafter shall be appointed as soon as may be after the organization of the City Council. The said Committee shall cooperate with the Rhode Island Medical Society in arranging for the presentation at the annual meeting of the said Society of an oration to be known as the "Dr. Charles V. Chapin Oration."

SEC. 2. The sum of three hundred fifty (\$350.00) dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of said Committee. Said sum or so much thereof as may be necessary shall, in addition to the necessary expenses of said Committee, be used in helping to defray the expense of procuring the speaker selected to deliver the oration, and in providing for a suitable medal to be presented to the speaker at the time of the annual address, by the Mayor of the City of Providence. Payments against said appropriation shall be made by the City Auditor upon voucher duly approved by the Chairman of the Committee.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1255.

An Ordinance Requiring the Equipment of Hot Water Tanks in All Buildings in the City of Providence with Safety Valves.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Every hot water tank, hereafter installed, replaced, repaired or relocated in any building in the City of

Providence, shall be equipped with a suitable automatic temperature relief valve, a pressure relief valve, and a vacuum relief valve, approved by the Sanitary Engineer of Plumbing and Drainage. Such automatic relief valves shall be so designed, located and adjusted as effectually to prevent the temperature of the water in the tank from exceeding 212 degrees Fahrenheit.

Vacuum valves shall be installed and located at a point where the cold water supply pipe connects to the top of a domestic tank. All valves shall be installed and adjusted so as to prevent any damage to the domestic tank or to the property. There shall be installed an approved pipe conveying the exhaust water from such temperature relief valve, a pressure relief valve, and a vacuum relief valve, extending without shutoff to a location that will not permit damage to the property. The diameter of the discharge pipe from the relief valves shall not be less than the area of the valves served. The discharge pipe shall pitch down from the valve or valves it serves, to prevent the trapping of water.

SEC. 2. When steam is used to heat water in a tank, an approved temperature regulating valve shall be installed on the steam inlet pipe of every heating unit or coil used to heat water for domestic purposes, and so adjusted as to prevent the temperature of the heated water from exceeding 212 degrees Fahrenheit. The pressure relief valve and vacuum relief shall be installed at a location at the tank so as to avoid any damage to property or tank.

SEC. 3. Before installing or making alterations to any hot water tank a notice in writing shall be given to the Sanitary Engineer of Plumbing and Drainage, setting forth the nature of the work to be done; and in case of emergency repairs to a domestic hot water tank, a notice in writing shall be given to the Sanitary Engineer of Plumbing and Drainage within twenty-four hours from the time the work is started setting forth the nature of the work done or to be done.

SEC. 4. This Ordinance shall become effective on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1944, and whoever violates any provision

hereof shall be fined upon conviction not exceeding fifty (\$50) dollars.

CHAPTER 1256.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of One Hundred and Fifty (\$150.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for American Legion—Memorial Day.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding the sum of one hundred fifty (\$150.00) dollars to the appropriation contained therein for American Legion—Memorial Day.

SEC. 2. Said additional amount hereby appropriated shall be taken from the general fund from moneys not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1257.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Transferring the Sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars from the Appropriation for Defense Activities, Item 0, to the Appropriation for Water Supply Board, Source of Supply, Item 5.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Water Supply Board, Source of Supply—Item 5, Equipment, the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. The said sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars as hereby added and appropriated for said Water Supply Board, Source of Supply—Item 5, Equipment, shall be obtained by transferring to such item said amount from the appropriation contained in said Chapter 1205 for defense activities, Item 0, Personal Services.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1258.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, as Approved September 23, 1943, by Transferring the Sum of Ten Hundred and Fifty (\$1050.00) Dollars from the Appropriation for Public Works Activities—Snow and Ice Removal—Item 0, to the Appropriation for Public Works—Public Service Engineer—Item 5.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Public

Works Activities—Public Service Engineer—Item 5, the sum of ten hundred fifty (\$1050.00) dollars. Said sum as added and hereby appropriated for Public Service Engineer—Item 5, shall be obtained by transferring that amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Public Works Activities—Snow and Ice Removal—Item 0.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1259.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Public Works Activities—Sewer Maintenance—Item 5, the Sum of Ten Hundred and Fifty (\$1050.00) Dollars.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Public Works Activities—Sewer Maintenance—Item 5, the sum of ten hundred fifty (\$1050.00) dollars. Said sum as hereby added and appropriated for said Item 5—Sewer Maintenance, shall be obtained by transferring said amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Public Works Activities—Sewer Maintenance—Item 0.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1260.

An Ordinance Providing for the Issue of Bonds for the Purpose of Refunding Obligations Maturing During the Five Years Ending December 31, 1945, in a Total Sum Not Exceeding \$358,500.00.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The City of Providence will issue bonds of said City from time to time to the amount of three hundred fifty-eight thousand five hundred (\$358,500.00) dollars, designated as "Refunding Bonds," under and by virtue of the authority granted by Chapter 1089 of the Public Laws of Rhode Island, passed by the General Assembly at its January Session, A. D. 1941, (Act H. 754, Substitute A, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Issue Bonds Refunding a Portion of Its Obligations Maturing During the Five Years Ending December 31, 1945, in a Total Sum Not Exceeding Five Million (\$5,000,000.00) Dollars," approved April 22, 1941.)

SEC. 2. The City Treasurer, with the advice and consent of the committee on finance, and subject to the approval of the mayor, shall sell and dispose of such bonds at not less than par and accrued interest, if any, and issue said bonds or cause them to be issued under the corporate name and seal of the City of Providence, and when issued shall receive the proceeds from such sale, and the full amount of said proceeds shall be applied pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 1089 of the Public Laws of Rhode Island, approved by the General Assembly at its January Session, A. D. 1941, (Act H. 754, Substitute A, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Issue Bonds Refunding a Portion of Its Obligations Maturing During the Five Years Ending December 31, 1945, in a Total Sum Not Exceeding Five Million (\$5,000,000.00) Dollars," approved April 22, 1941, and for no other purpose.)

SEC. 3. The said bonds shall be dated June 1, 1944, and shall be payable on the 1st of June as follows:

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| \$12,000 in 1946 | \$20,000 in 1956 |
| \$12,000 in 1947 | \$20,000 in 1957 |
| \$12,000 in 1948 | \$20,000 in 1958 |
| \$13,000 in 1949 | \$20,000 in 1959 |
| \$15,000 in 1950 | \$20,000 in 1960 |
| \$15,000 in 1951 | \$20,000 in 1961 |
| \$19,500 in 1952 | \$20,000 in 1962 |
| \$20,000 in 1953 | \$20,000 in 1963 |
| \$20,000 in 1954 | \$20,000 in 1964 |
| \$20,000 in 1955 | \$20,000 in 1965 |

They shall be issued in substantially the following form
 "No. Registered Bond

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE
 PLANTATIONS

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City of Providence

Refunding Bond

Date of Original Issue, June 1, 194

"The City of Providence, Rhode Island, for value received hereby promises to pay to
 at the office of the City Treasurer or at the National City Bank in New York, N. Y., at the option of the holder
 Thousand Dollars on the first day of June 19 , with interest thereon meanwhile at the rate of 2 per cent per annum payable semi-annually from the first day of 19 , both principal and interest being payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for public and private debts.

"This bond is issued pursuant to Chapter 1089 of the Public Laws, approved April 22, 1941, and proceedings of the City Council duly passed and approved by the Mayor. It is hereby certified that every requirement of law relating to the issue hereof has been duly complied with and that this bond is within every debt and other limit prescribed by law or by the City Council.

“This bond may be transferred by surrender hereof at the office of the City Treasurer accompanied by an assignment hereof duly signed and acknowledged by the registered owner or his legal representative, in which case a new bond or bonds of like tenor and of like aggregate principal amount will be issued to and in the name of the assignee or assignees.

“In witness whereof the said City of Providence has caused its seal to be hereto affixed and this bond to be signed by its City Treasurer, countersigned by its Mayor and registered by its City Auditor.

“Dated June 1, 194 .

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City Treasurer

Registered

Countersigned

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City Auditor

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Mayor

“(Endorsement)

“For value received the undersigned hereby assigns to the within bond and authorizes the surrender thereof accompanied by this assignment and the issue of a new bond or bonds accordingly.

“Dated

.....

Registered Owner

“At ,this

day of

19 , personally appeared

to me known to be the person who executed the foregoing assignment and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.

.....

Notary Public”

SEC. 4. Said bonds may be sold to the commissioners of sinking funds, the employees' retirement system, or to any other

trust fund of the City of Providence for cash at par and accrued interest, if any.

SEC. 5. If said bonds are sold as a result of competition, all bidders for said bonds shall be required to name the rate of interest that said bonds shall bear, but not in multiples of less than one-quarter of one per centum. Such rate of interest when bid, shall apply to the entire issue of said bonds. If the rate accepted is other than two per cent, the form of bond shall be changed accordingly. All such sales shall be subject to confirmation by the council.

SEC. 6. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1261.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance by Adding the Sum of Four Hundred (\$400.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Law Department, Item 1.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55, for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation for Law Department, Item 1, the sum of four hundred (\$400.00) dollars. Said amount as hereby added and appropriated for Law Department, Item 1, shall be obtained by transferring an equal amount from the appropriation contained in Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances for Public Works Activities—Snow and Ice Removal, Item 0.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1262.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$500.00 to the Appropriation for Public Celebrations, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled, "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944" is hereby amended by adding the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) to the appropriation contained therein for Public Celebrations, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

SEC. 2. The money hereby added and appropriated shall be paid to the Treasurer of the 1944 Veterans of Foreign Wars Department Encampment to help defray the expenses of the Annual Department Encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars which is to be held in this city June 30th and July 1st, 1944.

SEC. 3. The said sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) as thus appropriated shall be charged to the General Fund to funds not otherwise appropriated. The total anticipated income is hereby increased by the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and the estimated revenue from horse racing receipts is increased by a similar amount.

SEC. 4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1263.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$500.00 to the Appropriation for Public Celebrations, American Legion.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Public Celebrations, American Legion.

SEC. 2. The money hereby added and appropriated shall be paid to the Treasurer of the 1944 Legion Convention, Inc., to help defray the expenses of the Annual State Convention of the Department of American Legion, which is to be held in this city in June, 1944.

SEC. 3. The said sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars as thus appropriated shall be charged to the General Fund, to funds not otherwise appropriated. The total anticipated income is hereby increased by the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, and the estimated revenue from Horse Racing Receipts is increased by a similar amount.

CHAPTER 1264.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Increasing the Appropriation Contained Therein for Contingencies by the Sum of \$12,561.62.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Contingencies the sum of \$12,561.62.

SEC. 2. The total amount of \$12,561.62 as thus added and appropriated to said item "Contingencies," shall be charged to the General Fund from Moneys Not Otherwise Appropriated. The estimated horse racing receipts are hereby increased by the sum of \$12,561.62, and the total anticipated income is hereby increased by a similar amount.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1265.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$9,438.38 to the Appropriation for Contingencies.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Contingencies the sum of \$9,438.38.

SEC. 2. Said sum of \$9,438.38 as thus hereby added and appropriated to the appropriation for Contingencies, shall be obtained by transferring from the appropriation for Public Works

Activities, Snow and Ice Removal, the following amounts from the respective items as herein set forth:

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| Item 0 | \$2,274.68 |
| Item 1 | 4,081.45 |
| Item 2 | 3,082.25 |

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1266.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$35,600.00 to the Appropriation for Public Works Activities, Garbage Collection and Disposal.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the respective items in the appropriation contained therein for Public Works Activities, Garbage Collection and Disposal, the following respective amounts:

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| Item 0 | \$14,000.00 |
| Item 1 | 9,100.00 |
| Item 2 | 9,000.00 |
| Item 3 | 3,500.00 |

SEC. 2. The total amount of \$35,600.00 as thus added and appropriated to said respective items shall be charged to the General Fund from Moneys Not Otherwise Appropriated. The estimated horse racing receipts are hereby increased by the sum

of \$35,600.00, and the total anticipated income is hereby increased by a similar amount.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1267.

An Ordinance Repealing Chapter 950 of the Ordinances as Approved December 8, 1937.

(Approved June 26, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 950 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, as approved December 8, 1937, entitled "An Ordinance Providing That No Member of the City Council Shall Be Eligible for Appointment During the Duration of His Term of Office," is hereby expressly repealed.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1268.

An Ordinance Appropriating the Sum of Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars for the Use of Providence Canning Centers' Committee.

(Approved June 27, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The sum of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars is hereby appropriated for the use of Providence Canning Centers' Committee to be used in carrying out the program of said Committee.

SEC. 2. The money hereby appropriated shall be obtained by transferring the sum of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars from the appropriation for Providence Civilian Defense, Item 0, as authorized under the provisions of Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1269.

An Ordinance Providing for a City Plan Commission for the City of Providence and Repealing Chapter 12 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914, as Heretofore Amended.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. There shall be a City Plan Commission for the City of Providence consisting of the Mayor, ex officio, five persons to be appointed by the Mayor from citizens of the City who hold no salaried official positions in or under the City Government, and who are interested in and have special qualifications for the work pertaining to City Planning, and two members of the City Council who shall be elected by said City Council.

As soon thereafter as possible after the passage of this Ordinance the Council shall elect two of its members to serve on said City Plan Commission until the end of their present term of office. In January 1945, and biennially thereafter the Council shall elect two of its members to serve on said Commission during their respective terms of office.

As soon thereafter as possible after the passage of this Ordinance the Mayor shall appoint the other five members of the said City Plan Commission and shall designate which of said members so appointed by him shall hold office until January in the years 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948 and 1949, respectively. In January, 1945 and in January of each year thereafter the Mayor shall appoint one member of said Commission to succeed the member whose term then expires, and said appointee shall thereafter hold office for a term of five years.

All members appointed by the Mayor shall serve until their respective successors shall have been appointed and shall have qualified. Any vacancy occurring among the members of the

Commission shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as the original appointment or election. As soon as practicable after each annual appointment the Commission shall organize by electing from its own members a chairman and a secretary. No member of the Commission shall receive any compensation as such members or for any services rendered to the Commission.

SEC. 2. Said Commission shall have the following powers and duties :

It shall make careful studies of the construction, resources, possibilities and needs of the City with reference to its future and progressive development and particularly shall investigate and consider as to any present or pending civic problems involving the physical construction, arrangement or equipment of the City ; the causes and prevention of congestion of population, habitation or travel in the City ; the causes and prevention of slum districts and the improvement of any districts in the City which are run down or decreasing in value ; the public health or sanitary condition of the City or any public means or facilities for promoting the public health, comfort or welfare.

The Commission shall make and adopt a general plan for the development and improvement of the City, and as a means toward that end it may also record its opinion as to the development of any area outside the City which in the judgment of the Commission bears relation to the planning of the City. No general plan or portions thereof or amendments thereto shall be adopted by the Commission until after a public hearing thereon.

The Commission shall also make plans and proposals for specific improvements and projects which it deems desirable for the City and its surrounding area, and recommend them to the appropriate authority. Such plans and proposals shall not become a part of the general plan until adopted as such.

The Commission shall have authority to call upon other departments of the City for assistance in City Planning and shall cooperate with such other departments and with any Commis-

sion or committee having charge of the investigation of any special matter referred to it by the City Council.

The Commission shall collaborate with the Budget Director in the preparation and recommendation to the Mayor and the City Council, on or before June 1st each year, of a capital improvement budget for the following year and a comprehensive five-year capital improvement program.

The Commission shall have authority to make such investigations, maps and studies relating to the planning of the community as it may deem desirable. All plans and reports of the Commission shall be first submitted to the City Council. The Commission shall thereafter have authority to publish and distribute copies of plans and reports for the purpose of promoting public interest in and understanding of its plans and reports.

SEC. 3. The Commission shall appoint a City Plan Director for such term as it may deem desirable, and shall appoint such other assistants and employees as it may deem necessary. The City Plan Director shall have had before his appointment not less than five (5) years experience in City Planning.

All employees shall be appointed by the Commission in accordance with the provisions of Chapters 1174, 1206, 1209 and 1210 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as heretofore or hereafter amended.

The Commission may also employ outside consultants and incur any expense necessary therefor, but it shall not for any purpose contract for the payment of any sum of money or incur any expense greater than the amount then appropriated or available therefor.

Regular meetings of the Commission shall be held at least monthly, on such day as the Commission may determine, and special meetings may be held at any time at the call of the chairman and shall be called by the chairman upon the written request of three members. The Commission shall adopt rules for the transaction of business.

SEC. 4. All proposed Ordinances or Resolutions of the City Council which affect the City Plan or concern the plan, design, character, extent, location or use of any public improvement or public property or change thereof, or concern zoning or other regulations affecting or controlling the use or development of land or otherwise coming within the functions of the Commission as set forth in this Ordinance, and all maps, plans, or charts required to be submitted to the City Council under the provisions of Chapter 987 of the Public Laws of 1913, before final passage thereof shall be submitted to the Commission for report and recommendation. If the Commission shall fail to act within twenty-five days, it shall be deemed to have approved such matter. The Mayor, members or committees of the City Council or department heads of the City may submit a proposed Ordinance or Resolution to the Commission prior to the introduction thereof in the Council, and if such proposed Ordinance or Resolution shall be acted on by the Commission prior to such introduction, it need not thereafter be referred back to the Commission. Nothing herein contained shall be construed in any way to limit, restrict or prevent the City Council from taking action on any Ordinance or Resolution contrary or adverse to the report or recommendation of the City Plan Commission.

SEC. 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and Chapter 12 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914 entitled "City Plan Commission" as amended by Chapter 315 of the Ordinances of 1922 and Chapter 1070 of the Ordinances of 1941, is hereby repealed and the terms of offices of the members as therein provided are hereby terminated and ended.

CHAPTER 1270.

An Ordinance Amending Section 1 of Chapter 1209 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence," as Heretofore Amended by Chapter 1218 of the Ordinances.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. That paragraph entitled "Qualifications required for Appointment," appearing on page 452 of the Classification Plan as incorporated and adopted in Section 1 of Chapter 1209 of the Ordinances as heretofore amended by Chapter 1218 of the Ordinances approved November 5, 1943, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following :

"Provided, however, that the maximum age limit of thirty years shall be waived for and during the period of six months from the date of the passage of this Ordinance."

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1271.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Forty-two Thousand (\$42,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Water Supply Board, Source of Supply, Item 1.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Forty-two Thousand (\$42,000.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Water Supply Board, Source of Supply, Item 1.

SEC. 2. Said sum of Forty-two Thousand (\$42,000.00) Dollars, as thus added and appropriated, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation for Water Supply Board, Payment to Sinking Fund, Item 8.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1272.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Eleven Thousand Five Hundred (\$11,500.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Board of Canvassers and Registration.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Eleven Thousand Five Hundred (\$11,500.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Board of Canvassers and Registration of which amount Four Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five (\$4,875.00) Dollars is to be added to Item 0 of said appropriation, and Six Thousand Six Hundred and Twenty-five (\$6,625.00) Dollars to Item 1 of said appropriation.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Eleven Thousand Five Hundred (\$11,500.00) Dollars, as thus added and appropriated, shall be charged to the General Fund to Funds Not Otherwise Appropriated. The total anticipated income is hereby increased by the sum of Eleven Thousand Five Hundred (\$11,500.00) Dollars, and the estimated revenue from horse racing receipts is increased by a similar amount.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1273.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Five Hundred Fifteen (\$515.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for the City Sergeant's Department, Item 1.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Five Hundred Fifteen (\$515.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for City Sergeant's Department, Item 1.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Five Hundred Fifteen (\$515.00) Dollars, as thus added and appropriated for the City Sergeant's Department, Item 1, shall be obtained by transferring Two Hundred Thirty-five (\$235.00) Dollars from Item 0, One Hundred Ninety (\$190.00) Dollars from Item 1, and Ninety (\$90.00) Dollars from Item 5, all of said items being from the appropriation for the City Clerk.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1274.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Eighteen Hundred and Fifty (\$1850.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Water Supply Board, Transmission and Distribution, Item 5.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Eighteen Hundred and Fifty (\$1850.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Water Supply Board, Transmission and Distribution, Item 5.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Eighteen Hundred and Fifty (\$1850.00) Dollars, as thus added and appropriated, shall be obtained by transferring that amount from the appropriation for Water Supply Board, Transmission and Distribution, Item 3.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1275.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of \$3,050.00 to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Municipal Dock, Item 1.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Three Thousand Fifty (\$3,050.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Municipal Dock, Item 1.

SEC. 2. Said sum of Three Thousand Fifty (\$3,050.00) Dollars as added and appropriated to the appropriation for Municipal Dock, Item 1, shall be obtained by the following transfers in the amounts and from the items as respectively designated:

| | |
|---|----------|
| From Municipal Dock, Item 0..... | \$600.00 |
| From Municipal Dock, Item 2..... | 500.00 |
| From Municipal Dock, Item 3..... | 500.00 |
| From Public Works Administration, Item 0 | 1,450.00 |

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1276.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Fire Department, Item 5.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Fire Department, Item 5.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars as hereby added and appropriated to the appropriation for Fire Department, Item 5, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Police Department, Item 0.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1277.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Fire Department, Item 5.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Fire Department, Item 5.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars as hereby added and appropriated to the appropriation for Fire Department, Item 5, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Fire Department, Item 0.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1278.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Twenty-one Thousand Three Hundred Ninety (\$21,390.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 0.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Twenty-one Thousand Three Hundred Ninety (\$21,390.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 0.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Twenty-one Thousand Three Hundred Ninety (\$21,390.00) Dollars as hereby added and appropriated to the appropriation for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 0, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 1.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1279.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 2.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 2.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars as hereby added and appropriated to the appropriation for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 2, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Water Board, Source of Supply, Item 1.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1280.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Police Court, Item 1.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Police Court, Item 1.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars as hereby added and appropriated to the appropriation for Police Court, Item 1, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation contained in said Ordinance for Providence Civilian Defense Council, Item 1.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1281.

An Ordinance Amending Section 19 of Chapter 30 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Revision of 1914, Relative to Sweeping of Sidewalks.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 19 of Chapter 30 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Revision of 1914, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 19. No person shall place, throw or deposit, or cause to be placed, thrown or deposited, any dirt or sweepings upon any sidewalk in the city, and no person shall sweep, or cause to be swept, any sidewalk in the city between the hours of ten o'clock before noon and six o'clock after noon; but nothing in this section contained shall be construed as forbidding the placing of sand or other proper substances on sidewalks encumbered by ice, or the removing of snow from sidewalks at any time.”

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1282.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, by Adding the Sum of \$9,065.32 to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Fire Department, Item 5.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled “An Ordinance Making Appropriation

of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944, is hereby amended by adding the sum of Nine Thousand Sixty-five and 32/100 (\$9065.32) to the appropriation contained therein for the Fire Department—Item 5.

SEC. 2. Said sum of Nine Thousand Sixty-five and 32/100 (\$9065.32) dollars as hereby added and appropriated to Item 5—Fire Department, shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation for Fire Department—Item 0.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1283.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, by Increasing the Appropriation Contained Therein for Contingencies by the Sum of \$17,000.00.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Contingencies the sum of \$17,000.00.

SEC. 2. The total amount of \$17,000.00 as thus added and appropriated to said item "Contingencies," shall be charged to the General Fund from Moneys Not Otherwise Appropriated. The estimated horse racing receipts are hereby increased by the sum of \$17,000.00, and the total anticipated income is hereby increased by a similar amount.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1284.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, by Adding the Sum of \$5000.00 to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Charles V. Chapin Hospital, Item 1.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for Charles V. Chapin Hospital—Item 1, the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars.

SEC. 2. Said sum of Five Thousand (\$5000.00) Dollars as added and appropriated to the appropriation for Charles V. Chapin Hospital—Item 1, shall be obtained by transferring a similar amount from the appropriation contained therein for Charles V. Chapin Hospital—Item 0.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1285.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, by Adding the Sum of \$1050.00 to the Appropriation for Public Bath Houses, Item 5.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation

of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding the sum of ten hundred fifty (\$1050.00) dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Public Bath Houses—Item 5.

SEC. 2. Said sum of ten hundred fifty (\$1050.00) dollars as hereby added and appropriated to Item 5—Public Bath Houses, shall be obtained by transferring a similar amount from the appropriation for Public Works Activities—Forestry—Item 0.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1286.

An Ordinance Authorizing the Creation of a Bureau of Fire Prevention, Providing for Officers of Such Bureau and Defining Their Powers and Duties.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The Bureau of Police and Fire is hereby authorized to establish, control, operate and maintain a Bureau of Fire Prevention, to be operated under the direct supervision of the Chief of the Fire Department.

The Bureau of Police and Fire shall designate an officer (or member) of the Fire Department as Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, who shall hold this office at the pleasure of the Bureau of Police and Fire.

The Chief of the Fire Department may detail such number of Assistant Inspectors as shall from time to time be authorized by the Bureau of Police and Fire.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Officers of the Bureau of Fire Prevention to enforce all laws of the state and Ordinances of the City, covering the following:

1. The prevention of fires;
2. The storage of petroleum and petroleum products in bulk as provided in Section 67 of Chapter 524 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as amended, and also Section 63 of said Chapter relating to the storage of dangerous chemicals; also the storage and use of all other explosives and flammables of whatever name or nature;
3. The installation and maintenance of automatic and other fire alarm systems, and fire extinguishing equipment;
4. The condition and accessibility of exit in case of fire, from factories, schools, hotels, lodging houses, asylums, hospitals, churches, halls, theatres, amphitheatres, and all other places in which numbers of persons work, live or congregate, from time to time, for any purpose.
5. The investigation of the cause, origin, and circumstances of fires.

The Bureau of Fire Prevention shall have such other powers and perform such other duties as are set forth in other sections of this Ordinance, and as may be conferred and imposed from time to time by law. The Chief of the Fire Department may delegate any of his powers or duties under this Ordinance to the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Chief of the Fire Department to investigate and to recommend to the Bureau of Police and Fire such additional Ordinances, or amendments to existing Ordinances, as he may deem necessary for safe-guarding life and property against fire, and said Bureau shall make such recommendations to the City Council as it may deem in the interest of public safety.

SEC. 4. The Chief of the Fire Department shall prepare instructions for the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention and his Assistants, and forms for their use in the reports required by this Ordinance.

SEC. 5. The Bureau of Fire Prevention shall investigate the

cause, origin and circumstances of every fire occurring in the city by which property has been destroyed or damaged and, so far as possible, shall determine whether the fire is the result of carelessness or design. Such investigations shall begin immediately upon the occurrence of such a fire, by the Assistant in whose district the fire occurs, and if it appears to the officer in making such an investigation, that such fire is of suspicious origin, the Chief of the Fire Department shall be immediately notified of the fact; he shall take charge immediately of the physical evidence, shall notify the proper authorities designated by law to pursue the investigation of such matters, and shall further cooperate with the authorities in the collection of evidence and in the prosecution of the case. Every fire shall be reported in writing to the Bureau of Fire Prevention within two days after the occurrence of the same, by the officer in whose jurisdiction such a fire has occurred. Such report shall be in such form as shall be prescribed by the Chief of the Fire Department, and shall contain a statement of all facts relating to the cause, origin and circumstances of such fire, the extent of the damage thereof, and the insurance upon such property, and such other information as may be required.

SEC. 6. Before licenses may be issued for the keeping, storage, use, manufacture, sale, handling, or other disposition of highly flammable materials and rubbish, crude petroleum or any of its products, the Chief of the Fire Department, the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, or his Assistants shall inspect and approve the receptacles, vehicles, buildings or storage places to be used for any such purpose. Nothing herein contained shall be in conflict with Sections 67 or 68 of Chapter 524 as amended, of the building Ordinances as amended.

SEC. 7. The Chief of the Fire Department, Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention or an Assistant specially designated thereto shall inspect, as often as may be necessary, but not less than four times a year, all specially hazardous manufacturing processes, storages or installations of acetylene or other gases, chemicals, oils, explosives and flammable materials, all interior fire alarms and automatic sprinkler systems, and such other

hazards or appliances as the Chief of the Fire Department shall designate, and the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention shall make such orders as may be necessary for the enforcement of the laws and Ordinances governing the same and for safeguarding of life and property from fire.

SEC. 8. The Chief of the Fire Department or inspectors of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, upon the complaint of any person or whenever he or they shall deem it necessary, shall inspect all buildings and premises within their jurisdiction. Whenever any of said officers shall find any building or other structure which, for want of repairs, lack of sufficient fire escapes, or by reason of age or dilapidated condition, or from any other cause, a report of the hazardous conditions shall be submitted to the Inspector of Buildings for his consideration.

SEC. 9. It shall be the duty of the Chief of the Fire Department to inspect, or cause to be inspected by the Bureau of Fire Prevention, or by the Fire Department officers and members, as often as may be necessary, but not less than twice a year in outlying districts and four times a year in the closely built portions of the city all buildings and premises except the interiors of private dwellings, for the purpose of ascertaining and causing to be corrected any conditions liable to cause fire, or any violations of the provisions or intent of any Ordinance of the city affecting the fire hazard.

Whenever any inspection shall disclose in any building, or upon any premises or other place, combustible or explosive matter or dangerous accumulations of rubbish or unnecessary accumulation of waste paper, boxes, shavings, or any highly flammable materials especially liable to fire, and which is so situated as to endanger property; or shall disclose obstructions to or on fire escapes, stairs, passageways, doors or windows, liable to interfere with the operations of the Fire Department or egress of occupants in case of fire, the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention shall order the same to be removed or remedied. Such order shall forthwith be complied with by the owner or occupant of such premises or buildings, subject to appeal as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 10. The Chief of the Fire Department or the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, upon the complaint of any person, or whenever they shall deem it necessary, shall cause an inspection of all buildings and premises within their jurisdiction containing automatic or other fire alarm apparatus or fire extinguishing equipment, which buildings may be especially liable to fire and so situated as to endanger other property or the occupants thereof. Whenever inspection shall disclose in any such buildings, combustible or explosive matter or flammable conditions dangerous to the safety of such building or the occupants thereof, the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention shall order such dangerous conditions or materials to be removed or remedied, and such order shall forthwith be complied with by the owner or occupant of such premises or building, subject to appeal as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 11. Service of any order authorized by this Ordinance shall be made upon either the owner or occupant of the premises affected. If directed to the owner of the premises, such order shall be served either by delivering to and leaving with said owner personally a copy of the order, or if such owner is absent from the jurisdiction of the officer making the order, by mailing such copy to the owner's last known post office address.

If directed to the occupant of the premises, service of such order shall be made either by delivering a copy of the same to such occupant personally, or by delivering and leaving a copy with any person in charge of the premises, or in case no such person is found upon the premises, by affixing a copy thereof in a conspicuous place on the door to the entrance of said premises.

Any order herein made shall be subject to appeal by the owner or occupant within forty-eight (48) hours after service of the order. Appeal shall be taken in writing to the Chief of the Fire Department, who shall, within five days, review such order, and file his decision thereon, and unless by his authority the order is revoked or modified it shall remain in full force and be complied with within the time affixed in said order or decision of the Chief of the Fire Department.

Provided, however, that any such owner or occupant may, within five days after the making or affirming of any such order by the Chief of the Fire Department, file his petition with the Police Court, praying a review of such order and it shall be the duty of such court to hear the same within not less than five days nor more than ten days from the time the petition is filed, and to make such order in the premises as right and justice may require, and such decision shall be final. Such parties so appealing to the Police Court shall file with said court within two days a bond in an amount to be fixed by the court, to be approved by the court, conditioned to pay all the costs of such appeal in case such appellant fails to sustain his appeal or the same be dismissed for any cause.

SEC. 12. The Chief of the Fire Department, the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, or any Assistant Inspector may, at all reasonable hours, enter any building or premises within his jurisdiction for the purpose of making any inspection or investigation which, under the provisions of this Ordinance, he or they may deem necessary to be made.

SEC. 13. The City Solicitor, upon request of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, shall assist the Inspectors in the investigation of any fire which, in their opinion, is of suspicious origin.

SEC. 14. It shall be the duty of the Chief of the Fire Department to require teachers of public, private, and parochial schools and educational institutions to have one fire drill each month and to keep all doors and exits unlocked during school hours.

SEC. 15. The Chief of the Fire Department shall keep, in the office of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, a record of all fires and of all the facts concerning the same, including statistics as to the extent of such fires and the damage caused thereby, and whether such losses were covered by insurance, and if so, in what amount. Such record shall be made daily from the reports made by the inspectors under the provisions of this Ordinance. All such records shall be public records.

SEC. 16. The annual report of the Bureau of Fire Prevention shall be made on or before the 31st day of January in each year

and transmitted to the Bureau of Police and Fire. It shall contain all proceedings under this Ordinance, with such statistics as the Chief of the Fire Department may wish to include therein. The Chief of the Fire Department shall also recommend any amendments to the Ordinance which, in his judgment, shall be desirable.

SEC. 17. Any person or persons, firm or corporation, violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, or neglecting to comply with any order issued pursuant to any Section thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall forfeit and pay a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each offense, and in addition thereto a fine of not more than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each day's continuance of the violation, and in default of payment the person in default shall be imprisoned not to exceed thirty (30) days for each offense.

SEC. 18. Chapter 498 of the Ordinances as approved December 23, 1925, is hereby repealed, and all other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SEC. 19. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

CHAPTER 1287.

An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,535,-
011.96 for the Support of the City Government for
the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

Whereas, the revenue receipts for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945, have been estimated to amount to \$17,554,-233.13, made up as follows:

| <i>Revenue Receipts</i> | <i>1944-1945</i> |
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| Property Taxes | \$12,970,000.00 |
| Horse Racing Receipts | 400,000.00 |
| Poll Taxes | 25,000.00 |
| Business and Non-Business Licenses | 439,800.00 |
| Special Assessments | 28,983.13 |
| Fines, Forfeits and Escheats | 20,000.00 |
| Grants-in-Aid | 787,650.00 |
| Donations | 33,100.00 |
| Rents and Interest | 85,000.00 |
| General Departments | 547,700.00 |
| Refunding Bonds | 464,500.00 |
| Water Department | 1,752,500.00 |
| Total—Revenue Receipts | \$17,554,233.13 |

Now, Therefore, be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. To defray the expenses of the City of Providence for the fiscal year commencing October 1, 1944, and ending September 30, 1945, the sums of money, or so much thereof as are authorized by law, indicated in the accompanying schedule, are hereby appropriated for the objects and purposes, and in the amounts, expressed therein, provided, that payments thereunder shall be subject to the provisions of the Charter of the City of Providence, Chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1940, enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island at its January Session, A. D. 1940, and approved April 26, 1940, and subject to the provisions of the city Ordinances relative to the expenditure of money from the City Treasury.

SEC. 2. All moneys appropriated are to be expended under the direction of the respective department heads unless otherwise provided; amounts appropriated for "repairs to buildings" are to be expended under the direction of the Superintendent of Public Buildings, with the approval of the Director of Public Works, when requested by the respective department heads or the Committee on City Property; and "printing and binding" is to include such reports as may be approved by the Committee on Finance, limited by the amount of the appropriation.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

0. LEGISLATIVE, JUDICIAL AND GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE

ACTIVITIES

City Council

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| 0 Personal Services | \$26,000.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 4,635.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 125.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 250.00 |

City Clerk

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|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 26,397.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 475.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 300.00 |

Board of Canvassers and Registration

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|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 46,724.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 3,750.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 900.00 |

Probate Court

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 17,678.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 775.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 500.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 200.00 |

Police Court

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 10,563.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 315.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 75.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 285.00 |

Mayor's Office

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 14,576.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 5,122.50 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 100.00 |

Law Department

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 27,630.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,195.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 400.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 500.00 |

Recorder of Deeds

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 25,931.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,075.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 2,100.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 27.74 |

City Sergeant's Department

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 37,129.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 15,991.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 4,690.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 253.50 |
| 5 Equipment | 50.00 |

1. FINANCE ADMINISTRATION

Auditing Department—Accounting Division

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 42,070.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 9,410.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 2,925.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 50.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 15.00 |

Auditing Department—Employees' Retirement Division

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 6,604.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 3,125.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 300.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 15.00 |

Budget Department

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 13,412.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 210.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 300.00 |

Tax Department—Tax Division

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 71,220.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 2,940.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 2,000.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 2,200.00 |

Treasury Department—Treasury Division

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 46,958.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 20,557.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 1,670.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 6,250.00 |

Treasury Department—Water Board Collections

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 6,747.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 2,060.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 300.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 83.25 |

Purchasing Department—Purchasing Division

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 32,325.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,630.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 700.00 |

Purchasing Department—Municipal Garage Division

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 16,102.55 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 849.80 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 1,360.00 |

2. PUBLIC SAFETY

Bureau of Police and Fire

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 49,886.24 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 200.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 105.00 |

Police Department

| | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 1,061,469.54 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 47,900.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 48,675.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 200.00 |

Fire Department

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 921,432.88 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 46,223.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 59,550.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 200.00 |

Inspector of Buildings

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 35,662.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 2,220.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 410.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 10.00 |

Sanitary Engineer

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 16,355.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 814.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 345.00 |

Superintendent of Weights and Measures

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 8,500.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 335.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 100.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 90.00 |

 3. PUBLIC WORKS ACTIVITIES
General Administration

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 38,558.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,060.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 450.00 |

City Engineer

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 66,542.32 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,865.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 670.00 |

Public Service Engineer

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 27,346.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 920.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 400.00 |

Highways

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 513,499.20 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 20,142.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 72,785.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 1,000.00 |

Bridges

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 41,860.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,655.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 2,375.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 200.00 |

Sidewalks and Curbing

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 8,195.20 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 220.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 550.00 |

Street Lighting

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 289,561.61 |
|--------------------------------------|------------|

Public Buildings

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 58,722.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 3,369.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 1,730.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 92.50 |
| 5 Equipment | 50.00 |

Public Bath Houses

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 20,311.20 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 5,685.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 6,725.00 |

Public Comfort Stations

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 31,480.80 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 6,021.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 3,420.00 |

Street Cleaning

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 81,003.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 3,500.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 7,400.00 |

Snow and Ice Removal

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 41,000.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 7,000.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 7,000.00 |

Sewer Maintenance

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 124,404.80 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 3,486.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 11,210.00 |

Sewage Disposal Works

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 51,253.28 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 3,835.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 16,525.00 |

Ernest Street Station

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 27,018.16 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 2,160.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 1,725.00 |

Garbage Collection and Disposal (Incinerator)

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 267,936.24 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 7,325.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 29,926.00 |

Municipal Docks

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 9,678.76 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 850.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 1,780.00 |

Harbor

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 5,022.04 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 325.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 190.00 |

Forestry

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 20,277.40 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 800.40 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 1,095.00 |

4. HEALTH ACTIVITIES

Health Department

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 88,900.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 15,389.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 6,390.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 100.00 |

Inspector of Milk

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 13,898.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,640.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 675.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 175.00 |

City Registrar

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 8,541.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 4,990.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 250.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 23.12 |

Charles V. Chapin Hospital

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 250,126.38 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 26,025.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 138,985.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 24.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 3,405.00 |

5. WELFARE ACTIVITIES

Welfare Administration

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 28,918.40 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 800.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 350.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 20.00 |

Lodge and Camp

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 3,484.00 |
|---------------------------|----------|

GPA Administration

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 91,208.00 |
|---------------------------|-----------|

GPA Unallocated

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 30,000.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 85,775.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 39,900.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 394,325.00 |

Dexter Asylum

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 29,779.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 2,735.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 27,485.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 50.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 100.00 |

6. RECREATION

Administration Parks

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 9,628.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 770.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 115.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 9.25 |

General Parks

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 28,466.88 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 6,480.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 8,300.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 300.00 |

Roger Williams Park

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 38,068.16 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 5,450.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 20,025.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 25.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 500.00 |

Municipal Golf Course

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 17,506.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 2,645.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 3,470.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 33.00 |

Public Playgrounds

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 36,478.60 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 4,002.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 6,482.00 |

Roger Williams Museum

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 8,804.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 645.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 660.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 50.00 |

7. EDUCATION

School Department 4,764,600.00

76. GRANTS TO OUTSIDE AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS

Providence Animal Rescue League..... 500.00
Rhode Island Hospital 85,000.00

(As per contract with City of Providence)

Rhode Island Hospital—Ambulance Service..... 10,000.00
St. Joseph's Hospital..... 15,000.00
Homeopathic Hospital of Rhode Island..... 15,000.00
Miriam Hospital 7,500.00
Providence District Nursing Association..... 20,000.00
St. Vincent de Paul Infant Asylum 2,000.00
Jewish Orphanage of Rhode Island..... 1,000.00
Soldiers' Burials 750.00
Providence Public Library..... 91,000.00
Olneyville Free Library Association..... 2,500.00
Elmwood Public Library..... 9,000.00
Providence Lying-In Hospital..... 25,000.00

82. PENSIONS

| | |
|--|------------|
| Contributions to Employees' Retirement System.. | 403,091.75 |
| Contributions to Employees' Retirement System, Payment on Actuarial Deficiency..... | 53,712.00 |
| Payments of Police Pensions..... | 196,039.08 |
| Payments of Fire Pensions..... | 170,170.20 |
| Relief Fund for Firemen and Policemen..... | 11,750.00 |

83. DEBT SERVICE

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Retirement of Serial Bonds..... | 1,604,400.00 |
| Payment to Sinking Fund..... | 346,990.00 |
| Interest on Bonded Debt..... | 1,505,662.50 |
| Interest on Floating Debt..... | 20,786.73 |

87. MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITIES

*Board of Review**Zoning Board of Review*

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 4,482.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 95.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 50.00 |

Board of Review—Building Ordinance Board of Review

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 1,000.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 85.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 15.00 |

City Plan Commission..... 25,000.00*Providence Civilian Defense Council*

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 8,424.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 2,425.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 345.00 |

Providence Civilian Defense Council—Recreation Committee

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 3,500.00 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|

Providence Civilian Defense Council—Information Center

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|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 1,534.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 350.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 150.00 |

Providence Civilian Defense Council—Welfare Committee

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 2,000.00 |
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Contingencies for Payment of Executions

| | |
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| issued from courts; | |
| for claim for damages allowed; | |
| for rent of Pioneer Hall Lot; | |
| for ringing First Baptist Church bell; | |
| And for such other expenditures not otherwise provided for as have been or may hereafter be legally ordered | 37,500.00 |

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| <i>Automobile Accident Insurance.....</i> | 2,500.00 |
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88. PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS

Memorial Day

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|---|--------|
| United Spanish War Veterans | 900.00 |
| Veterans of Foreign Wars..... | 400.00 |
| Disabled American Veterans, World War.... | 100.00 |
| American Legion | 400.00 |
| R. I. Post Jewish War | 100.00 |
| Fourth of July | 450.00 |
| Labor Day | 100.00 |
| Columbus Day | 500.00 |
| Armistice Day | 750.00 |
| Armistice Day—American Legion..... | 150.00 |
| Municipal Christmas Tree Celebration..... | 500.00 |
| Christmas Display at Roger Williams Park..... | 500.00 |
| U. S. S. Maine Anniversary Observance..... | 100.00 |
| Decorating Public Buildings..... | 300.00 |

81. WATER FUND

*Water Supply Board**Administration*

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 75,047.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 13,240.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 3,035.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 50.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 1,450.00 |

Source of Supply

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 47,086.40 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 42,455.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 34,170.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 553.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 5,350.00 |

Transmission and Distribution

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 0 Personal Services | 172,514.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 13,575.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 48,700.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 200.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 17,200.00 |

Meter Division

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 82,381.00 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal..... | 12,550.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies..... | 15,685.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 50.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 200.00 |

Defense Activities

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| 0 Personal Services | 30,308.20 |
| 1 Services Other Than Personal | 1,980.00 |
| 2 Materials and Supplies | 3,700.00 |
| 3 Special Items | 50.00 |
| 5 Equipment | 2,000.00 |

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|---|------------|
| Taxes | 135,890.00 |
| Contributions to Employees' Retirement System.. | 14,221.25 |
| Interest on Funded Debt | 690,000.00 |
| Payment to Sinking Fund | 278,859.15 |
| Stores Revolving Account | 10,000.00 |

In addition to the above any excess of receipts as estimated from the following sources are to be added to the respective appropriations.

Dexter Asylum—from Dexter Donation Trust Fund Income
 Public Schools,
 Public Parks, General—S. H. Tingley Trust Fund Income
 Public Parks—Roger Williams, Anna H. Man Trust Fund
 Income
 Police Pension Fund—as required by law
 Firemen's Pension Fund—as required by law.

CHAPTER 1288.

An Ordinance Establishing a Bonus for Certain City Employees.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Effective October 1, 1944 to September 30, 1945 inclusive, all employees in the classified service receiving not more than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per week in compensation shall receive a bonus of fifty-two dollars (\$52.00) per year; all employees in the classified service receiving not less than twenty-five dollars and one cent (\$25.01) and not more than forty dollars (\$40.00) per week shall receive a bonus of seventy-eight dollars (\$78.00) per year; all employees receiving not less than forty dollars and one cent (\$40.01) and not more than forty-nine dollars and ninety-nine cents (\$49.99) per week shall receive a bonus of one hundred and four dollars (\$104.00) per

year, provided that this Ordinance shall not apply to persons holding the positions of Labor I, Labor II, Caulker, Mechanic I, Mechanic II, Automobile Mechanic I, Equipment Operator I, Equipment Operator II, Paver, Cement Finisher, Watchman, Crane Operator and Tree Trimmer; Laborer I, Incinerator; Equipment Operator I, Incinerator.

SEC. 2. Said bonus shall be paid at the regular payroll period and only for the period of employment.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1289.

An Ordinance Appropriating the Sum of One Hundred Forty-eight Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-four (\$148,824.00) Dollars to Defray the Cost of a Bonus Plan to Employees of the City of Providence During the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of paying a bonus plan to the employees of the City of Providence during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945, the sum of one hundred forty-eight thousand eight hundred twenty-four (\$148,824.00) dollars is hereby appropriated, and added to the sundry appropriations in the amounts set forth in the accompanying schedule; provided, that payments thereunder shall be subject to the provisions of the Charter of the City of Providence, Chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1940, enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island at its January Session, A. D. 1940, and approved April 26, 1940, and subject to the provisions of the City Ordinances relative to the expenditure of money from the City Treasury.

SEC. 2. All moneys appropriated herein are to be expended under the direction of the respective department heads as payment for personal services in accordance with "An Ordinance Establishing a Bonus for Certain City Employees."

SEC. 3. The total anticipated income for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945 is hereby increased by the sum of one hundred forty-eight thousand eight hundred twenty-four (\$148,824.00) dollars and a new revenue account entitled "Reserve for Revenue for 1944-1945 Employees' Bonus Plan" is hereby established with estimated revenue in a similar amount.

SEC. 4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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|---|--------|-----------|
| City Clerk | Item 0 | \$ 598.00 |
| Board of Canvassers and Registration | " | 991.00 |
| Probate Court | " | 416.00 |
| Police Court | " | 390.00 |
| Law Department | " | 260.00 |
| Recorder of Deeds | " | 936.00 |
| City Sergeant | " | 1,625.00 |
| Auditing Department | | |
| Accounting Division | " | 1,040.00 |
| Employees' Ret. Div. | " | 286.00 |
| Budget Department | " | 130.00 |
| Tax Department | " | 1,564.00 |
| Treasury Department | | |
| Treasury Division | " | 1,430.00 |
| Water Board Collections | " | 312.00 |
| Purchasing Department | | |
| Purchasing Division | " | 832.00 |
| Municipal Garage Div. | " | 390.00 |
| Bureau of Police & Fire | " | 1,378.00 |
| Police Department | " | 47,176.00 |
| Fire Department | " | 41,574.00 |

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| Inspector of Buildings | " | 1,040.00 |
| Sanitary Engineer | " | 390.00 |
| Superintendent of Weights & Measures | " | 416.00 |
| Public Works Adm. | " | 962.00 |
| City Engineer | " | 2,210.00 |
| Public Service Engineer | " | 546.00 |
| Highway | " | 4,108.00 |
| Bridges | " | 1,742.00 |
| Sidewalks & Curbing | " | 390.00 |
| Public Buildings | " | 884.00 |
| Bath Houses | " | 819.00 |
| Comfort Stations | " | 1,391.00 |
| Street Cleaning | " | 234.00 |
| Sewer Maintenance | " | 1,586.00 |
| Sewage Disposal | " | 1,014.00 |
| Ernest Street Station | " | 520.00 |
| Incinerator | " | 1,924.00 |
| Municipal Dock | " | 78.00 |
| Forestry | " | 78.00 |
| Health | " | 2,841.00 |
| Inspector of Milk | " | 494.00 |
| City Registrar | " | 416.00 |
| Charles V. Chapin Hospital | " | 12,217.00 |
| Welfare Administration | " | 806.00 |
| Lodge & Camp | " | 156.00 |
| GPA Administration | " | 4,420.00 |
| Dexter Asylum | " | 1,556.00 |
| Parks Administration | " | 208.00 |
| General Parks | " | 702.00 |
| Municipal Golf Course | " | 138.00 |
| Public Playgrounds | " | 1,878.00 |
| Roger Williams Park Museum | " | 260.00 |
| Zoning Board of Review | " | 78.00 |
| Building Ordinance Board of Review | " | 52.00 |
| Civilian Defense | " | 442.00 |
| City Plan Commission | " | 500.00 |

CHAPTER 1290.

An Ordinance Making Revenue Available Out of Operating Surplus of the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944, in the Amount of One Hundred Forty-eight Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty-four (\$148,824.00) Dollars for the Purpose of Financing a Bonus Plan for City Employees for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. In order to provide revenue for the purpose of financing the payment of a bonus plan for city employees for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945 the City Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to establish in the accounts for the year ending September 30, 1944 a specific purpose account to be known as "Reserve for Revenue for 1944-1945 Employees' Bonus Plan" by charging the sum of one hundred forty-eight thousand eight hundred twenty-four (\$148,824.00) dollars to the account entitled "Current Year Surplus" of the accounts for 1943-44; provided, however, that there be, prior to the above transfer, a final credit balance of said one hundred forty-eight thousand eight hundred twenty-four (\$148,824.00) dollars in said account entitled "Current Year Surplus." After completion of the above transfer, the account entitled "Reserve for Revenue for 1944-1945 Employees' Bonus Plan" shall be carried over to the books of account for the year 1944-1945 with an open credit balance of one hundred forty-eight thousand eight hundred twenty-four (\$148,824.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. Monthly, during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945, the City Auditor and City Treasurer are hereby directed to pay out of the General Fund cash, the sum of twelve thousand four hundred and two (\$12,402.00) dollars; each such payment to be charged to the account entitled "Reserve for Revenue for

1944-1945 Employees' Bonus Plan" and shall immediately be paid over to the City Treasurer as city revenue and when received by him shall be credited to a revenue account to be entitled "Revenue for the Payment of 1944-1945 Employees' Bonus Plan."

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 1291.

An Ordinance Authorizing and Directing the City Auditor to Establish for the Year Ending September 30, 1944, an Account to Be Known as "Reserve for Revenue for Extraordinary Expenditures of the Year 1944-1945."

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. In order to provide revenue for the purpose of financing general expenditures which may be required to be made by the City during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945, for which expenditures no provision shall have been made by the Annual Appropriation Ordinance for said year, the City Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to establish in the accounts for the year ending September 30, 1944, a specific purpose account to be known as "Reserve for Revenue for Extraordinary Expenditures of the Year 1944-1945." Said account shall be established by charging to the account entitled "Current Year Surplus" of the accounts of 1943-1944, an amount equal to any remaining credit balance existing in said Current Year Surplus account after completion of the entry to be made by Chapter 1290 of the Ordinances of 1944 as adopted by the City Council entitled "An Ordinance Making Revenue Available Out of the

Operating Surplus of the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944 in the Amount of \$148,824.00 for the Purpose of Financing a Bonus Plan for City Employees for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945." After completion of the above transfer, the account entitled "Reserve for Revenue for Extraordinary Expenditures of the Year 1944-1945" shall be carried over to the books of account for the year 1944-1945 with an open credit balance equal to the amount of the transfer.

SEC. 2. From time to time during the year ending September 30, 1945, the City Council, when necessary, may direct the City Auditor and City Treasurer to pay out of General Fund cash the total of any part of the then credit balance existing in the account entitled "Reserve for Revenue for Extraordinary Expenditures of the Year 1944-1945"; each such payment shall be charged to said account and shall immediately be paid over to the City Treasurer as revenue, and when so received by him, shall be credited to a revenue account to be entitled "Revenue for Extraordinary Expenditures of the Year 1944-1945."

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 1292.

An Ordinance Appropriating the Sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Public School Estates Revolving Fund.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. The sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated from the General Fund out of Funds Not Otherwise Appropriated to the Appropriation for Public School Estates Revolving Fund for the purpose of financ-

ing salaries, wages, and all other expenses on account of repairs to school buildings made by the Superintendent of Public Buildings at the request of the School Committee of the City of Providence.

SEC. 2. The total estimated revenue receipts are hereby increased in the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars by increasing the revenue receipts from General Departments Public School Estates Revolving Fund in a like amount.

SEC. 3. The Superintendent of Public Buildings shall render to the School Committee bills for all work done by order of said committee, and when payment is made for said work the City Auditor is hereby authorized to credit said payment to Public School Estates Revolving Fund.

SEC. 4. At the close of the fiscal year the Superintendent of Public Buildings shall file with the City Auditor a statement of the value of the materials on hand and of work performed and materials furnished for which payment is due as of September 30, 1945, and any unexpended balances in said Public School Estates Revolving Fund shall revert to the General Fund.

SEC. 5. This Ordinance shall take effect as of October 1, 1944.

CHAPTER 1293.

An Ordinance Establishing a Special Fund of the City of Providence to Be Known as "School Fund."

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. A special fund to be known as "School Fund" is hereby established as a separate permanent fund of the City of Providence to be held by the City Treasurer. The City Auditor shall draw orders on this fund upon presentation by the School Committee of vouchers authorized in accordance with any law, Ordinance, rule or regulation relative thereto.

SEC. 2. In the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1944, and in each subsequent fiscal year, all payments made by the State or Federal governments to the City of Providence for the support of public schools, all poll taxes collected and the balance of all dog license fees, together with tuition fees earned by the School Department, shall be paid over and credited to the School Fund by the City Treasurer, in accordance with the provisions of law.

SEC. 3. All miscellaneous receipts of the School Department now available to that department for expenditure, in accordance with the provisions of law, shall on and after October 1, 1944 be credited to the School Fund.

SEC. 4. All money appropriated by the City Council from the general tax levy for the support of public schools, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 680 of the Public Laws of 1925, shall be available for credit to the School Fund. The City Auditor from time to time shall draw an order upon the City Treasurer, payable to the School Fund in such amounts as are agreeable to the School Committee and the City Treasurer, provided, however, that no more than fifty (50%) per cent of the total amount appropriated from the general tax levy for the support of public schools shall be paid over to the School Fund at any one time. The total amount appropriated by the City Council for said support of public schools shall be paid over to the School Fund before the last day of each fiscal year of the City of Providence.

SEC. 5. The City Auditor, on September 30, 1944, or as soon thereafter as possible, shall draw an order upon the City Treasurer payable to the School Fund in an amount equal to the difference between total appropriations available to the School Department for the period from October 1, 1943 to September 30, 1944 and total disbursements and encumbrances of the School Department as recorded by the City Auditor for said period.

SEC. 6. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1294.

An Ordinance Amending Section 1 of Chapter 1206 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as Heretofore Amended.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1206 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved September 23, 1943, as heretofore amended, is further amended in the following respects:

(a) That portion of Section 1 of Chapter 1206 as amended which reads "Physician (Out-Patient Department), \$3,300." is amended to read "Physician (Out-Patient Department), \$3,600."

(b) The following position and salary is hereby added to said Section: "Police Equipment Superintendent, \$2,600."

(c) That portion of Section 1 of Chapter 1206 which reads "Hospital Steward, \$3,000." is hereby omitted and deleted and there is substituted the following: "Institution Business Manager, \$3,500."

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1295.

An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees, and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the City Departments.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of CITY CLERK shall not exceed eleven (11). There shall be no more than:

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- 1 City Clerk (unclassified)
 - 1 Deputy City Clerk (First)
 - 1 Deputy City Clerk (Second)
 - 2 Clerk-Stenographer III
 - 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
 - 2 Clerk-Stenographer I
 - 1 Clerk-Typist I
 - 1 Duplicating Equipment Operator
 - 1 Clerk I

SEC. 2. In the BOARD OF CANVASSERS AND REGISTRATION there shall be no more than :

- 3 Members of the Board of Canvassers and Registration (unclassified)
- 3 Clerk II
- 4 Clerk-Typist I

There may be :

Temporary

- 30 Clerk-Typist I or Clerk I
- Election Officials
- Janitors
- Equipment workers

SEC. 3. The number of employees in PROBATE COURT shall not exceed nine (9). There shall be no more than :

- 1 Judge of Probate (unclassified)
- 1 Clerk of Probate (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy Clerk of Probate (unclassified)
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 2 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 2 Clerk-Stenographer I

SEC. 4. The number of employees in the POLICE COURT shall not exceed six (6). There shall be no more than :

- 2 Police Court Judge (unclassified)
- 1 Clerk Police Court
- 1 Deputy Clerk Police Court

- 1 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 5. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT OF LAW shall not exceed eight (8). There shall be no more than:

- 1 City Solicitor (unclassified)
- 1 Assistant City Solicitor (First)
- 1 Assistant City Solicitor (Second)
- 1 Assistant City Solicitor (Third)
- 1 Assistant City Solicitor (Fourth)
- 1 Claim Investigator
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II

SEC. 6. The number of employees in the OFFICE of the RECORDER OF DEEDS shall not exceed seventeen (17). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Recorder of Deeds (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy Recorder of Deeds
- 2 Clerk-Typist II
- 9 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Clerk II
- 2 Clerks I
- 1 Building Custodian I

SEC. 7. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of CITY SERGEANT shall not exceed twenty-seven (27). There shall be no more than:

- 1 City Sergeant (unclassified)
- 1 First Deputy City Sergeant
- 1 Second Deputy City Sergeant
- 1 Clerk-Typist I
- 2 Switchboard Operator
- 1 Building Maintenance Engineer I
- 1 Building Custodian III
- 1 Stationary Fireman
- 7 Building Custodian I
- 7 Charwoman

- 2 Elevator Operator
- 1 Watchman

Temporary

- 1 Stationary Fireman

SEC. 8. The number of employees in the AUDITING DEPARTMENT shall not exceed twenty-one (21). There shall be no more than:

- 1 City Auditor (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy City Auditor (First)
- 1 Deputy City Auditor (Second)
- 1 Accountant II
- 1 Accountant I
- 1 Tabulating Equipment Supervisor
- 1 Clerk IV
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk II
- 4 Clerk-Typist II
- 6 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer I

SEC. 9. The number of employees in the RETIREMENT BOARD shall not exceed four (4). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Clerk IV
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 1 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Clerk I

SEC. 10. The number of employees in the OFFICE of BUDGET DIRECTOR shall not exceed four (4). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Budget Director (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy Budget Director
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 11. The number of employees in the BOARD of TAX ASSESSORS shall not exceed one hundred and fifteen (115). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Chairman of the Board of Tax Assessors
(unclassified)
- 2 Tax Assessor (unclassified)
- 6 Deputy Tax Assessor
- 1 Associate Engineer I
- 1 Clerk IV
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk II
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 8 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Real Property Assessment Aide

Temporary

- 30 Clerk I or Clerk-Typist I
- 60 Poll Tax Enumerators

SEC. 12. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of CITY TREASURER shall not exceed twenty-eight (28). There shall be no more than:

- 1 City Treasurer (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy City Treasurer (First)
- 1 Deputy City Treasurer (Second)
- 3 Clerk IV
- 1 Clerk III
- 2 Clerk II
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 3 Clerk-Typist I
- 2 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 1 Automobile Driver

Temporary

- 2 Clerk II
- 10 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 13. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT OF CITY TREASURER—TREASURY WATER shall not exceed five (5). There shall be no more than :

- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 1 Clerk-Typist I
- Temporary*
- 2 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 14. The number of employees in the PURCHASING DEPARTMENT shall not exceed fifteen (15). There shall be no more than :

- 1 Purchasing Agent (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy Purchasing Agent
- 1 Supervisor—Warehouse and Inventory
- 1 Clerk IV
- 4 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 2 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 4 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 15. The number of employees in the MUNICIPAL GARAGE shall not exceed sixteen (16). There shall be no more than :

- 1 Garage Superintendent
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk II
- 2 Clerk I
- 1 Automobile Mechanic II
- 5 Automobile Mechanic I
- 2 Laborer II
- 3 Laborer I

SEC. 16. The number of employees in the BUREAU of POLICE and FIRE shall not exceed twenty-two (22). There shall be no more than :

- 1 Chairman, Bureau Police and Fire
(unclassified)

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- 2 Commissioner, Bureau of Police and Fire (unclassified)
 - 1 Secretary, Bureau of Police and Fire
 - 2 Clerk IV
 - 3 Clerk III
 - 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
 - 1 Clerk-Stenographer I
 - 3 Clerk-Typist I
 - 1 Building Maintenance Engineer I
 - 5 Building Custodian I
 - 1 Police Surgeon (First)
 - 1 Police Surgeon (Deputy)

SEC. 17. The number of employees in the POLICE DEPARTMENT shall not exceed five hundred and thirteen (513). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Police Chief
- 1 Police Deputy Chief
- 1 Chief Inspector, Police
- 16 Police Captain
- 31 Police Lieutenant
- 59 Police Sergeant
- 343 Police Patrolman
- 1 Woman Protective Officer
- 2 Police Woman
- 2 Clerk IV
- 6 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 2 Clerk-Typist I
- 2 Police Matron
- 1 Physical Director, Police
- 1 Superintendent Police Signals
- 2 Maintenance Man II
- 6 Maintenance Man I
- 5 Mechanic I
- 6 Building Custodian I
- 20 Automobile Driver
- 1 Police Equipment Superintendent

Part Time

- 1 Police Matron

Temporary

- 2 Automobie Driver

SEC. 18. The number of employees in the FIRE DEPARTMENT shall not exceed four hundred and twenty (420). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Fire Chief
- 2 Deputy Fire Chief
- 9 Fire Battalion Chief
- 1 Fire Alarm Superintendent
- 1 Fire Equipment Superintendent II
- 1 Fire Equipment Superintendent I
- 36 Fire Captain
- 41 Fire Lieutenant
- 320 Fireman
- 1 Clerk II
- 2 Clerk-Typist II
- 1 Building Custodian I
- 4 Maintenance Man I

SEC. 19. The number of employees in the OFFICE of INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS shall not exceed fourteen (14). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Building Inspector III
- 1 Building Inspector II
- 1 Zoning Assistant
- 8 Building Inspector I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 1 Automobie Driver

SEC. 20. The number of employees in the OFFICE of SANITARY ENGINEER of PLUMBING and DRAINAGE shall not exceed six (6). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Plumbing Inspector III
- 1 Plumbing Inspector II
- 3 Plumbing Inspector I
- 1 Clerk-Typist II

SEC. 21. The number of employees in the OFFICE of SUPERINTENDENT of WEIGHTS and MEASURES shall not exceed five (5). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Superintendent of Weights and Measures
- 1 First Deputy City Sealer
- 1 Second Deputy City Sealer
- 1 First Deputy City Weigher
- 1 Second Deputy City Weigher

SEC. 22. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION, shall not exceed fifteen (15). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Director of Public Works (unclassified)
- 1 City Engineer
- 1 Accountant I
- 1 Clerk IV
- 1 Clerk III
- 4 Clerk II
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 3 Clerk-Typist II
- 2 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 23. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—CITY ENGINEER shall not exceed thirty-one (31). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Associate Engineer II
- 5 Associate Engineer I
- 19 Engineering Aide III
- 1 Engineering Aide II
- 4 Engineering Aide I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III

SEC. 24. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—PUBLIC SERVICE ENGINEER shall not exceed eleven (11). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Public Service Engineer
- 4 Electrical Inspector
- 1 Engineering Aide III
- 2 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 1 Clerk II
- 1 Associate Engineer II
- 1 Steam Engineering Examiner

SEC. 25. In the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—HIGHWAY there shall be no more than:

- 1 Highway Superintendent
- 1 Assistant Highway Superintendent
- 19 Labor Foreman II
- 16 Labor Foreman I
- 1 Garage Superintendent
- 1 Clerk IV
- 4 Clerk II
- 3 Clerk I
- 3 Clerk-Typist II
- 9 Clerk-Typist I
- Watchman
- Cement Finisher
- Paver
- Mechanic II
- Mechanic I
- Laborer I
- Laborer II
- Equipment Operator I
- Equipment Operator II

SEC. 26. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—BRIDGES shall not exceed twenty-six (26). There shall be no more than:

- 2 Bridge Superintendent II
- 3 Bridge Superintendent I

- 6 Bridge Operator
- 9 Gateman
- 4 Laborer II
- 1 Labor Foreman II
- 1 Labor Foreman I

SEC. 27. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—SIDEWALKS and CURBING shall not exceed five (5). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Associate Engineer I
- 3 Engineering Aide I
- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 28. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—PUBLIC BUILDINGS shall not exceed twenty-three (23). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Superintendent of Public Buildings
- 1 City Architect
- 1 Architectural Draftsman II
- 1 Architectural Draftsman I
- 3 Maintenance Man III
- 4 Maintenance Man II
- 1 Laborer II
- 1 Building Maintenance Supervisor
- 1 Clerk IV
- 2 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 3 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Automobile Driver

SEC. 29. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—BATH HOUSES shall not exceed eighteen (18). There shall be no more than:

- 8 Bath House Attendant I
- 7 Bath House Attendant II
- 1 Maintenance Man III

Part Time

- 1 Building Custodian III
- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 30. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—COMFORT STATIONS shall not exceed thirty-one (31). There shall be no more than:

- 12 Bath House Attendant I
- 12 Bath House Attendant II
- 1 Maintenance Man III

Part Time

- 1 Building Custodian III
- 1 Clerk-Typist I
- 2 Bath House Attendant I
- 2 Bath House Attendant II

SEC. 31. In the DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—STREET CLEANING there shall be no more than:

- 1 Labor Foreman II
- 2 Labor Foreman I
- Equipment Operator II
- Equipment Operator I
- Laborer II
- Laborer I

SEC. 32. In the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—SEWER MAINTENANCE there shall be no more than:

- 1 Sewer Maintenance Superintendent
- 1 Sewer Maintenance Assistant Superintendent
- 7 Labor Foreman II
- 4 Labor Foreman I
- Laborer II
- Laborer I
- Equipment Operator II
- Equipment Operator I
- Mechanic II

- Mechanic I
- Automotive Mechanic II
- Automotive Mechanic I
- Watchman
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk II
- 1 Automobile Driver
- 1 Building Custodian I
- 3 Engineering Aide II

SEC. 33. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS shall not exceed twenty-six (26). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Sewage Disposal Superintendent
- 1 Labor Foreman II
- 1 Sanitary Bacteriologist
- 8 Stationary Equipment Operator
- 5 Laborer II
- 10 Laborer I

SEC. 34. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—ERNEST STREET PUMPING STATION shall not exceed fourteen (14). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Pumping Station Engineer
- 4 Stationary Equipment Operator
- 3 Laborer II
- 6 Laborer I

SEC. 35. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—INCINERATOR, shall not exceed one hundred and thirty (130). In arriving at the above total of one hundred and thirty (130), six (6) full working days shall be equivalent to one employee, in respect to employees paid on a daily basis. There shall be no more than:

- 1 Incinerator Superintendent
- 1 Assistant Incinerator Superintendent
- 4 Turbine Operator I

- 1 Turbine Operator II
- 1 Garage Superintendent
- 4 Stationary Equipment Operator
- 4 Crane Operator
- 8 Stationary Fireman
- 4 Mechanic II
- 1 Mechanic I
- 1 Automobile Mechanic I
- 2 Labor Foreman II
- 1 Labor Foreman I
- 23 Equipment Operator I
- 70 Laborer I
- 1 Watchman
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk II
- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 36. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—MUNICIPAL DOCK shall not exceed six (6). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Municipal Dock Superintendent
- 1 Crane Operator
- 3 Laborer I
- 1 Watchman

SEC. 37. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—HARBOR MASTER shall not exceed three (3). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Harbor Master
- 1 Mechanic II

Temporary

- 1 Temporary Employee

SEC. 38. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS—FORESTRY shall not exceed twelve (12). There shall be no more than:

- 1 City Forester
- 1 Labor Foreman II

- 1 Mechanic II
- 2 Laborer II
- 4 Tree Trimmer
- 2 Equipment Operator I
- 1 Laborer I

SEC. 39. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of HEALTH shall not exceed sixty-two (62). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Superintendent of Health (unclassified)
- 1 Deputy Superintendent of Health (First)
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 4 Clerk-Typist I
- 2 Clerk I
- 1 Automobile Driver
- 1 Provisions Inspector
- 1 Sanitarian
- 2 Sanitarian Aide
- 1 Labor Foreman II
- 1 Tuberculosis Control Director
- 1 Supervising Public Health Nurse
(Tuberculosis)
- 1 Supervising Public Health Nurse
(Communicable Disease)
- 1 Supervising Public Health Nurse
(Child Hygiene)
- 2 Public Health Nurse
(Communicable Disease)
- 16 Public Health Nurse
(Child Hygiene)
- 1 Physician
- 1 Public Health Nursing Director

Temporary

- 7 Laborer I

Part Time

- 1 Clerk I
- 6 Child Welfare Physician (unclassified)
- 1 School Dentist (unclassified)
- 2 Dental Assistant (unclassified)
- 1 Assistant Child Welfare Clinic (unclassified)
- 3 Janitor, Clinic (unclassified)

SEC. 40. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of HEALTH—MILK INSPECTOR shall not exceed seven (7). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Deputy Milk Inspector
- 1 Dairy Inspector
- 1 Sanitary Bacteriologist
- 1 Laboratory Assistant
- 2 Sanitarian Aide
- 1 Building Custodian I

SEC. 41. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of HEALTH—CITY REGISTRAR shall not exceed seven (7). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 5 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 42. The number of employees in the CHAPIN HOSPITAL shall not exceed two hundred and twenty-six (226). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Hospital Superintendent (unclassified)
- 1 Clinical Director (General)
- 1 Assistant Clinical Director (General)
- 1 Physician Out-Patient Department
- 1 Consulting Psychiatrist (Temporary)
- 1 Assistant Temporary Clinical Director
(Psychiatric)
- 2 Resident Physician
- 1 Medical Record Librarian

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- 4 Switchboard Operator
 - 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
 - 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
 - 7 Clerk-Stenographer I
 - 1 Clerk-Typist II
 - 6 Clerk-Typist I
 - 1 Superintendent of Nurses
 - 2 Institution Nurse V
 - 2 Institution Nurse IV
 - 1 Institution Nurse III
 - 12 Institution Nurse II
 - 11 Institution Nurse I
 - 18 Institution Attendant
 - 2 Occupational Therapy Aide
 - 1 Acting Pathologist
 - 1 Roentgenologist (Consulting)
 - 1 X-Ray Technician
 - 1 Assistant X-Ray Technician
 - 1 Psychometrist
 - 1 Psychiatric Social Worker II
 - 1 Psychiatric Social Worker I
 - 1 Medical Social Worker
 - 1 Dietitian II
 - 1 Dietitian I
 - 1 Cook III
 - 1 Cook II
 - 1 Cook I
 - 2 Baker
 - 1 Institution Business Manager
 - 1 Clerk III
 - 1 Laundry Worker III
 - 2 Laundry Worker II
 - 21 Laundry Worker I
 - 5 Automobile Driver
 - 1 Medical Laboratory Technologist
 - 1 Bacteriologist II
 - 2 Bacteriologist I
 - 2 Chemist

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- 3 Laboratory Technician
 - 1 Pharmacist II
 - 3 Pharmacist I
 - 1 Building Maintenance Engineer II
 - 2 Building Maintenance Engineer I
 - 2 Institution Maintenance Mechanic
 - 3 Maintenance Man I
 - 4 Stationary Fireman
 - 7 Laborer I
 - 1 Watchman
 - 2 Housemother
 - 1 Matron II
 - 1 Matron I
 - 1 Housekeeper
 - 63 Institution Utility Worker

Part Time

- 1 Switchboard Operator

SEC. 43. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WELFARE—WELFARE ADMINISTRATION shall not exceed fifteen (15). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Director of Public Welfare (unclassified)
- 1 Assistant Director of Public Welfare
- 1 Clerk IV
- 1 Labor Foreman I
- 1 Automobile Driver
- 1 Clerk III
- 2 Clerk II
- 1 Clerk I
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 1 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Equipment Operator I
- 1 Laborer I
- 1 Domestic Relations Supervisor
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II

SEC. 44. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WELFARE—MUNICIPAL LODGE shall not exceed two (2). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Municipal Lodge Superintendent
- 1 Building Custodian I

SEC. 45. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WELFARE—GENERAL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE shall not exceed sixty-seven (67). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Social Worker III
- 5 Social Worker II
- 16 Social Worker I
- 1 Attorney (Welfare)
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk II
- 2 Clerk I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 16 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 2 Clerk-Typist II
- 13 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Switchboard Operator
- 1 Maintenance Man I
- 6 Building Custodian I

SEC. 46. The number of employees in the DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WELFARE—DEXTER ASYLUM shall not exceed thirty-six (36). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Director (unclassified)
- 1 Matron II
- 1 Matron I
- 1 Institution Nurse II
- 2 Physician (unclassified)
- 1 Chaplain (unclassified)
- 1 Organist (unclassified)
- 1 Building Maintenance Engineer I
- 1 Clerk-Typist II

- 1 Institution Maintenance Mechanic
- 8 Institution Attendant
- 1 Cook III
- 1 Cook I
- 3 Stationary Fireman
- 8 Institution Utility Worker
- 1 Laborer

Temporary

- 1 Cook I
- 2 Institution Attendant

SEC. 47. The number of employees in the PARK COMMISSION—PARKS ADMINISTRATION shall not exceed four (4). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Superintendent, Park (unclassified)
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 48. In the PARK COMMISSION—PARKS GENERAL and ROGER WILLIAMS PARK combined, there shall be no more than:

- 2 Labor Foreman II
- 4 Labor Foreman I
- 1 Automotive Mechanic II
- 1 Mechanic II
- 2 Equipment Operator II
- 1 Watchman
- 1 Clerk III
- 1 Clerk I
- Laborer I
- Laborer II

SEC. 49. In the PARK COMMISSION—MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE there shall be no more than:

- 1 Golf Course Superintendent
- 1 Labor Foreman I
- 1 Automotive Mechanic I
- Laborer II
- Laborer I

Temporary

- 2 Clerk II

SEC. 50. The number of employees in the BOARD OF RECREATION—PLAYGROUNDS shall not exceed one hundred and ninety-four (194). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Superintendent (Unclassified)
- 1 Clerk-Typist II
- 1 Labor Foreman II
- 1 Laborer II
- 4 Laborer I
- 2 Playground Supervisor

Temporary

- 103 Playground Director and
 Assistant Playground Director
- 9 Physical Education Instructor (unclassified)
- 18 Referee (unclassified)
- 19 Bath House Attendant I
- 33 Janitor (unclassified)
- 12 Playground Supervisor

SEC. 51. The number of employees in the PARK COMMISSION—PARK MUSEUM shall not exceed five (5). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Curator
- 1 Instructor Nature Study
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer I
- 1 Building Custodian I
- 1 Clerk I

SEC. 52. The number of employees in the ZONING BOARD of REVIEW shall not exceed two (2). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Secretary, Board of Review (Zoning)
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II

SEC. 53. The number of employees in the BUILDING BOARD of REVIEW shall not exceed one (1). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Secretary, Board of Review (Building)

SEC. 54. The number of employees in the PROVIDENCE CIVILIAN DEFENSE COUNCIL and CIVILIAN DEFENSE INFORMATION CENTER combined shall not exceed seven (7). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Social Worker I
- 1 Clerk II
- 4 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Building Custodian I

SEC. 55. The number of employees in the WATER SUPPLY BOARD—WATER ADMINISTRATION shall not exceed thirty-eight (38). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Chairman Water Supply Board
(unclassified)
- 1 Attorney (Water)
- 3 Members, Water Supply Board
(unclassified)
- 1 Chief Engineer (unclassified)
- 3 Associate Engineer II (Water)
- 6 Associate Engineer I (Water)
- 3 Engineering Aide III
- 1 Engineering Aide II
- 1 Accountant I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 2 Clerk III
- 2 Clerk II

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- 1 Clerk I
 - 3 Clerk-Typist II
 - 2 Clerk-Typist I
 - 1 Automobile Driver
 - 1 Building Custodian II
 - 1 Building Custodian I
 - 1 Switchboard Operator
 - 1 Stationary Fireman
 - 1 Charwoman

Temporary

- 1 Clerk-Typist I

SEC. 56. In the WATER SUPPLY BOARD—SOURCE OF SUPPLY there shall be no more than:

- 1 Master Mechanic (Water)
- 1 Assistant Master Mechanic (Water)
- 1 Hydro-Electric Station Operator
- 1 Chief Chemist (Water)
- 1 Bacteriologist II
- 1 Laboratory Assistant
- 1 Clerk III
- 8 Stationary Equipment Operator
- 2 Inspector (Water)
- 1 Labor Foreman (Water) II
- 4 Rain Gauge Keeper
- Laborer I

SEC. 57. In the WATER SUPPLY BOARD—WATER TRANSMISSION and DISTRIBUTION there shall be no more than:

- 1 Distribution Superintendent
- 2 Clerk II
- 1 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer III
- 6 Labor Foreman (Water) II
- 5 Labor Foreman (Water) I

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- 1 Automobile Mechanic II
Equipment Operator II
Equipment Operator I
Laborer II
 - 3 Switchboard Operator
Laborer I
 - 2 Maintenance Man I
Caulker
Watchman
Automotive Mechanic I
 - 4 Stationary Equipment Operator

SEC. 58. The number of employees in the WATER SUPPLY BOARD—METER DIVISION shall not exceed forty-seven (47). There shall be no more than:

- 1 Meter Superintendent
- 6 Clerk III
- 4 Clerk II
- 3 Clerk I
- 3 Clerk-Typist II
- 3 Clerk-Typist I
- 1 Clerk-Stenographer II
- 1 Meter Reader II
- 12 Meter Reader I
- 10 Meter Mechanic
- 3 Meter Mechanic's Helper

SEC. 59. The number of employees in the WATER SUPPLY BOARD—WATER DEFENSE ACTIVITIES shall not exceed ten (10). There shall be no more than:

- 6 Clerk I
- 1 Equipment Operator I
- 3 Laborer I

SEC. 60. No person shall be appointed to; and the City Treasurer shall not pay, nor shall any officer or employee of the City issue a check for the payment of, nor pay any salary or

compensation to a person holding, or claiming to hold, a position in the classified service in any department which is in excess of the total number of positions or the number of any individual class of position provided herein for the particular department.

SEC. 61. Where no maximum limit is fixed on the total number of positions or the number of any individual class of position in a department, the number of persons appointed and employed shall be determined by the unexpended appropriation available.

SEC. 62. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage. Chapter 1210 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as approved September 23, 1943, with all amendments and additions thereto, is hereby repealed and all other Ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are likewise repealed.

CHAPTER 1296.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1209 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence" Providing for Police Equipment Superintendent and Institution Business Manager, and Eliminating Hospital Steward.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1209 is hereby amended by adding the attached specifications for Police Equipment Superintendent (468) and Institution Business Manager (199), and eliminating the specifications heretofore attached to said section, relating to "Hospital Steward" (230).

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1297.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, as Approved September 23, 1943, by Adding the Sum of Sixteen Thousand (\$16,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for General Public Assistance Unallocated, Item 1.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1205 of the Ordinances as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,506,143.55 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1944," is hereby amended by adding to the appropriation contained therein for General Public Assistance Unallocated, Item 1, the sum of sixteen thousand (\$16,000.00) dollars.

SEC. 2. Said sum of sixteen thousand (\$16,000.00) dollars as added and appropriated to said Item shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the appropriation made by said Chapter 1205 for General Public Assistance Unallocated, Item 3.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1298.

An Ordinance Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, by Adding the Sum of Fourteen Hundred (\$1400.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Public Comfort Stations, Item 1.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1287 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved September 22, 1944, and entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,535,011.96 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Fourteen Hundred (\$1400.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for public comfort stations—Item 1.

SEC. 2. Said sum of Fourteen Hundred (\$1400.00) Dollars as hereby appropriated and added to the appropriation for public comfort stations—Item 1, shall be charged to funds not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1299.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, by Adding the Sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Municipal Docks, Item 1.

(Approved November 3, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1287 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved September 22, 1944, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,535,011.96 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Municipal Docks, Item 1.

SEC. 2. The said sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.00)

Dollars as thus added and appropriated to the Municipal Docks, Item 1, shall be obtained by charging the same to the General Fund to Moneys Not Otherwise Appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1300.

An Ordinance Amending the Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, by Adding the Sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Public Celebrations—Armistice Day.

(Approved November 3, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1287 of the Ordinances approved September 22, 1944, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,535,011.96 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945," is hereby amended by adding the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Public Celebrations—Armistice Day.

SEC. 2. Said sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars as hereby added to and appropriated for Public Celebrations—Armistice Day, shall be obtained by charging said amount to the General Fund to Moneys Not Otherwise Appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1301.

An Ordinance Authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds to Exchange Certain Issues of Registered Bonds of the City of Providence Held by Them for Bonds in Coupon Form, and to Sell and Dispose of Said Coupon Bonds.

(Approved November 17, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds is authorized to surrender in exchange for Bonds in Coupon form, the following issues of Registered Bonds, in the total sum specified, all of which Bonds are held by said Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds, and constitute the entire original issue,

(1) Three Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$3,500,000.00) Dollars "Public Improvement Loan" Bonds, dated June 1, 1941, and payable on the first of June as follows:
\$140,000 in 1946; \$140,000 in 1947; \$140,000 in 1948; \$140,000 in 1949; \$157,000 in 1950; \$158,000 in 1951; \$175,000 in 1952; \$175,000 in 1953; \$175,000 in 1954; \$175,000 in 1955; \$175,000 in 1956; \$175,000 in 1957; \$192,000 in 1958; \$192,000 in 1959; \$192,000 in 1960; \$192,000 in 1961; \$192,000 in 1962; \$195,000 in 1963; \$210,000 in 1964; \$210,000 in 1965.

Said bonds were issued by authority of Chapter 1063 of the 1941 Ordinances of the Providence City Council.

SEC. 2. Upon the completion of the exchange of Registered Bonds for Coupon Bonds, said Board is hereby authorized to sell and dispose from time to time at public sale of said bonds in Coupon form, at not less than par.

SEC. 3. Any such sale under the authority of this Ordinance shall be made by the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds, subject to the approval of the Mayor and of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance.

SEC. 4. The proceeds from the sale of said Bonds shall be invested by the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds in any securities in which investment is authorized by Section 6 of Chapter 61 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914.

SEC. 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and any Ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby waived.

CHAPTER 1302.

An Ordinance in Amendment of Chapter 1295, Approved September 22, 1944, Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees, and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the City Departments."

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Section 24 of Chapter 1295 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as approved September 22, 1944, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing the Classes of Positions, the Maximum Number of Employees, and the Number of Employees in Certain Classes in the City Departments" as heretofore amended, is hereby further amended by adding thereto:

"One (1) Chief Electrical Inspector (425)"
and by striking out:

"4 Electrical Inspector"
and adding in place thereof:

"3 Electrical Inspector (426)."

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1303.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1209 of the Ordinances as Approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence," Providing for One Chief Electrical Inspector.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1209 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence as approved September 23, 1943, entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Classification Plan for the City of Providence", is hereby amended by adding One (1) Chief Electrical Inspector (425) at a salary of Twenty-six Hundred (\$2600.00) Dollars per annum.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1304.

An Ordinance Amending Section 1 of Chapter 1206 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Approved September 23, 1943, Entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence," as Heretofore Amended, to Provide for One Chief Electrical Inspector.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 1206 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved September 23, 1943, entitled

"An Ordinance Establishing a Compensation Plan for the City of Providence", as heretofore amended, is further amended by adding the following:

One (1) Chief Electrical Inspector at a salary of Twenty-six Hundred (\$2600.00) Dollars per year.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1305.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1295 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, Providing for the Return of Veterans to Employment by the City of Providence.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Bt it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1295 of the Ordinances as approved September 22, 1944, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

"Sec. 62. The limitations imposed by this Ordinance as to the total number of persons or number of any individual class of position in a department shall not apply to those members of the armed forces of the United States of America and of the Merchant Marine who have been honorably discharged therefrom and who at the time of their induction or enlistment were employees of the City of Providence, and who desire upon discharge to return to the employ of the City, if the position occupied or held by such person at the time of his entrance into the service of the United States of America has not been included in the total number of positions or number of any individual class of position in a department, as fixed by this Ordinance."

SEC. 2. Section 62 of Chapter 1295 is hereby renumbered as Section 63.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1306.

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 1287 by Adding the Sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation for Museum—Item 1.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1287 of the Ordinances of the City of Providence, approved September 22, 1944, and entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,535,011.96 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945" is hereby amended by adding the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Museum—Item 1.

SEC. 2. Said sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars as hereby appropriated and added to the appropriation for Museum—Item 1, shall be charged to the funds not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1307.

An Ordinance Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, Approved September 22, 1944, by Adding the Sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for "Mayor's Office, Item 1."

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. Chapter 1287 of the Ordinances as approved September 22, 1944, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation

of \$17,535,011.96 For The Support of The City Government For The Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945" is hereby amended by adding the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars to the appropriation contained therein for "Mayor's Office, Item 1."

SEC. 2. Said sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars as thus added and appropriated to "Mayor's Office, Item 1," shall be obtained by transferring a like amount from the General Fund from Funds Not Otherwise Appropriated.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1308.

An Ordinance Amending the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, Approved September 22, 1944, by Adding the Sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars to the Appropriation Contained Therein for Tax Department—Tax Division—Item 1.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence :

SECTION 1. Chapter 1287 of the Ordinances approved September 22, 1944, entitled "An Ordinance Making Appropriation of \$17,535,011.96 for the Support of the City Government for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1945," is hereby amended by adding the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars to the appropriation contained therein for Tax Department—Tax Division—Item 1.

SEC. 2. The said sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars as thus added and appropriated to the appropriation for Tax De-

partment—Tax Division—Item 1, shall be obtained by transferring that amount from the appropriation contained in said Chapter 1287 for contingencies.

SEC. 3. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1309.

An Ordinance Changing Lot 615 on Assessors' Plat 39, from a Dwelling House (B-1) District to an Apartment House (D-1) District. (1319 Elmgrove Avenue.)

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The Zoning Map accompanying and made a part of Chapter 370 of the Ordinances approved June 6, 1923, entitled "An Ordinance Zoning the City of Providence and establishing Height, Area and Use Districts" is hereby amended by changing from a Dwelling House District B-1 to an Apartment House District D-1, certain land on the easterly side of Elmgrove avenue, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Elmgrove avenue, one hundred thirty (130) feet north of the northeasterly corner of Elmgrove avenue and Angell street, and at the southwesterly corner of lot 615 as shown on assessors' plat 39, thence northerly and bounding westerly on Elmgrove avenue, seventy (70) feet to the southerly line of lot 614 on said plat, thence easterly and bounding northerly in part on lot 614, and in part on lot 617, one hundred ninety (190) feet to the westerly line of lot 91, thence southerly, westerly, southerly and westerly following the lines of lot 615 to Elmgrove avenue, and the point and place of beginning.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1310.

An Ordinance Changing Lot 45 on Assessors' Plat 61,
from a Dwelling House (B-1) District to a Business
(B-1) District. (1-9 Santiago Street.)

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The Zoning Map accompanying and made a part of Chapter 370 of the Ordinances approved June 6, 1923, entitled "An Ordinance Zoning the City of Providence and establishing Height, Area and Use Districts" is hereby amended by changing from a Dwelling House District B-1 to a Business District B-1, certain land at the northwesterly corner of Narragansett avenue and Santiago street, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Narragansett avenue and Santiago street, thence westerly and bounding southerly on Santiago street, one hundred two and thirteen one hundredths, more or less, (102.13) feet to the easterly line of lot 46 on Assessors' Plat 61, thence northerly along said easterly line, one hundred (100) feet to the southerly line of lot 44, thence north-easterly along said southerly line of lot 44, forty-five and eighty-four one hundredths, more or less, (45.84+) feet to Narragansett avenue, thence southeasterly and bounding northeasterly on Narragansett avenue, one hundred thirty-five and thirty-nine one hundredths, more or less, (135.39+) feet to the northwesterly corner of Narragansett avenue and Santiago street, and the point and place of beginning.

SEC. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

STATE LAWS
RELATING TO THE
CITY OF PROVIDENCE
1944

(Continued from Supplement No. 29, 1943.)

CHAPTER 1393.

An Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Appropriate Not Exceeding Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2500.00) to Edward Williams and/or His Wife, Mildred W. Williams, as Compensation for Injuries Sustained by the Said Edward Williams.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. The city council of the city of Providence is hereby authorized and empowered to appropriate and pay to Edward Williams and/or his wife, Mildred W. Williams, such sum not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2500.00) as said city of Providence may deem expedient, for compensation for injuries sustained by the said Edward Williams when accidentally shot by a member of the Providence police department on May 27th, A. D. 1943.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1433.

An Act Defining the Powers and Duties of the Board
of Commissioners of Sinking Funds of the City of
Providence.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. The board of commissioners of sinking funds of the city of Providence, as heretofore established by ordinance of the city of Providence, under the authority of chapter 310 of the public laws of the state of Rhode Island, 1873, as subsequently amended by chapter 861 of the public laws of the state of Rhode Island, 1912, shall have the control and management of all sinking funds heretofore or hereafter established for the redemption of any bonds or notes heretofore or hereafter issued by the city, or for the redemption of any bonds now held or which may hereafter be held by the city. Said board shall hold any fire insurance fund, water works depreciation and extension fund, and any other special fund now or hereafter established by said city council, and entrusted to said board by said city council, with such powers and provisions relative to the control, management and disposition of any and all such funds respectively as said city council by ordinance from time to time may prescribe.

SEC. 2. Said board shall have all the powers and be subject to all the liabilities imposed upon the commissioners of sinking funds by chapter 61 of the ordinances of the city of Providence, revision of 1914, or any amendment thereof, or by any ordinance in addition thereto or in amendment thereof. Such board shall invest such funds as may be received by it in any securities authorized by ordinance of the city of Providence, and shall have full power to hold, purchase, sell, assign, transfer or dispose of any of the securities or investments in which any of the funds of said commissioners shall have been or shall hereafter be invested, as well as the proceeds of such investments.

The members of said board shall not give bonds for the faithful performance of their duties, unless requested so to do by ordinance of said city.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage, and all acts and parts of acts, ordinances or laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 1434.

An Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Issue Coupon Bonds in Place of Registered Bonds, and to Make Said Bonds Payable in New York in Legal Tender.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. The city of Providence is hereby empowered by ordinance to authorize the issuance of coupon bonds payable to bearer in the place of, and upon the cancellation of a like principal amount of bonds which are now or may hereafter be outstanding, and issued originally as registered bonds. Said coupon bonds may be made payable at the fiscal agency of the city of Providence in New York city, or at any other place designated by the city council, and the principal thereof and the interest thereon shall be payable in any coin or currency of the United States of America which at the time of payment is legal tender for public and private debts, though the registered bonds for which they are or may be substituted are payable at the office of the city treasurer and payable in gold.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1461.

An Act in Amendment of Clause 1 of Section 12 of Chapter 598 of the Public Laws, Passed at the January Session, A. D. 1866, Entitled "An Act to Revise, Consolidate and Amend the Act Entitled 'An Act to Incorporate the City of Providence' and the Several Acts in Addition Thereto and in Amendment Thereof", Relating to the Police Court of the City of Providence.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Clause 1 of section 12 of chapter 598 of the public laws passed at the January session, A. D. 1866 entitled "An act to revise, consolidate and amend the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the city of Providence' and the several acts in addition thereto and in amendment thereof", as continued in force and effect by section 134 of chapter 832 of the public laws of 1940, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Clause 1. The police court shall consist of so many of the justices of the peace of said city, not exceeding three (3), as shall be elected on the first Monday of January, biennially, commencing A. D., 1913, by concurrent vote of the city council, or oftener in case of vacancy, and all the jurisdiction, power and authority of said court shall be vested in any one justice thereof. The justices, as soon as may be after the passage hereof, and thereafter on the first Monday of January, biennially beginning A. D. 1931, shall appoint a clerk of said police court. Forthwith upon his election and biennially beginning on the first Monday of January, A. D., 1931, said clerk of the police court shall appoint a deputy clerk of the police court, subject to the approval of said justices. The clerk and deputy clerk shall hold office

until their successors are appointed and qualified. Neither the clerk nor deputy clerk shall be required to be a member of the bar of the state of Rhode Island nor a justice of peace of the city of Providence. In case of the sickness, absence from the city or other disability or ineligibility of the justices of the police court, the clerk of the police court shall have all the powers and duties of a justice of said court, and said clerk shall certify upon the records of said court the days and dates upon which, and the occasion for which the duties of the justice are performed by the said clerk. In the absence or disability of the clerk of said court, or during such time as said clerk may be acting as justice of said court, the deputy clerk of said court shall have all the powers and duties of the clerk of said court.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 1482.

An Act in Amendment of Clause 1 of Section XI of Chapter 598 of the Public Laws, as Amended, Relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Providence.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Clause 1 of section XI of chapter 598 of the public laws of 1866, as amended by chapter 371 of the public laws of 1896, as further amended by chapter 692 of the public laws of 1925, as further amended by chapter 1444 of the public laws of 1929, and as continued by section 133 of chapter 832 of the public laws of 1940, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"SECTION XI.

"Clause 1. The court having probate jurisdiction in and for the city of Providence shall be hereafter known as the 'Probate court of the city of Providence.' It shall be holden by one judge, who shall be a member of the bar of the state of Rhode Island, and who shall be elected by the city council; he shall hold regular terms at such times and in such place in said city as may be appointed by ordinance of the city council, and may adjourn his court from time to time. There shall be a clerk of said court, who shall be a member of the bar of the state of Rhode Island and who shall be elected by the city council. The city council shall at a meeting to be held on the first Monday of November, 1929, and on the first Monday of November in each sixth year thereafter elect a judge and a clerk of the probate court of the city of Providence, respectively, to hold office for the term of six years and until their respective successors are elected and qualify. Such election shall be made only from those candidates who shall have been nominated for these respective offices in open meeting of the city council, at least twenty days prior to the meeting of the city council at which the election of such officers takes place. The election of the judge and clerk shall be in open meeting by viva voce vote on roll call. Upon the election of a clerk, such clerk shall appoint a deputy clerk of said court, subject to the approval of said city council who shall hold office until his successor is appointed, approved by the city council, and qualified. Such deputy clerk need not be a member of the bar of the state of Rhode Island. In case of the sickness, absence from the city, disability or ineligibility of the judge of the probate court, or in the interim between any vacancy in said office and the filling of said vacancy, the clerk of the probate court shall have all his powers and duties, and said clerk shall certify upon the records of said court the days and dates upon which, and the occasion for which, the duties of the judge are performed by the said clerk. In the absence or disability of the clerk of said court or during such time as said clerk may be acting as judge of said court, or in the interim between any vacancy in said office and the filling of said vacancy, the deputy

clerk of said court shall have all the powers and duties of the clerk of said court, except that such deputy clerk shall not in any circumstances be eligible to act as judge of said court. In case of vacancy in the office of either judge, clerk or deputy clerk of the probate court, whether such vacancy arises because of death, resignation, or for any other reason, like proceedings shall be had to fill such vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term, as in the case of the original election or appointment of such officers."

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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OF THE
CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF PROVIDENCE
WITH
REPORTS AND FINISHED BUSINESS
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JANUARY, 1944 TO JANUARY, 1945

*No. 400. RESOLUTION RELATIVE TO PRINTING, INDEXING
AND BINDING THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS
OF 1943 AND 1944.*

(Approved September 17, 1943.)

RESOLVED, that the City Clerk is hereby instructed to cause the Resolutions and Finished Business of the City Council for the municipal years 1943-1944 to be printed and indexed and the said Resolutions and Finished Business for the years named to be respectively bound for the use of the City Government; and arrange for such public distribution as said City Clerk may direct.

A true copy,
Witness:

D. Everett Whelan
City Clerk.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

JANUARY 6, 1944.

No. 1. Ordinance, See Chapter 1227.

No. 2. Resolution Directing the City Solicitor to Appear Before the General Assembly and Urge Passage of an Act in Amendment of Clause 1 of Section 12 of Chapter 598 of the Public Laws of 1866. (Draft Act Appended.)

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Solicitor be and he hereby is directed to appear before the present session of the General Assembly and urge passage of an Act in amendment of Clause 1 of Section 12 of Chapter 598 of the Public Laws passed at the January Session, A. D., 1866, entitled "An Act to Revise, Consolidate and Amend the Act Entitled 'An Act to Incorporate the City of Providence' and the Several Acts in Addition Thereto and in Amendment Thereof", relative to the powers and duties of the Clerk and Deputy Clerk of the Police Court, substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft Act.

AN ACT

IN AMENDMENT OF CLAUSE 1 OF SECTION 12 OF CHAPTER 598 OF THE PUBLIC LAWS PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION, A. D., 1866 ENTITLED "AN ACT TO REVISE, CONSOLIDATE AND AMEND THE ACT ENTITLED 'AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE' AND THE SEVERAL ACTS

IN ADDITION THERETO AND IN AMENDMENT THEREOF" RELATING TO THE POLICE COURT OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Clause 1 of Section 12 of Chapter 598 of the Public Laws passed at the January Session, A. D., 1866 entitled "An Act to Revise, Consolidate and Amend the Act Entitled 'An Act to Incorporate the City of Providence' and the Several Acts in Addition Thereto and in Amendment Thereof", as continued in force and effect by Section 134 of Chapter 832 of the Public Laws of 1940, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Clause 1. The Police Court shall consist of so many of the Justices of the Peace of said City, not exceeding three (3), as shall be elected on the first Monday of January, biennially, commencing A. D., 1913, by concurrent vote of the City Council, or oftener in case of vacancy, and all the jurisdiction, power and authority of said Court shall be vested in any one Justice thereof. The Justices, as soon as may be after the passage hereof, and thereafter on the first Monday of January, biennially beginning A. D., 1931, shall appoint a Clerk of said Police Court. Forthwith upon his election and biennially beginning on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1931, said Clerk of the Police Court shall appoint a Deputy Clerk of the Police Court, subject to the approval of said Justices. The Clerk and Deputy Clerk shall hold office until their successors are appointed and qualified. Neither the Clerk nor Deputy Clerk shall be required to be a member of the Bar of the State of Rhode Island nor a Justice of Peace of the City of Providence. In case of sickness, absence from the City or other disability or ineligibility of the Justices of the Police Court, the Clerk of the Police Court shall have all the powers and duties of a Justice of said Court, and said Clerk shall certify upon the records of said Court the days and dates upon which, and the occasion for which the duties of the Justice are performed by the said Clerk. In the absence or disability of the Clerk of said Court, or during such time as said Clerk may

be acting as Justice of said Court, the Deputy Clerk of said Court shall have all the powers and duties of the Clerk of said Court.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect upon its passage.

No. 3. Ordinance, See Chapter 1228.

No. 4. Ordinance, See Chapter 1229.

No. 5. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Suffolk Street.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 490 on Plat No. 70 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns, or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Peter Laudati of \$340.00 for Lot No. 490 on Plat No. 70 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days,

the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Peter Laudati for the price herein approved for said lot.

No. 6. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Ethel Street.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 125 on Plat No. 105 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Peter Laudati of \$148.72 for Lot No. 125 on Plat No. 105 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Peter Laudati for the price herein approved for said lot.

No. 7. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Italy Street.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in

writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 85 on Plat No. 119 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1940, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 26th, 1942, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Peter Laudati of \$58.00 for Lot No. 85 on Plat No. 119 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Peter Laudati for the price herein approved for said lot.

No. 8. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Italy Street.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 86 on Plat No. 119 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Peter Laudati of \$112.00 for Lot No. 86 on Plat No. 119 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this

offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Peter Laudati for the price herein approved for said lot.

No. 9. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Alfred Street.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 121 on Plat No. 105 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by John DiPetrillo of \$74.95 for Lot No. 121 on Plat No. 105 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said John DiPetrillo for the price herein approved for said lot.

No. 10. Resolution Relative to a Veterans' Hospital
in the State of Rhode Island.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Whereas, There is apparent need for a Veterans' Hospital in the State of Rhode Island, which is one of the very few remaining states without the benefit of just such a hospital; and

Whereas, The nearest hospitals of this type are located some distance from the City of Providence, and it is therefore inconvenient for residents of this City to visit patients in such hospitals; and

Whereas, Interest regarding a Veterans' Hospital is increasing daily because of the influx of service connected cases; and

Whereas, The State of Rhode Island has the necessary physical facilities for an adequate Veterans' Hospital;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members of Congress representing the State of Rhode Island be and they are hereby requested to sponsor and promote the necessary legislation to the end that a Veterans' Hospital be erected within the State of Rhode Island; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution expressing the opinion of this Body be forwarded to the following:

Governor J. Howard McGrath
U. S. Senator Theodore Francis Green
U. S. Senator Peter G. Gerry
Congressman John E. Fogarty
Congressman Aime J. Forand

No. 11. Resolution Relative to House Resolution
2082 Referred to the Committee on Judiciary of
the House of Representatives in Washington, D. C.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Whereas, House Resolution 2082 has been introduced into the

national House of Representatives under the title of, "A Bill to reduce absenteeism, conserve man power, and speed production of material necessary for the winning of the war", and has been referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and

Whereas, The intent of the Resolution is to promote prohibition by stating it shall be unlawful to sell or possess alcoholic beverages containing more than one-half of one per cent alcohol by volume, and

Whereas, It further prohibits the manufacture, sale, transportation, and exportation of such beverage of such alcoholic content excepting for industrial or medical use, and

Whereas, The enactment of such legislation would of necessity cause many beverage companies to curtail a major portion of their beverage manufacture, thus causing unemployment of thousands of persons engaged in that particular business, and decreasing revenue realized through taxation upon such beverage,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the members of the City Council, go on record as objecting to the enactment of such legislation by Congress, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the members of Congress representing the City of Providence and the State of Rhode Island, and requesting that they use the influence of their respective offices to the end that House Resolution 2082 be defeated.

No. 12. Resolution Withdrawing Certain Accounts from Collection Relating to the Municipal Terminal Development at Fields Point.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following accounts and bills relating to the Municipal Terminal Development at Fields Point be and the

same are hereby withdrawn from collection as accounts of the City Treasurer, and the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to mark the same on his records and accounts as "uncollectible," viz :

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Name</i> | <i>Amount</i> |
|-----------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| 7/24/31 | Allen and Reed, Inc. | \$.96 |
| 4/10/35 | Barker Steel Company | 45.50 |
| 9/3/29 | H. J. Brown, Inc. | 551.03 |
| 4/10/30 | H. J. Brown, Inc. | 31.50 |
| 2/13/28 | Cole Teaming Co. | 112.47 |
| 2/8/33 | Arthur L. Fletcher Co. | 2.75 |
| 1/24/38 | Goff & Page | 35.00 |
| 10/15/35 | Carl E. Hammond | 8.20 |
| 3/30/34 | Highland Market | .70 |
| 3/26/32-9/1/33 | Munson Steamship Line | 1,803.41 |
| 2/1/32-12/7/32 | William H. Muller & Co. | 182.00 |
| 5/18/34 | New City Market | 7.47 |
| 5/10/38-5/10/38 | John J. Orr & Son, Inc. | 63.00 |
| 12/8/33 | M. Shore & Company | 1.71 |
| 2/27/37 | Frank C. Stander | 17.50 |
| 3/13/38 | Alexander Thomson | 90.75 |
| 10/10/39 | Alexander Thomson | 16.00 |
| 7/20/31 | U. S. Collector of Customs | 14.80 |
| 7/22/31 | U. S. Collector of Customs | 6.00 |

No. 13. Resolution Allocating Sixty-five Hundred (\$6500.00) Dollars to General Public Assistance Project for Cleaning and Maintenance.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Whereas, By annual appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, certain sums of money were appropriated for General Public Assistance, and

Whereas, The Director of Public Welfare and the Budget Di-

rector, by virtue of authority conferred upon them by Chapter 1182 of the Ordinances approved April 10, 1943, have approved the following allocation,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That from the sum appropriated for General Public Assistance Unallocated—Item 0, Personal Services, in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, the sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6500.00) dollars, be and is hereby allocated for work on the project listed as "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the authority granted by this Resolution shall expire March 31, 1944. And said sum of money allocated by this Resolution shall be charged to the account as set up for said project.

No. 14. Resolution Extending Best Wishes to Councilman Howard Presel.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Whereas, Howard Presel, a member of this august body, has entered the services of his Country as a member of the Armed Forces,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That this body extend to its colleague best wishes for a safe and speedy return.

No. 15. Resolution Extending Sympathy to Councilman McLaughlin.

(Approved January 7, 1944.)

Whereas, The late James H. McLaughlin, father of our colleague, Henry J. McLaughlin, has recently passed away, and

Whereas, He was the oldest member of the Knights of Columbus in the City of Providence,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That this body extend to Councilman McLaughlin and the members of his family condolences in their hour of bereavement.

No. 16. Nineteenth Annual Report of the Employees' Retirement System of the City of Providence for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 1943, Is Received.

No. 17. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for October, 1943, Is Received.

No. 18. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for November, 1943, Is Received.

No. 19. Election of Victor H. Frazier as a Member of the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1947.

No. 20. Election of Earl C. Sylvander as a Member of the Charles H. Smith Estate for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1948.

No. 21. Appointment of Joseph C. Scuncio as a Member of the Bureau of Police and Fire for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1947, Is Read and Approved.

No. 22. Appointment of Michael N. Cardarelli as a Member of the Board of Tax Assessors for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1947, Is Read and Approved.

No. 23. Appointment of Joseph C. O'Connell, M. D., as a Member of the Board of Hospital Commissioners for the Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1946, Is Read and Approved.

No. 24. Appointment of Lucius C. Kingman, M. D., as a Member of the Board of Hospital Commissioners for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1947, Is Read and Approved.

No. 25. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending December 18, 1943, December 25, 1943 and January 1, 1944, Are Received.

No. 26. Report Upon the Business of the Police Court from the First Day of January, 1943, to the First Day of January, 1944, Is Received.

No. 27. Report from the City Clerk for the Quarter Ending December 31, 1943, Is Received.

No. 28. Report from the City Clerk for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1943, Is Received.

No. 29. Report from City Sergeant Acting as City Messenger for the Month of November, 1943, Is Received.

No. 30. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 31. Ninety-seventh Annual Report of the City Auditor for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 1943, Is Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

JANUARY 20, 1944.

No. 32. Resolution Protesting the Closing of Certain Fire Stations.

(Approved January 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That this Body go on record as protesting the proposed action of the Bureau of Police and Fire in regards to immediate closing of the Fire Stations located on Greenwich, Central and Mill streets.

No. 33. Resolution Authorizing Payment for Anti-Rabic Treatments in Accordance with the Attached Bill Approved by the Superintendent of Health.

(Approved January 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the sum of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars be allowed for payment to William P. Shields, M. D., 164 Academy avenue, Providence, R. I., for the full course of Anti-Rabic Treatments given to the following:

Mr. Patsy Castore, 38 Patton Ave.

in accordance with the attached bill approved by the Superintendent of Health.

The above payment is authorized under the authority of Chapter 639 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1938.

No. 34. Ordinance, See Chapter 1230.

No. 35. Ordinance, See Chapter 1231.

No. 36. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$2,368.16 Is Approved.

No. 37. Communication from Public Service Engineer Enclosing Bill of the Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting During the Month of December, 1943, in the Amount of \$23,809.75, Is Received and Bill Approved.

No. 38. Report Upon the Activities of the Special Committee on Municipal Celebration of Christmas, 1943, Is Received.

No. 39. Communication Certifying That on January 7, 1944, Michael N. Cardarelli Was Elected Chairman of the Board of Tax Assessors for the Ensuing Year 1944 Is Received.

No. 40. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See Files of City Council.)

Nos. 41-42. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on Peneral Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and WPA and SUR Projects for the Period Ended December 31, 1943 Are Received.

No. 43. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for December, 1943 Is Received.

No. 44. Seventieth Annual Report of the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds Is Received.

No. 45. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for December, 1943 Is Received.

No. 46. Annual Report of the Bureau of Police and Fire for Year Ending September 30, 1943 Is Received.

No. 47. Report of the Bureau of Police and Fire for the Quarter Ending January 1, 1944, Is Received.

No. 48. Annual Report of the North Burial Ground for the Year 1943 Is Received.

No. 49. Report of the Harbor Master for the Quarter Ending December 31, 1943 Is Received.

No. 50. Report of the Director of Public Welfare Showing Receipts and Expenditures for the Month of December, 1943 Is Received.

No. 51. Weekly Reports of the Director of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending January 8 and 15, 1944, Are Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

FEBRUARY 3, 1944.

No. 52. Ordinance, See Chapter 1232.

No. 53. Ordinance, See Chapter 1233.

No. 54. Ordinance, See Chapter 1234.

No. 55. Resolution Authorizing and Directing the Superintendent of Public Buildings to Construct a Suitable Service Flag and Plaque to Be Located on Exchange Terrace.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Superintendent of Public Buildings is hereby authorized and directed to construct on City Hall Park in the vicinity of Exchange Terrace in the City of Providence, a suitable service flag upon which would be indicated by numerals the number of residents of the City of Providence who have entered the armed services of the United States of America; and also to provide at the base of said service flag, a suitable plaque or honor roll upon which would be kept listed the names of all those residents of the City of Providence who have died in the service of their country in the present war.

The location and construction of said service flag and plaque, together with all plans and specifications therefor, shall be subject to the prior approval of the Board of Park Commissioners of the City of Providence, and the cost thereof shall be charged to the Purchasing Department Revolving fund.

No. 56. Resolution Authorizing the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 37 on Plat No. 97 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1940, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 26th, 1942, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of

record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Joseph Famiglietti of \$99.96 for Lot No. 37 on Plat No. 97 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Joseph Famiglietti for the price herein approved.

No. 57. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 556 on Plat No. 2 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1934, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 19th, 1936, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Edgar J. Wholey and William F. Wholey of \$594.24 for Lot No. 556 on Plat No. 2 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days,

the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Edgar J. Wholey and William F. Wholey for the price herein approved.

No. 58. Resolution Directing the City Treasurer to Pay and Cancel Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$350,000.00) Dollars in Notes Outstanding Against PWA Docket 1159-F (Water Works System.)

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer is hereby directed to pay and cancel all notes outstanding against P. W. A. Docket 1159-F (Water Works System), totaling Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$350,000.00) Dollars, the funds for said payment and cancellation to be transferred to the City of Providence from the account "Sinking Fund for Redemption of City Debt—Water," in accordance with vote of the Commissioners of Sinking Funds at a meeting held on January 18, 1944.

No. 59. Resolution Granting Permission to Giovanni and Vincenza Pagliaro, 393 Cranston Street, to Install Three Gasoline Pumps.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following named person, firm or corporation is hereby granted permission to erect, alter or use a building or structure at the location named herein for the sale of petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil and their products, compounds and components as described and shown in and on the application therefor and accompanying plat, all on file in the

office of the Inspector of Buildings subject to the conditions that said person, firm or corporation shall not violate any of the laws of the State of Rhode Island or any of the Ordinances of the City of Providence relative to the erection, use or occupation of said structure and that said person, firm or corporation shall not allow petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil or their products, compounds or components, to be conveyed over or across any sidewalk by means of any pipe or hose, and upon such special conditions as are hereby enumerated, viz.:

Giovanni and Vincenza Pagliaro, 393 Cranston street, Plat 36, Lot 219; 3 pumps.

The erection or location of any buildings or structures not shown on the original plat on file with the Inspector of Buildings or any change in the location of buildings or structures from that shown on said plat shall be deemed a violation of this permit.

No. 60. Resolution on the Life and Character of the Late Judge Frank L. Hanley.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Minute on the life and character of the late Judge Frank L. Hanley, be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council.

MINUTE

Whereas, Frank L. Hanley was born in the Olneyville section of the City of Providence, September 19, 1867, the son of Luke and Bridget (Connell) Hanley.

Judge Hanley was educated in the Johnston Public Schools, Mt. Pleasant Academy, Classical High School and Brown University. He studied law at the Rhode Island Law School and was admitted to the Bar in 1902.

For many years he maintained Law offices in the Olneyville

Section of the City, where he became a member of the Olneyville Business Men's Association, and later served as its President. He was also affiliated with the Rhode Island Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and the Hope Council, Knights of Columbus.

Judge Hanley was noted for his fair administration of the law in his determination to treat the offender and the offended, fairly. His courteous and gentlemanly manners were among his outstanding characteristics.

Judge Hanley's death is lamented by his associates, his friends and by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. The City of Providence and the members of this City Council mourn the loss of a public servant, a Civic and Social leader of the community.

Nos. 61-64 inc. Resolutions Accepting Certain Gifts to the North Burial Ground Fund.

(Approved February 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following gifts of the following sums of money, to the Board of Park Commissioners, in trust, the income thereof to be applied, under the provisions of Chapter 367 of the Public Laws, January Session 1861, to the preservation and care of the following specified burial lots in said ground be and the same are hereby respectively accepted as follows, viz.:

Bertha Haney, Clara Hodgson, Emily Scott, Axel Peterson and wife Alma, Joint tenants, Carl A. Larson, Christ Pakuris, et al., John O. Carlson and Agnes O. Olson, Charles T. Smith, Charles H. Ward and wife Sarah, Thomas J. Sutton, Everett C. Scott and wife Agnes, George and Peter Salaman, Joseph Williams, Paul Ouloosian, Annie M. Regius, Lydia Gaunt, John H. Edmondson and wife Bertha S., Florence May Still, et al., James D. Coutcher, Victor Westberg and wife Maude I., Elizabeth M. Bowers and Lucile B. Keegan, Mary Louise Costello, Thomas Edgar Barnes and wife Elizabeth, Ernest Jernquist and wife Edna M.

No. 65. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List, See City Council Files.)

No. 66. Election of James M. Gillrain as Police Court Justice for the Remainder of the Term Ending on the First Monday in January, 1945.

No. 67. Appointment of Thomas A. Cahir as a Member of the Board of Canvassers and Registration for the Term Ending on the First Monday in March, 1947 Is Approved.

No. 68. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Read and Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 69. Communication from the Water Supply Board Certifying That John J. Clark Has Been Re-elected as Chairman of Said Board and John J. Deary Has Been Appointed as Secretary.

No. 70. Communication from Bureau of Police and Fire Advising That the Oath of Police Constable for the Year 1944 Has Been Administered to Councilman Charles H. O'Connor.

No. 71. Annual Report of Department of Recreation for 1943 Is Received.

No. 72. Report of the City Sergeant, Acting as City Messenger, for the Month of December, 1943 Is Received.

No. 73. Report of the Bureau of Police and Fire Relative to the Proposed Discontinuance of Certain Fire Stations.

Nos. 74-75. Weekly Reports from the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending January 22, and January 29, 1944 Are Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

FEBRUARY 17, 1944.

No. 76. Ordinance, See Chapter 1235.

No. 77. Ordinance, See Chapter 1236.

No. 78. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Hilarity Street.

(Approved February 18, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 173 on Plat No. 113 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1940, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 26th, 1942, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Augustus S. Bartlett of \$189.81 for Lot No. 173 on Plat No. 113 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Augustus S. Bartlett for the price herein approved.

No. 79. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Marietta Street.

(Approved February 18, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in

writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 466 on Plat No. 71 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1936, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 24th, 1938, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Agnes I. Bruno of \$352.43 for Lot No. 466 on Plat No. 71 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Agnes I. Bruno for the price herein approved.

No. 80. Resolution Appointing Michele Giordano a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

(Approved February 18, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That Michele Giordano, 12 Quince street, be and he is hereby appointed a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise for the remainder of the term ending on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1945.

No. 81. Resolution on the Life and Character of the Late Councilman Axel H. Helander.

(Approved February 18, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of the late Axel Hjalmar Helander, who died February 7, 1944,

be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council, and a copy thereof transmitted to his family.

MINUTE

Axel Hjalmar Helander was born in Vastergotland, Sweden, June 27, 1872, and came to this country 56 years ago, a year later taking up his residence in Providence. He was a tool engineer by trade and worked at the Universal Winding Company for 40 years, retiring in 1939.

His keen interest in civic affairs led to his election to the Common Council from the Fifth Ward in 1913, and from then until 1931 he served as Councilman from the Fifth, Sixth and Ninth Wards successively. In 1912-1913 he served on the School Committee, and was again elected a member of that committee in 1937 and served until 1941 when he retired because of poor health.

Mr. Helander was a leader among Scandinavian-Americans in Rhode Island, serving for a number of years as President of the National Committee of Swedish Churches in Providence. He was a member of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in this city and served the church in various capacities.

Honest, sincere, with unflinching courtesy and kindness, Mr. Helander was admired and respected by all with whom he came into contact. He was deeply interested in all problems confronting the City and during his years in public office his judgment and counsel was sought and respected by his colleagues. He endeavored to give his best to the city, and his death is a distinct loss not only to his friends and associates, but to the citizens of the City as a whole.

No. 82. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms, and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence, Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List, See City Council Files.)

No. 83. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$2,690.28 Is Approved.

No. 84. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 85. Report of the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits for the Quarter Ended December 31, 1943 Is Received.

No. 86. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for January, 1944 Is Received.

No. 87. Report of the Director of Public Welfare for the Month of January, 1944 Showing Receipts and Expenditures Is Received.

No. 88. Reports from Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended February 5 and 12, 1944 Are Severally Received.

Nos. 89-90. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and W. P. A. and S. U. R. Projects for the Period Ended January 31, 1944 Are Severally Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

MARCH 2, 1944.

No. 91. Ordinance, See Chapter 1237.

No. 92. Ordinance, See Chapter 1238.

No. 93. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Clym Street.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lots No. 355, 356, and 357 on Plat No. 70 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns

or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at public auction unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

If said real estate is not redeemed within thirty days of said notification in accordance to the law thereto appertaining, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell same to the highest bidder at public auction.

No. 94. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Day Street.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 335 on Plat No. 50 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1939, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 27th, 1941, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at public auction unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

If said real estate is not redeemed within thirty days of said notification in accordance to the law thereto appertaining, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell same to the highest bidder at public auction.

No. 95. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Home Avenue.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in

writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 285 on Plat No. 116 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1936, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 24th, 1938, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Joseph P. Lovett of \$70.20 for Lot No. 285 on Plat No. 116 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Joseph P. Lovett for the price herein approved.

No. 96. Resolution Requesting the Bureau of Police and Fire to Make Regulations for Advertising Applications for Kennel Licenses.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Bureau of Police and Fire be and it is hereby requested to regulate the granting of kennel licenses by providing that before granting such a license to any person, notice by advertisement shall be published in some newspaper published in the City of Providence for such period of time prior to the hearing date as the Bureau may deem sufficient to give to owners and occupants of property in the vicinity of the proposed location, knowledge of the application and an opportunity to be heard thereon. The advertisement so published shall contain the name of the applicant, the type of license requested, and a description

by street and number, or other plain designation of the particular location for which the license is requested. Said notice shall state that remonstrants are entitled to be heard before the granting of such license, and shall name the time and place of the hearing.

No. 97. Resolution Authorizing the Acting Mayor of the City of Providence to Execute a Deed Conveying to Maria Costantino a Certain Triangular Parcel of Land, Being a Portion of Triggs Memorial Park, in Accordance with Chapter 1969 of the Public Laws of 1932.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor, the Acting Mayor, is hereby authorized to execute a deed conveying to Maria Costantino, wife of Pietro Costantino, that certain triangular parcel of land being a portion of Triggs Memorial Park, now dedicated for park purposes, in accordance with the provisions of and by virtue of the authority granted by Chapter 1969 of the Public Laws of the State of Rhode Island, passed at the January session, 1932, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the easterly boundary line of said park forty-eight and seventy-one one hundredths (48.71) feet northerly from Chalkstone avenue, measured along the easterly boundary line of said park; thence northerly deflecting to the left $22^{\circ} 31'$, bounding westerly on other land of the city of Providence, forty-five (45) feet to a corner; thence easterly at right angles, bounding northerly on said city land eighteen and sixty-six one hundredths (18.66) feet to land of said Maria Costantino; thence southwesterly making an interior angle of $67^{\circ} 29'$, bounding southeasterly on said Costantino land, forty-eight and seventy-one one hundredths (48.71) feet to the point of beginning. Said parcel contains about 419.85 square feet of land.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That in consideration of the above conveyance from the City of Providence to said Maria Costantino, said Maria Costantino will convey and the City Council hereby accepts a deed from said Maria Costantino to the City of Providence for park purposes, of a certain triangular parcel of land adjoining Triggs Memorial Park, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of said Triggs memorial park; thence northeasterly making an interior angle of $67^{\circ} 29'$ with Chalkstone avenue, bounding northwesterly on said park, forty-eight and seventy-one one hundredths (48.71) feet to a corner; thence southerly making an interior angle of $22^{\circ} 31'$, bounding easterly on other land of said Maria Costantino, forty-five (45) feet to Chalkstone avenue; thence westerly at right angles, bounding southerly on Chalkstone avenue, eighteen and sixty-six one hundredths (18.66) feet to the place of beginning. Said parcel contains about 419.85 square feet of land.

No. 98. Resolution Directing the City Solicitor to Cause the Introduction and Urge Passage of an Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Convey a Parcel of Land, Being a Portion of Valley Street Playground on Barstow Street, Dedicated and Used for Park and Playground Purposes.

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Solicitor is hereby directed to cause to be introduced at the present session of the General Assembly and urge passage of an act substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft act.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, &C
IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

January Session, A. D. 1944.

AN ACT

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO CONVEY A SMALL PORTION OF VALLEY STREET PLAYGROUND NOW USED FOR PLAYGROUND PURPOSES.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. The Mayor of the City of Providence is hereby authorized to sell and convey for such consideration as may be deemed sufficient by the City Council of the City of Providence a small triangular parcel of land being a portion of Valley Street Playground, now used for playground purposes, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Barstow street, three hundred ninety-nine and twenty-one hundredths (399.20) feet easterly from the southeasterly corner of Barstow and Cutler streets, thence northeasterly and bounding northwesterly on Barstow street, seventy-seven and thirty-five one hundredths (77.35) feet to land now or formerly of Antonio Guiliano et ux Elizabeth, thence southerly, making an interior angle of $26^{\circ}-51'-03''$, and bounding easterly on land of said Antonio Guiliano et ux Elizabeth, fifty-six and twenty one hundredths to a corner, thence westerly, making an interior angle of $110^{\circ}-08'-22''$, and bounding southerly on land of the City of Providence, thirty-seven and twenty-one one hundredths (37.21) feet to Barstow street, and the point and place of beginning.

Said parcel contains 982 square feet of land.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

No. 99. Resolution Directing the City Solicitor to Appear Before the Present Session of the General Assembly Relative to the Introduction and Passage of an Act Authorizing the City of Providence to Abandon as Park Property a Certain Portion of "Columbia Park."

(Approved March 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Solicitor be and he hereby is directed to appear before the present session of the General Assembly, cause to be introduced and urge passage of an Act substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft Act which authorizes the City of Providence to abandon as a public park a certain portion of "Columbia Park", now dedicated for park purposes.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, &C

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

January Session, A. D. 1944

AN ACT

AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO ABANDON A PORTION OF "COLUMBIA PARK" AS A PUBLIC PARK AND TO USE THE SAME FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. The City of Providence is hereby authorized and empowered to abandon as a public park and use for highway purposes, that certain tract or parcel of land, being a portion of "Columbia Park", now dedicated for park purposes, designated by the letters A-C-D-E-F-G-A, and shown as a shaded area on the accompanying plan entitled, "Providence, R. I., City Engineer's Office, City Property Dep't., Feb. 9, 1944, 059387", bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Vermont avenue, at point marked "A" on said plan, thence in a general southerly direction in the arc of a curve, with a radius of fifty-six (56) feet and bounding northerly in part on Vermont avenue, easterly in part on Michigan avenue, and southerly in part on Vermont avenue, one hundred sixty-one and seventy-five one hundredths (161.75) feet to point marked "C" on said plan, thence easterly in the arc of a curve with a radius of fifty-six (56) feet and a central angle of $7^{\circ}-15'05''$ and bounding northerly on said Columbia Park, seven and nine one hundredths (7.09) feet to the point of a curve, at point marked "D" on said plan, thence in a general northerly direction in the arc of a curve, with a radius of eleven (11) feet, and bounding westerly on Columbia Park, fifteen and eighty-nine one hundredths (15.89) feet to the tangent point of said curve, at point marked "E" on said plan, thence northerly, and bounding westerly on said Columbia Park, eighty-nine and twenty-eight one hundredths (89.28) feet to the point of a compound curve, at point marked "F" on said plan, thence in a general northerly direction in the arc of said curve with a radius of eleven (11) feet, and bounding westerly on said Columbia Park, fifteen and eighty-nine one hundredths (15.89) feet to the tangent point of said curve at point marked "G" on said plan, thence westerly in the arc of another curve, with a radius of fifty-six (56) feet and a central angle of $7^{\circ}-15'-05''$ and bounding northerly on Vermont avenue, seven and nine one hundredths (7.09) feet to point marked "A" on said plan and the point and place of beginning.

Said parcel contains 3,118 sq. ft. of land.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect upon its passage.

No. 100. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List, See City Council Files.)

No. 101. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 102. Communication from Public Service Engineer Enclosing Bill of the Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting During the Month of January, 1944 in the Amount of \$23,777.39 Is Received and Bill Approved.

No. 103. Reports from Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended February 19 and February 26, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 104. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for January, 1944 Is Received.

No. 105. Report from the City Sergeant, Acting as City Messenger, for the Month of January, 1944 Is Received.

No. 106. Annual Report of the Board of Park Commissioners for the Year Ending September 30, 1943 Is Received.

No. 107. Resolution Accompanied by Petition Declaring That All Those Portions of Mark Lane, from South Water Street to South Main Street Be Abandoned as a Public Highway.

(Approved March 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, DECREED AND ORDERED, That all those portions of Mark lane, from South Water street to South Main street as defined by the shaded area on the accompanying plat entitled, "Providence, R. I. City Engineer's office, City Property Dept., February 2, 1944, 059384" have ceased to be useful to the public, and the same are abandoned as highway, and the damage to the abutters is appraised at nothing and so awarded, and it is further

ORDERED, That the Superintendent of Street Signs and Numbers be and he is hereby directed to cause a sign to be placed at each end of said Mark lane, abandoned as aforesaid, having thereon the words, "Not a Public Highway", and it is further

ORDERED, That after the entry of this order or decree the City Clerk shall cause a notice thereof to be published in a newspaper, for three successive weeks and a further and personal notice shall be served by the City Sergeant upon every owner of land abutting upon those parts of Mark lane, which have been abandoned, who is known to reside within this State.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

MARCH 16, 1944.

No. 108. Ordinance, See Chapter 1239.

No. 109. Ordinance, See Chapter 1240.

No. 110. Resolution Extending Felicitations to Irishmen and Their Descendants Serving in the Armed Forces.

(Approved March 18, 1944.)

Whereas, a large number of Irishmen and their descendants are fighting so bravely in the Armed forces of the United States and other allied nations; and

Whereas, a number have already made the supreme sacrifice, and many other deeds of personal heroism have been made by the sons of Irishmen, which has kept alive the honor of the Irish race;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That on the Anniversary of St. Patrick, this Body extends to all Irishmen and their descendants serving in the Armed forces, heartiest felicitations and a safe return.

No. 111. Resolution Allocating Sixty-five Hundred (\$6500.00) Dollars for Work on Project Listed as "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

(Approved March 18, 1944.)

Whereas, by annual appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, certain sums of money were appropriated for General Public Assistance, and

Whereas, the Director of Public Welfare and the Budget Director, by virtue of authority conferred upon them by Chapter 1182 of the Ordinances approved April 10, 1943, have approved the following allocation,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That from the sum appropriated for General Public Assistance Unallocated—Item 0, Personal Services, in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, the sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6500.00) dollars, be and is hereby allocated for work on the project listed as "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,

That the authority granted by this Resolution shall expire June 30, 1944. And said sum of money allocated by this Resolution shall be charged to the account as set up for said project.

No. 112. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Kentland Avenue.

(Approved March 18, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 148 on Plat No. 124 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Ida Brown of \$169.97 for Lot No. 148 on Plat No. 124 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty

days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Ida Brown for the price herein approved.

No. 113. Resolution on the Life and Character of
the Late Dr. William R. McGuirk.

(Approved March 18, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of the late Dr. William R. McGuirk, who died March 12, 1944, be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council, and a copy thereof transmitted to his family:

MINUTE

William R. McGuirk, M. D., was a native of Fitchburg, Mass., where he was born on April 29, 1871, son of the late Michael J. and Jane Crowley McGuirk, the family coming to Providence in 1884. He was graduated from Classical High School here in 1889, completed a two year course in Dartmouth pre-medical school, and graduated from Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1894. He served his internship at Rhode Island Hospital and continued for several years on the out-patient staff there. He later was associated with the staffs of the Homeopathic, Miriam, and St. Joseph's Hospitals, being made Chief of the Department of Gynecology when that department was formed at the latter institution. In the early years of his medical career Dr. McGuirk studied at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., and later traveled extensively abroad.

In June, 1936, he was awarded the degree of Doctor of Laws by Providence College, being cited for his work in "counteracting dangerous medical misconceptions which unscrupulous agencies have disseminated among the populace at large," and also cited as a "physician who has gained distinction through the earnest and conscientious pursuit of an important phase of medicine."

A member of St. Michael's parish, he was Chairman of the Catholic Charity Fund Appeal in 1941.

Dr. McGuirk held membership in the Providence, Rhode Island, and American Medical Associations, and in many fraternal and social organizations. He was a charter member of the Sons of Irish Kings and a member of the Doctors' Guild of Providence College.

He was appointed a member of the Board of Hospital Commissioners of the City of Providence on January 3, 1938, serving continuously until his death.

An eminent surgeon and honorable physician, Dr. McGuirk was a credit to his profession and an outstanding citizen of our community. His charitable nature and deep interest in his profession made him solicitous in promoting the welfare and comfort of his fellow men. His loss is deeply mourned by his many friends and associates. The City Council deplors the passing of one who served the people of his City and State so long and so well, and extends to his family this expression of profound sympathy in its bereavement.

No. 114. Nuisance Order Against Lucy Baccala, Being Owner of Premises at Lots 298 and 335, as Shown June 15, 1943 on Tax Assessors' Plat 112 in the City of Providence, Is Read and Order Issued.

No. 115. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Read and Granted. (For List See Files of the City Council.)

No. 116. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

Nos. 117-118. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and W. P. A. and S. U. R. Projects for the Period Ended February 29, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 119. Communication from Public Service Engineer Enclosing Bill of the Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting During the Month of February, 1944 in the Amount of \$23,860.06 Is Received and Bill Approved.

No. 120. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$1,979.09 Is Approved.

No. 121. Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending March 4 and 11, 1944 Are Received.

No. 122. Annual Report of the Water Supply Board for the Year Ended September 30, 1943 Is Received.

No. 123. Thirtieth Annual Report of the City Plan Commission for the Year 1943 Is Received.

No. 124. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for February, 1944 Is Received.

No. 125. Annual Report of the Director of Public Welfare for the Year 1943 Is Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

APRIL 6, 1944.

No. 126. Ordinance, See Chapter 1241.

No. 127. Ordinance, See Chapter 1242.

No. 128. Ordinance, See Chapter 1243.

No. 129. Ordinance, See Chapter 1244.

No. 130. Ordinance, See Chapter 1245.

No. 131. Ordinance, See Chapter 1246.

No. 132. Ordinance, See Chapter 1247.

No. 133. Resolution Condemning an Article in the
"Yardarm", Published by Walsh-Kaiser Company
at the Maritime Commission Shipyard.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

Whereas, the City of Providence, and the State of Rhode Island, owe much to citizens of Irish blood, and

Whereas, an illogical, scurrilous and defamatory article has been published in the Yardarm, a periodical issued by Walsh-Kaiser Company to their employees at the Maritime Commission Shipyard in Providence, said article ridiculing the Irish in their homelife and with respect to the manner of waking their dead;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members of the City Council of the City of Providence, speaking as representatives of the people of the City of Providence, deplore and object to said scurrilous and defamatory article, and protest to the Maritime Commission of the United States of America and demand that they take such steps as may be necessary to remove the individual responsible for this article from the possibility of

being able again to vent his spleen against people of Irish blood who reside in this City, whether it be Fox Point, South Providence or any other section of this City of freemen ;

And the City Council of the City of Providence further protests to the management of Walsh-Kaiser Company against their permitting articles of this nature to be printed in a periodical sponsored by the Walsh-Kaiser Company and paid for by that company ;

And Whereas, in a recent issue of the Yardarm published during the week, the writer of this scurrilous article explains his position, but does not apologize for his assault upon the integrity, the manners and the decency of the Irish people who reside in this City ;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the City Council of the City of Providence, respectfully suggest to the Walsh-Kaiser Company that he be removed from any position in the Walsh-Kaiser organization that will afford him the opportunity to assail the Irish people at will, either verbally or by the printed word.

No. 134. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Taudvin Court.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot 320 on Plat No. 8 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1936, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 24th, 1938, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will

be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by the Rhode Island Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children of \$144.56 for Lot No. 320 on Plat No. 8, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Rhode Island Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children for the price herein approved.

No. 135. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Radcliffe Avenue.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lots No. 274 and 275 on Plat No. 120 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held on March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Max J. Richter of the following amounts for said lots:

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| Plat 120 Lot 274 Amount offered | \$214.05 |
| Plat 120 Lot 275 Amount offered | 219.21 |
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| | \$423.26 |

and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Max J. Richter for the prices herein approved for each lot.

No. 136. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Courtland Street.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 229 on Plat No. 33 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1940, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 26th, 1942, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Paul Carcieri of \$160.14 for Lot No. 229 on Plat No. 33 and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Paul Carcieri for the price herein approved.

No. 137. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Julian Street.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lots 367 and 368 on Plat No. 62 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1936, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held on February 24th, 1938, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Frank C. Supinski and wife Josephine Supinski of the following amounts for said lots:

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| Plat 62 Lot 367 | Amount offered | \$539.17 |
| Plat 62 Lot 368 | Amount offered | 66.59 |
| | | \$605.76 |

and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Frank C. Supinski and wife Josephine Supinski for the prices herein approved for each lot.

No. 138. Resolution Granting Permission to James Siegal to Clean by Steam Process the City Hall Hardware Company Building.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and is hereby granted to James

Siegal to clean by steam process the exterior masonry wall of the City Hall Hardware Company building located at 150 Washington street, Providence, R. I.; said work to be done under the direction of the Inspector of Buildings.

No. 139. Resolution Granting Permission to the Smith Estates Corporation to Clean by Steam Process the Smith Building.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Smith Estates Corporation to clean by steam process the exterior masonry wall of the Smith Building, located at 57 Eddy street, Providence, R. I.; said work to be done under the direction of the Inspector of Buildings.

No. 140. Resolution Appointing Joseph R. Conway a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That Joseph R. Conway, 134 Sharon street, be and he is hereby appointed a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise for the remainder of the term ending on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1945.

No. 141. Resolution Refunding to Harry C. S. Merry the Sum of \$27.00.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Harry C. S. Merry the sum of Twenty-

seven Dollars (\$27.00) be refunded, said sum representing amount paid for 1943 Tangible Personal Property Tax erroneously assessed, said payment to be made in accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Tax Assessors dated December 27, 1943 and as certified to by the City Treasurer's Office; said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 142. Resolution Refunding to Michael Montrond the Sum of \$2.25.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Michael Montrond the sum of Two Dollars and Twenty-five Cents (\$2.25) be refunded, said sum representing amount paid for 1938 Poll Tax, plus demand and warrant charges, by reason of said petitioner being assessed and having paid during the same period, a Tangible Personal Property Tax; said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 143. Resolution Refunding to Aharon M. Kalashian the Sum of \$2.83.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Aharon M. Kalashian the sum of Two Dollars and Eighty-three Cents (\$2.83) be refunded, said sum representing amount paid for 1941 Tangible Personal Property Tax erroneously assessed; said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 144. Resolution Refunding to Frank Schwartz
the Sum of \$1.00.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Frank Schwartz the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) be refunded, representing amount for 1943 Poll Tax assessed and paid in duplicate due to different spelling in said assessment, as set forth in the Board of Tax Assessors' statement of January 31, 1944; said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 145. Resolution Refunding to Yettie Schwartz
the Sum of \$1.00.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Yettie Schwartz the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) be refunded representing amount for 1943 Poll Tax assessed and paid in duplicate due to different spelling in said assessment as set forth in the Board of Tax Assessors' statement of January 31, 1944; said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence, according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 146. Resolution Refunding to the Industrial
Trust Company and Henry W. Nuckols, Trustees
u/w of Milton J. Budlong the Sum of \$800.50.

(Approved April 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to the Industrial Trust Company and Henry W. Nuckols, Trustees u/w of Milton J. Budlong the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$800.50) be refunded,

said sum representing overpayment of 1943 Real Estate Taxes; said taxes having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction filed with the City Council on February 8, 1944, said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 147. Petitions of A. Soullier, Manuel Perry, John A. Souto, Jr., Manuel Viara, Jr., William M. R. Brown, Manuel Rose, John A. Souto, George M. Ryan, Manuel L. Mello, Tony Merrill, Hector Blais, Louis Propatier, W. A. Elderkin, Jr., Joseph Viara, Charles M. Pray, Jr., Herbert B. Henry to Remove Swill and Offal Are Read and Granted.

No. 148. Narragansett Electric Company Street Lighting Bill for the Month of March, 1944 in the Amount of \$23,871.00 Is Approved.

No. 149. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Read and Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 150. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for February, 1944 Is Received.

No. 151. Quarterly Report of the City Clerk for the Period Ending March 31, 1944 Is Received.

No. 152. Report of the City Sergeant, Acting as City Messenger, for the Month of February, 1944 Is Received.

No. 153. Annual Report of the Public Service Engineer for the Year Ending December 31, 1943 Is Received.

No. 154. Reports from Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending March 18, March 25 and April 1, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 155. Budget of the School Committee for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945 Is Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

APRIL 20, 1944.

No. 156. Ordinance, See Chapter 1248.

No. 157. Ordinance, See Chapter 1249.

No. 158. Ordinance, See Chapter 1250.

No. 159. Ordinance, See Chapter 1251.

No. 160. Ordinance, See Chapter 1252.

No. 161. Ordinance, See Chapter 1253.

No. 162. Ordinance, See Chapter 1254.

No. 163. Resolution Accompanied by Petition Declaring a Portion of Ardoene Street Be Abandoned as a Public Highway.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, DECREED AND ORDERED, That all that portion of Ardoene street, shown as shaded area and designated by the letters A-B-C-D on the accompanying plan entitled, "Providence, R. I. City Engineer's Office, City Property Dep't., July 15, 1943, 059293", has ceased to be useful to the public, and the same is abandoned as a highway, and the damage to the abutters is appraised at nothing and so awarded, and it is further

ORDERED, That the Superintendent of Street Signs and Numbers be and he is hereby directed to cause a sign to be placed at each end of said Ardoene street, abandoned as aforesaid,

having thereon the words, "Not a Public Highway", and it is further

ORDERED, That after the entry of this order or decree the City Clerk shall cause a notice thereof to be published in a newspaper, published in the County of Providence, at least once each week for three successive weeks and a further and personal notice shall be served by the City Sergeant upon every owner of land abutting upon those parts of Ardoene street, which have been abandoned, who is known to reside within this state.

No. 164. Resolution Commending the Aims and Purposes of the Catholic Charity Fund Appeal, 1944.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

Whereas, the Eighteenth Annual Catholic Charity Fund Appeal is to be held between May 7th and 17th, 1944; and

Whereas, the poor, the afflicted and the unfortunate of our City, irrespective of creed, race or color are assisted by the various Agencies operating under the Catholic Charity Fund appeal; and

Whereas, during these times of economic stress, the costs of the operation and maintenance of the various Agencies have greatly increased; and

Whereas, Post-war plans have been made for additional Agencies to care for the extra burdens resulting from the War;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence hereby commends the very worthy charitable aims and purposes of the Catholic Charity Fund Appeal, and urges the citizens of the City of Providence to more than ever in these trying times to give their utmost assistance, and hereby respectfully extend to the Most Reverend Francis P. Keough, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Providence, and to

the Honorable Francis J. McCabe, Lay Chairman, and the many group leaders and workers of the Eighteenth Annual Catholic Charity Fund Appeal, best wishes for complete success, and directs the City Clerk to transmit a duly Certified Copy of this Resolution to the Most Reverend Francis P. Keough, D. D., Roman Catholic Bishop of Providence, and to the Honorable Francis J. McCabe, Lay Chairman.

No. 165. Resolution Refunding to Frank J. Shields and Anna E. Shields the Sum of \$25.00.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Frank J. Shields and Anna E. Shields the sum of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1943 Real Estate Taxes, said taxes having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council on March 9, 1944; said sum of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 166. Resolution Relative to Sale of Rochambeau Avenue School Site.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute a deed to Richard I. Reid, of Providence, of Lot 159 on Assessors' Plat 93, being that certain tract or parcel of land with all buildings and improvements thereon situated at the north-easterly corner of Hope street and Rochambeau avenue, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Hope street and Rochambeau avenue, thence northerly and bounding westerly on Hope street, two hundred fifty-two and thirty one hundredths (252.30) feet to land now or formerly of John A. Gormly and Helen Gormly, thence easterly at a right angle and bounding northerly in part on land of said John A. Gormly and Helen Gormly, and in part on land now or formerly of Richard I. Reid, et ux., Florence, two hundred sixteen and fifty-five one hundredths (216.55) feet to Stanley street, thence southerly at a right angle and bounding easterly on Stanley street, one hundred fifty-eight and twenty-four one hundredths (158.24) feet to the northerly line of Rochambeau avenue, thence westerly making an interior angle of $113^{\circ}-28'-30''$ and bounding southerly on Rochambeau avenue, two hundred thirty-six and nine one hundredths (236.09) feet to the northeasterly corner of Hope street and Rochambeau avenue and the point and place of beginning.

Said parcel contains 44,451 square feet of land.

Said parcel is shown as shaded area and designated by the letters A-B-C-D on the accompanying plan, entitled "Providence, R. I. City Engineer's Office, City Property Dep't. April 14, 1944, 059402."

The consideration for said deed shall be the sum of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars.

No. 167. Resolution Relative to Sale of Lot 120, Plat 88, Elmwood Avenue and Roger Williams Avenue.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute a deed to Elmwood Post Memorial Association, of Lot 120 on Assessors' Plat 88, being that certain tract or parcel

of land with all buildings and improvements thereon, situated at the southeasterly corner of Elmwood avenue and Roger Williams avenue, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of Elmwood avenue and Roger Williams avenue, thence easterly and bounding northerly on Roger Williams avenue, one hundred ninety (190) feet to land now or formerly of Atlantic Refining Company, thence southerly, making an interior angle of $90^{\circ}-02'-00''$, and bounding easterly on said land of Atlantic Refining Company, one hundred (100) feet to other land of Atlantic Refining Company, thence westerly, making an interior angle of $89^{\circ}-58'-00''$, and bounding southerly on said land of Atlantic Refining Company, one hundred ninety (190) feet to the easterly line of Elmwood avenue, thence northerly, making an interior angle of $90^{\circ}-02'-00''$ and bounding westerly on Elmwood avenue, one hundred (100) feet to the southeasterly corner of Elmwood avenue and Roger Williams avenue, and the point and place of beginning.

Said parcel contains 19,000 square feet of land.

Said parcel is shown as a shaded area on the accompanying plan, entitled "Providence, R. I. City Engineer's Office, City Property Dep't. April 13, 1944, 059401" and is designated by the letters D-A-B-C.

The consideration for said deed shall be the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.00) Dollars.

No. 168. Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Renewal of a Lease to Swift & Company for a Term of One (1) Year.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute a renewal of lease to Swift & Company, of Illinois, of the premises now occupied by said Corporation over the bed

of the Moshassuck river on Canal street, under a lease dated May 14, 1943, for a term of one (1) year at a rental of \$1328.00 per annum, payable quarterly in advance, substantially in accordance with the terms of the existing lease, so far as the same may be applicable to this renewal; except that the City of Providence may terminate the same upon thirty days' notice in writing in the event that the property is required for public use. (For copy of lease see Files of City Council.)

No. 169. Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Renewal of Lease to Providence Fruit & Produce Building, Inc.

(Approved April 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute a renewal of a lease to Providence Fruit and Produce Building, Inc., for a term of one (1) year from the first day of April, A. D. 1944 to the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1945, upon the same terms and conditions as set forth in the present lease. (For copy of lease see City Council Files.)

No. 170. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Read and Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

Nos. 171-172. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects; W. P. A. and S. U. R. Projects for the Period Ended March 31, 1944 Are Received.

No. 173. Petition of Mrs. Albert Shore, et al., for Immediate Relief from Health Menace Caused by Increasing Number of Large Rodents in the East Side Section of the City Is Received.

No. 174. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Read and Granted. (For List See Files of the City Council.)

No. 175. Two Hundred and Sixtieth Quarterly Report of the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds Is Received.

No. 176. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for March, 1944 Is Received.

No. 177. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for March, 1944 Is Received.

No. 178. Quarterly Report of the Bureau of Police and Fire for the Period Ended April 1, 1944 Is Received.

No. 179. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$2,439.41 Is Approved.

No. 180. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended April 8, and April 15 Are Received.

No. 181. Quarterly Report of the Harbor Master for the Period Ended March 31, 1944 Is Received.

No. 182. Report of the City Sergeant Acting as City Messenger for the Month of March, 1944 Is Received.

No. 183. Report of the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits for the Quarter Ended March 31, 1944 Is Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

MAY 5, 1944.

No. 184. Ordinance, See Chapter 1255.

No. 185. Ordinance, See Chapter 1256.

No. 186. Ordinance, See Chapter 1257.

No. 187. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Prairie Avenue.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 256 on Plat No. 23 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Grace Clear of \$618.29 for Lot No. 256 on Plat No. 23, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Grace Clear for the price herein approved.

No. 188. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Chambers Street.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 219 on Plat No. 43 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Over Gustaf Peterson and May G. E. Peterson of \$103.11 for Lot No. 219 on Plat No. 43, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Over Gustaf Peterson and May G. E. Peterson for the price herein approved.

No. 189. Resolution Creating a Special Committee of the City Council for the Purpose of Arranging a Proper Municipal Celebration for the Fourth of July, 1944.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a Special Committee consisting of five (5) members of the City Council to be appointed by the President thereof is hereby created for the purpose of arranging a proper Municipal Celebration of Fourth of July, 1944; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the expenses of said Committee be charged to the Appropriation for Public Celebrations, authorized by Ordinance 414, Chapter 1205, approved September 23, 1943.

No. 190. Resolution Providing for the Assessment and Collection of 1944 Taxes "In the Sum Not Less Than \$13,150,000.00 Nor More Than \$13,400,000.00."

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence hereby orders the assessment and collection of a tax on the ratable real estate and tangible personal property and ratable intangible personal property (the tax on ratable intangible property to be at the rate of forty cents on each one hundred dollars of the value thereof) "in a sum not less than \$13,150,000 nor more than \$13,400,000"; said tax is for ordinary expenses, charges and sinking funds, for the payment of interest and indebtedness in whole or in part of said City, and for other purposes authorized by law.

The Board of Assessors shall assess and apportion said tax on the inhabitants and ratable property of said City as of the fifteenth day of June, A. D. 1944, at twelve o'clock noon, Eastern War Time, according to law, and shall, on completion of said assessment, date and sign the same, and shall make out and certify to the City Treasurer of the City of Providence on or before the fifteenth day of September, A. D. 1944, a complete list of the names of the persons taxed and of the total value of all the real estate taxed to each person, also the amount of personal estate assessed against each person, and also the total amount of the tax assessed against each person on said real estate and personal estate, opposite the name of the person or persons assessed, the assessment of real estate and of personal estate to appear in separate columns in said list. Said tax shall be due and payable on and between the 2nd day of October, next, and the twenty-sixth day of October, A. D. 1944, next, and all taxes remaining unpaid on said last named day shall carry until collected a penalty at the rate of eight per centum per annum upon such unpaid taxes. Provided, however, said tax may be paid in four installments, the first installment of twenty-five per centum on or before the

twenty-sixth day of October, A. D. 1944, and the remaining installments as follows: twenty-five per centum on the twenty-fifth day of January, A. D. 1945; twenty-five per centum on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1945; and twenty-five per centum on the twenty-fifth day of July, A. D. 1945. Each installment of taxes, if paid on or before the last day of each installment period successively and in order, shall be free from any charge for interest. If the first installment or any succeeding installment of taxes is not paid by the last date of the respective installment period or periods as they occur, then the whole tax or remaining unpaid balance of the tax, as the case may be, shall immediately become due and payable and shall carry until collected a penalty at the rate of eight per centum per annum. The City Treasurer shall, by advertisement in the public newspapers of the City, notify all persons assessed to pay their respective taxes at his office on and between the said 2nd and twenty-sixth days of October, A. D. 1944, both days inclusive; said Treasurer shall attend daily during said periods, Sundays and holidays excepted, at his office from nine o'clock A. M. to five o'clock P. M. to receive said taxes; except Saturdays when he shall attend from nine o'clock A. M. to twelve o'clock noon, with the exception of Saturday, October twenty-first, when the hours shall be from nine o'clock A. M. to five o'clock P. M.

No. 191. Resolution Refunding to William A. Slack the Sum of \$8.60 Representing Overpayment of a Portion of 1943 Taxes.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to William A. Slack the sum of Eight Dollars and Sixty (\$8.60) Cents be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1943 tax assessed against said William A. Slack, said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council; said sum of Eight Dollars and Sixty (\$8.60) Cents to be paid

in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 192. Resolution Refunding to William Ingham, Jr., the Sum of \$1.25 Representing Overpayment of 1942 Poll Tax.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to William Ingham, Jr., the sum of One Dollar and Twenty-five (\$1.25) Cents be refunded, said sum representing payment of 1942 Poll Tax and charges paid twice through error; said sum of One Dollar and Twenty-five (\$1.25) Cents to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 193. Resolution Refunding to H. Jack Feibelman the Sum of \$1.00 Representing 1943 Poll Tax Erroneously Assessed.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to H. Jack Feibelman the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) be refunded, said sum representing payment of 1943 Poll Tax erroneously assessed in view of the fact the Board of Assessors certify that H. Jack Feibelman was a member of the Armed Forces; said sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 194. Resolution Granting Permission to Alice Building, Inc. to Clean Building at 236 Westminster Street.

(Approved May 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Alice Building, Inc., to clean by steam process the exterior masonry wall of the building located at 236 Westminster street, Providence, R. I., said work to be done under the direction of the Inspector of Buildings.

No. 195. Appointment of John F. Quirk as a Member of the Board of Park Commissioners for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in May, 1947 Is Read and Approved.

No. 196. Appointment of William E. McCabe, Esq., as City Solicitor for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in May, 1946 Is Read and Approved.

No. 197. Communication from His Honor the Acting Mayor Advising the City Council of the Appointment of Alexander Addeo as Inspector of Buildings by the Bureau of Police and Fire and That Said Appointment Has Been Approved by the Acting Mayor Is Received.

No. 198. Communication Is Received to the Effect That the Following Councilmen Have Been Appointed to a Standing Committee Known as "Dr. Charles V. Chapin Memorial Award Committee": Frederick S. Barnes, John F. Brock, Valentine H. Mariani, John W. Moakler, Jr., and Charles B. Coppen.

No. 199. Reports of the City Treasurer Upon the Surrender of Coupon Bonds Covering the Period from August, 1943, Through December, 1943 and January, 1944 Through April, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 200. Reports of the Acting Chairman of the Committee on Finance Upon the Surrender of Coupon Bonds Covering the Period from August, 1943, Through December, 1943, and from January 1944 Through April 1944, Are Received.

No. 201. Preliminary Report from the Superintendent of Health for the Year 1943 and Reports for the Months of January, February and March, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 202. Report of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Week Ended April 22, 1944 Is Received.

No. 203. Report from City Solicitor of All Suits and Legal Proceedings Not Including Criminal Proceedings in Which the City of Providence Has Any Interest Begun Prior to April 30, 1944, and Pending at That Time, Is Received.

No. 204. Report of the Committee on Ordinances Relative to a Resolution Requesting the Water Supply Board to Study Prevailing Water Rates for the Purpose of Making a Substantial Reduction in Them Is Received.

No. 205. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

IN CITY COUNCIL.

MAY 18, 1944.

No. 206. Ordinance, See Chapter 1258.

No. 207. Ordinance, See Chapter 1259.

No. 208. Resolution Authorizing the Acting Mayor of the City of Providence to Execute a Lease to the United States Government of the Premises Known as the Knight Street Police Station.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Acting Mayor of the City of Providence is hereby authorized to execute a lease to the United States Government as represented by the Federal Works Administrator, of the premises known as the Knight Street Police Station, substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft lease.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That Resolution No. 442, as passed by the City Council and approved October 22, 1943, is hereby rescinded and repealed. (For lease, see City Council Files.)

No. 209. Resolution Requesting Department Heads to Close Their Offices on Saturdays During the Months of June, July and August, 1944.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the heads of the several City Departments, other than the Bureau of Police and Fire, the School Department and the Board of Hospital Commissioners, be and they are hereby requested to exercise the authority granted by Ordinance 288, approved September 21, 1938, by closing their Departments all day Saturday during the months of June, July and August, 1944.

No. 210. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Pacific Avenue.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 526 on Plat No. 50 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1934, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 19th, 1936, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by William M. Mercer of \$487.29 for Lot No. 526 on Plat No. 50, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said William M. Mercer for the price herein approved.

No. 211. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Merino Street.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 35 on Plat No. 112 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Emil LaFazia of \$594.13 for Lot No. 35 on Plat No. 112, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Emil LaFazia for the price herein approved.

No. 212. Resolution Requesting the Board of Park Commissioners to Designate Mt. Pleasant Playground Site at Roanoke Street and Mt. Pleasant Avenue as "Lieutenant John E. Hetherman, Jr. Memorial Park."

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Board of Park Commissioners be and it is hereby requested to designate the playground site situated at the corner of Roanoke street and Mt. Pleasant avenue, at present known as the Mt. Pleasant Playground, as "Lieutenant John E. Hetherman, Jr. Memorial Park," in honor and memory of Lieutenant John E. Hetherman, Jr., who lost his life in Australia on July 3, 1943, while serving in the Armed Forces of his Country; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Park Commissioners be and it is hereby directed to place a suitable plaque on said site bearing the proper insignia; the cost of said plaque to be charged to the Appropriation for Contingencies.

No. 213. Resolution Granting Permission to the Providence-Biltmore Hotel, Inc., to Clean by Steam Process the Building at 11 Dorrance Street.

(Approved May 19, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and it is hereby granted to the

Providence-Biltmore Hotel, Inc., to clean by steam process certain exterior walls of the building located at No. 11 Dorrance street ; said work to be done under the direction of the Inspector of Buildings.

No. 214. Nuisance Order Against Trisefgene P. Papaicannon Being Owner of Premises at Lot 118 on Tax Assessors' Plat 79 in the City of Providence Is Read and Ordered Issued.

No. 215. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms, and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence, Are Read and Granted. (For List See Files of the City Council.)

No. 216. Narragansett Electric Company Street Lighting Bill for April, 1944, in the Amount of \$23,884.00 Is Approved.

No. 217. Communication Is Received from the City Solicitor Informing the City Council of His Appointment of the Following Assistant City Solicitors: James J. Corrigan, First Assistant; Francis D. McManus, Second Assistant; John DiLibero, Third Assistant; Irving Winograd, Fourth Assistant.

Nos. 218-219. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects; WPA and SUR Projects for the Period Ended April 30, 1944 Are Received.

No. 220. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for April, 1944 Is Received.

No. 221. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended April 29, May 6 and May 13, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 222. Report from Recorder of Deeds for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 223. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$2,358.93 Is Approved.

No. 224. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

IN CITY COUNCIL.

JUNE 1, 1944.

No. 225. Ordinance, See Chapter 1260.

No. 226. Ordinance, See Chapter 1261.

No. 227. Ordinance, See Chapter 1262.

No. 228. Ordinance, See Chapter 1263.

No. 229. Ordinance, See Chapter 1264.

No. 230. Ordinance, See Chapter 1265.

No. 231. Ordinance, See Chapter 1266.

No. 232. Resolution Authorizing His Honor, Acting Mayor William A. Cahir, to Execute a Lease to the United States Government of Certain Premises at Fields Point. (Draft Lease Appended.)

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor, Acting Mayor William A. Cahir, is hereby authorized to execute a lease to the United States Gov-

ernment of certain premises at Fields Point for the annual rental of \$13,672, substantially in accordance with the accompanying draft lease. (For lease see City Council Files.)

No. 233. Resolution Authorizing Heads of Departments to Allow the Attendance of City Employees at War Veterans' Organization Conventions.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Heads of Departments be and they are hereby authorized to allow employees of the City of Providence in their respective departments who served in the armed forces of the United States during the several wars and who desire to attend the Annual Convention of the American Legion in Chicago, Ill., September 18th to 21st, inclusive, 1944; the Annual Convention of the United Spanish War Veterans in Cincinnati, Ohio, August 13th to 16th, inclusive, 1944; or the National Encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Chicago, Ill., August 22nd to 24th, inclusive, 1944, a leave of absence for such purposes without loss of pay; and that a Special Committee of the City Council consisting of three Councilmen to be appointed by the President of the City Council be and is hereby created for the purpose of verifying the War Service of those employees who apply for such leave of absence.

No. 234. Resolution Commending the Junior Police Corps for Conducting the Recent Boxing Exhibition as Part of Their Program.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

Whereas, in 1943 His Honor Mayor Dennis J. Roberts sug-

gested and inspired a Junior Police Corps for the purpose of combating child delinquency in the City of Providence; and

Whereas, through that inspiration and under the able direction of the Deputy Chief of Police James E. Murray, a concerted and well planned program was carried out through the medium of meetings, lectures and sports, which included a recently held boxing show;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence extends to Deputy Chief Murray and the following assistants: Sergeant Axel G. Johnson, Sergeant William E. Cummings, Patrolman William R. Davis, Patrolman Norman J. Pegg, Patrolman William A. Tooher, Patrolman Thomas A. Kelly, Patrolman Joseph L. Burns, Jr., Patrolman Leroy W. Kirkland, Leo Hunt, Director of Athletics of the Catholic Youth Organization and Warren Walden, Sports Commentator, a sincere expression of commendation for conducting this boxing exhibit with the many members of the corps; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the individual members of the Junior Police Corps, and to the various Precinct Captains of the City of Providence, with the suggestion that the same be read at roll call.

No. 235. Resolution Requesting the Board of Park Commissioners to Designate the Crary Street Playground Site at Borden and Clay Streets as "Private First Class James Matteo Gentile Memorial Park."

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Board of Park Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to designate the playground site situated at the corner of Crary, Borden and Clay streets at present known as Crary Street Playground as "Private First Class James Matteo Gentile Memorial Park" in honor and memory of Private First Class James Matteo Gentile, who was killed in

action in Italy on April 12, 1944, while serving in the Armed Forces of his country, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Park Commissioners be and it is hereby requested to place a suitable plaque on said site; the cost of said plaque to be charged to the appropriation for Contingencies.

No. 236. Resolution Authorizing the Acting Mayor to Execute an Amendment to a Contract with the Town of North Providence to Provide for a Sewer Connection at a Point in the Vicinity of Leo Avenue.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Acting Mayor is hereby authorized to execute an amendment to the contract between the City of Providence and the Town of North Providence, made and entered into the 4th day of December, A. D. 1939, as heretofore amended, to provide that the sewer system of the Town of North Providence may be connected with the Providence Sewer System already installed at a point in the vicinity of Leo avenue, as may be agreed upon between the City Engineer of the City of Providence and the Town Engineer of the Town of North Providence, upon such terms and conditions as shall meet the prior approval of the City Engineer of the City of Providence.

No. 237. Resolution Granting Permission to Taylor-Symonds Company to Clean by Steam Process the Exterior of the Building at 18 Pine Street.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and it is hereby granted to the Taylor-Symonds Company to clean by steam process the ex-

terior surfaces of the Dyer street and Pine street elevation of the building located at No. 18 Pine street ; said work to be done under the direction of the Inspector of Buildings.

No. 238. Resolution Granting Permission to Liborio Mainelli to Erect a Marquee Over Entrance to Building at 1366 Chalkstone Avenue.

(Approved June 2, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and it is hereby granted to Liborio Mainelli of 1364 Chalkstone avenue to erect a marquee over the entrance to building numbered 1366 Chalkstone avenue ; said marquee to be erected in accordance with plans submitted to the Inspector of Buildings and work performed under his direction.

No. 239. Resignation of Francis J. McCabe, Esq., as Judge of Probate Court.

PROBATE COURT OF THE CITY OF
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

June 1, 1944

To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Providence

HONORABLE AND DEAR SIRS :

The Governor of the state of Rhode Island having appointed me Chief Judge of the Juvenile Court for the state of Rhode Island and the Senate of said State having confirmed said appointment, I hereby tender my resignation as Judge of the

Probate Court of the City of Providence to take effect June 30, 1944.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ FRANCIS J. McCABE,

Judge

Read and accepted.

No. 240. Communication from Frederick S. Barnes.

BARNES RUBBER CO., INC.

750 Reservoir Avenue, Cranston 10, R. I.

June 1, 1944

To the Honorable the Members of the City Council,

City Hall,
Providence, Rhode Island

GENTLEMEN:

I wish to inform you that I am a stockholder and officer in the Barnes Rubber Co., Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Rhode Island, with its place of business at 750 Reservoir Avenue, Cranston, R. I.

It is the desire of this corporation to accept any business which the City of Providence may lawfully and legitimately award to it from time to time.

I, therefore, take this opportunity to formally notify you of the nature of my interest in any business dealings which the said corporation may have with the City of Providence at any time in the future.

Very truly yours,

/s/ FREDERICK S. BARNES

Read and received.

No. 241. Appointment of Members of the Special Committee on the Municipal Celebration of Fourth of July, 1944.

In accordance with the Resolution of the City Council No. 189, approved May 8, 1944, His Honor Acting Mayor William A. Cahir, notifies the City Council in writing of the appointment of the following to that Committee: Councilmen Ernest C. Munroe, Henry J. McLaughlin, Charles H. O'Connor, John F. Brock and G. Elmer Lord.

Received.

No. 242. Communication from City Solicitor Re Election of City Council Member to Office of Judge of Probate Court, Is Received.

No. 243. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for April, 1944 Is Received.

No. 244. Weekly Reports from the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended May 20, and 27, 1944 Are Received.

No. 245. Communication from Board of Tax Assessors Recommending the Correction of a Tax Assessment Against Mary J. Silvia Is Approved.

No. 246. Petition of Stephen J. Duell for Appointment to Remove Swill and Offal from Certain Designated Places Is Read and Granted.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

JUNE 26, 1944.

No. 247. Ordinance, See Chapter 1267.

No. 248. Ordinance, See Chapter 1268.

No. 249. Resolution Congratulating the Honorable John Ferreira and Mrs. Ferreira on the Birth of a Baby Boy.

(Approved June 27, 1944.)

Whereas, The Honorable John Ferreira, a member of this august body, and Mrs. Ferreira are the proud parents of a new baby, and

Whereas, Said new baby is the second blessing that Almighty God has bestowed upon the same proud parents,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That this City Council go on record congratulating the proud parents on the birth of a baby boy, and wishing them continued blessing and happiness.

No. 250. Resolution Creating a Special Committee of the City Council for a Proper Municipal Celebration of Labor Day, 1944.

(Approved June 27, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a Special Committee of the City Council be

and it is hereby created, consisting of five (5) members of the City Council to be appointed by the President of the City Council for the purpose of arranging a proper Municipal celebration of Labor Day, September 4, 1944; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary therefor be and the same is hereby appropriated for a proper Municipal celebration of Labor Day, 1944, said sum to be charged to the Appropriation for Contingencies.

No. 251. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Pay and Cancel Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Providence in the Sum of \$560,000.00.

(Approved June 27, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to pay and cancel out of cash in the General Fund of the City of Providence, tax anticipation notes of the City of Providence now held by the Commissioners of Sinking Funds in the aggregate sum of Five Hundred and Sixty Thousand (\$560,000.00) Dollars.

No. 252. Resolution Creating the "War Memorial Committee."

(Approved June 27, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a committee to be known as the "War Memorial Committee" is hereby created for the purpose of investigating and considering the question of a suitable memorial to perpetuate the memory of those residents of the City of Providence who shall have served in the service of the United States in World War II. Said committee shall consist of two members

of the City Council and seven citizens of the City of Providence, all of which members shall be appointed by the Mayor. The said committee may confer with representatives of the State, any civic organization, or with any other individual or corporation, and may invoke the aid of any department of the City as incidental to the purposes of its duties hereunder. Upon completion of its work, the said committee shall render a report in writing to the City Council, embodying its recommendations and setting forth in as much detail as possible its opinion as to the nature of any proposed memorial, together with all other items relevant thereto.

No. 253. Bill of Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting During the Month of May, 1944 in the Amount of \$23,845.43 Is Approved.

No. 254. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$2,052.95 Is Approved.

No. 255. Sundry Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists, Are Approved. (For Lists, See City Council File.)

No. 256. Resignation of Justin P. McCarthy as Councilman from the Twelfth Ward Is Read and Accepted.

No. 257. Communication from the Providence Retail Specialty Stores Association Relative to the City Ordinance Regulating the Cleaning of Sidewalks Is Received.

No. 258. Appointment of James H. Fagan, M. D. as a Member of the Board of Hospital Commissioners to Fill the Unexpired Term of William R. McGuirk, M. D., Deceased, Ending on the First Monday in January, 1945, Is Read and Approved.

No. 259. Communication from Acting Mayor William A. Cahir Requesting That a Special Meeting of the City Council Be Called for Monday, June 26, 1944, at 8:00 O'clock P. M. Is Read.

No. 260. Warrant Calling Special Meeting to Act Upon Ordinance and Proposed Budget of Revenue and Expenditures for Financing the City Government for the Ensuing Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1945 Is Read.

No. 261. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for May, 1944 Is Received.

No. 262. Report Upon the Management of the Properties of the Charles H. Smith Estate for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 1943 Is Received.

No. 263. Weekly Reports from the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for Weeks Ended June 3, 10, 17 and 24, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 264. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for May, 1944 Is Received.

No. 265. Report from Superintendent of Health of the Activities of the Department of Health for the Month of April, 1944 Is Received.

Nos. 266-267. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and W. P. A. and S. U. R. Projects for the Period Ended May 31, 1944 Are Received.

No. 268. Communication from His Honor the Mayor.

CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

June 26, 1944

To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Providence :

GENTLEMEN :

In accordance with the provision in the City Charter, I am submitting herewith for your consideration a recommended budget for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1945. In broad outline, the underlying problem presented by next year's budget is that pension and school expenditures from city funds necessitate substantially increased appropriations, whereas revenues are expected to show a decline due to certain unavoidable downward adjustments in assessed valuations.

As was the case a year ago, the budget estimates have been prepared on the assumption that existing restrictions and shortages in both materials and manpower will continue. This assumption presents certain hazards for if a large number of the men and women who have left the city's employment for service with the armed forces return to their former positions, as they are entitled to do under the laws, the appropriations herein recommended probably will prove to be inadequate. Nevertheless, it is impossible for us to anticipate either the time or the scope of such possibilities, and it is reasonable and practical to proceed on the assumption of a continuation of existing circumstances indefinitely in the future.

Although the total tax assessment for the current year will not be determined finally until September, the tax levy as fixed by the City Council calls for a minimum assessment of \$13,150,000 which is \$50,000 less than the minimum prescribed a year ago and a maximum of \$13,400,000. This reduction in the levy was made necessary because of certain losses in assessed values.

The estimated tax revenue from current taxes for next year

has been set at \$12,720,000. This is an estimated 96% collection on a total levy of \$13,250,000. The \$13,250,000 figure is \$100,000 higher than the minimum levy fixed by the Council, and it is entirely possible that too much optimism has been employed in this estimate. On the other hand, the estimated 96% collection may prove to be somewhat less than the actual experience. On the whole, therefore, an estimated tax income of \$12,720,000 appears to be fair and reasonable.

The \$250,000 estimate on collections from delinquent taxes is the same figure as was used in the budget for the current year. Actual collections during the current year have exceeded this estimate, and it might be concluded therefore that a \$250,000 estimate for next year is too conservative. The fact is, however, that we are now making a drive for the collection of outstanding delinquent taxes, and once these back taxes have been received, they cannot be anticipated again next year.

Revenues from licenses are estimated for next year at approximately the same figure as for the current year. Receipts from special assessments, earnings on trust accounts, rents, interest, and court fines appear to be coming in at about the same rate as in the past, and the estimates for next year for these items have been held at approximately the same figures as for the current year.

Miscellaneous departmental revenues for next year indicate a decline which, for the most part, is merely a revision of accounting procedure. Heretofore, the revenue estimates have contained items for the Incinerator Plant, the Public Buildings division, and for the sale of confections at Roger Williams Park. These revenues in turn have been offset by equivalent appropriations at the Ernest Street Pumping Station and the Sewage Disposal Plant; in the construction appropriation of certain departments; and in the appropriations for the purchase of confections for resale in the park accounts. Although the Incinerator Plant generates electricity which is used for sewage disposal purposes, the practice of making an interdepartmental charge has given rise to some complications and has no real value in the budgetary procedure. In the Public Buildings department no consistent

policy has been followed in the matter of charging departments for work performed. Sometimes interdepartmental charges are made, but more frequently, the Public Buildings Department performs the work and the cost thereof is charged directly against the appropriation of the department for which the work is done. A consistent policy should be pursued one way or the other, and in the budget for next year we have decided to eliminate all interdepartmental fund transfers for work performed by the Public Buildings Department and, consequently, to eliminate the item of revenue. The Park Department this year has adopted the plan of permitting the sale of popcorn and confections on a concession basis. It is believed that a greater net return can be made to the city by this method, and hence both the appropriation and the revenues have been adjusted downward. These three changes account for the important differences in the estimated revenues of the general departments.

Next year the city has authority to refund \$464,500 of its maturing indebtedness. This sum is approximately \$106,000 more than was refunded in the current year and provides the city with the equivalent of \$106,000 additional with which to meet its budget requirements.

A sizeable decrease in the revenue estimates for next year is in the item of State Grants for General Public Assistance. Under the state laws, the city is reimbursed 70% of its total General Public Assistance expenditures. Expenditures for General Public Assistance in the current year have run at a substantially lower amount than was originally estimated and, therefore, the 70% reimbursement will be substantially less than the estimated grant. For next year, both the expenditure and the grant have been brought more closely into line with the experience indicated during the current year. The decrease affects both sides of the budget and, therefore, has no significant bearing on the total problem.

The operating costs of the several city departments as recommended for next year generally are lower than the comparable appropriations for the current year. Considering only the General Administrative, Finance, Public Safety, Public Works,

Health, and Recreation Departments, the recommended appropriations for next year total \$5,590,000. This sum compares with a total appropriation for the same purposes for the current year of \$5,700,000 and with a total actual expenditure for the fiscal year 1942-1943 of \$5,750,000 and \$5,866,000 in 1941-1942.

These differences reflect generally an increased efficiency in the operations of the majority of the departments. As activities and programs have been brought under closer supervision and budgetary control, and as personnel has been reduced and reassigned to correspond with present day requirements, the over-all cost of these departments has been substantially reduced. Yet, at the same time, it has been possible to provide a quality of service and in some instances an increase in service which has merited public approval.

Any comparison of expenditures paid from current revenues fails to reveal the true extent of these reductions. Even though this administration has refused to borrow for any purpose except relief since its induction into office, there nevertheless remained certain small unexpended balances of earlier borrowing. These have been available in the past and helped materially to tide us over the period required for making these readjustments. In part of last year and all of this year no borrowed funds whatever have been available, yet, notwithstanding this fact, we have been able through the helpful cooperation of all department heads to curtail still further our expenditures and at the same time grant increased compensation to our workers.

There are few if any revisions in the appropriations for the several operating departments that require special comment. For the most part, the changes reflect only minor differences occasioned by such circumstances as the necessity for purchasing bonds which occurs every two years, the replacement of some worn out or obsolescent equipment, or because of some special undertaking such as the completion of the reassessment project, or the fact that there is no special registration of voters in the next fiscal year.

It is in the non-operating items of expenditure that the budget

presents the greatest difficulties. As you previously have been advised, the city authorities for the past dozen years have failed to meet the required annual appropriations to the Employees Retirement Fund. By making appropriations in an amount less than that recommended by the actuaries, a substantial deficit has been accumulated which, though it in no way jeopardized the rights of the members of the fund, would if continued indefinitely necessitate almost prohibitive appropriations from tax revenues in the future.

When the seriousness of the city's past performance in this matter was brought to our attention by the city's actuary, we immediately took steps to correct the mistake and to set aside not only the requisite annual contribution but, in addition, to begin paying off the accumulated deficit. The seriousness of this situation is evidenced by the fact that the original appropriation for pensions for the current fiscal year amounted to \$662,000, whereas for next year, a total of \$834,000 is recommended. In the current year, however, the city appropriated an additional \$74,000 to the fund. It is easy to see the condition the city might have faced had the practice of cutting down on the annual appropriation been continued a few years longer.

The School Department has requested an appropriation of \$4,764,600 which is approximately \$61,000 in excess of the amount allowed for the current year. We have no control over this appropriation, and the amount must be provided even though the increase is out of harmony with the policies being pursued by the city administration.

The requirements for interest and principal payments next year total \$3,477,839.23. This amount is approximately \$30,000 below the required amount for the current year. For contributions, I am recommending a small increase for public library purposes, which is consistent with the additional appropriation authorized by the Council during the current fiscal year.

The requirement for Civilian Defense next year has been reduced to a minimum. It includes only items for supervision and control over certain of our own and Federal properties; for con-

tinuing the recreational programs for soldiers and sailors, plus certain small amounts for assisting in the work of the Volunteer Office and the Information Booth in front of City Hall.

An appropriation of \$25,000 has been included for the City Planning Commission.

The overall total recommended appropriation for the 1944-45 fiscal year exclusive of water is \$15,779,534.56 as compared with \$15,881,053.02 for the current year. Total estimated receipts excluding water rents are \$15,801,733.13.

It is pertinent to point out at this point that the total budget of \$15,780,000, the general operating departments of the city government, exclusive of Welfare, account for only \$5,590,000. The School Department spends \$4,765,000; Debt—\$3,480,000; Pensions—\$885,000; Relief—\$735,000; and Grants to Charitable Organizations and all other purposes a total of \$325,000.

As was the case last year, this budget has been prepared by the Budget Director under general policies authorized and approved by me. Due to the fact that the tentative budget estimates were completed at an early date, I have had ample opportunity to examine and study its detail. It reflects a stability in the ordinary operating expenditures which, in a period such as the present, not only is desirable and necessary but which to a very large extent must be regarded as a minimum budget for the services and operations which the city is at present performing. It should be appreciated that the number of persons on the city payroll is many hundreds less than has been the case in the past, and that allowances for operating supplies and equipment probably are lower than the most prudent judgment would dictate. I am personally inclined to feel that we have trimmed the appropriations for supplies, equipment, and machinery below the amount desirable for prudent requirements. This policy has been pursued, however, in part because current restrictions render such purchases impossible and in part because our financial condition does not permit any larger appropriations.

Current information indicates that the savings being made this year will again be sufficient to continue the salary and wage bonus arrangement for another year.

A year from now the city will be confronted with the most difficult budgetary problem of any recent year. Our refunding program terminates, and if the war ends, as we all hope it will, many employees will return to the city's service and demands for expansion and public expenditures will be made which simply could not be met with a budget such as is herein presented for 1944-1945.

A few years ago, this problem would have caused no particular alarm because it was the practice of the then city government to borrow not only to meet its construction and relief costs but, on occasion, to borrow for ordinary operating purposes. These practices brought Providence to the brink of disaster and they will not be permitted so long as I serve as Mayor of this city.

Vague and generalized talk of cutting expenditures to meet this situation is a disservice to our people. Only by major revisions in both revenues and services can this impending problem be met; and it is incumbent on each of us to address ourselves squarely to this issue in the period between now and next year.

Finally, I want to express my deep appreciation to the members of the City Council, to the department heads, and to the loyal and capable employees of the city who have cooperated so splendidly in making possible the financial record of the city in the past three years. At best these have been trying times and we came into office with the handicap of an extremely difficult and precarious financial situation. Conditions and our own efforts have combined to make possible a substantial improvement, and I ask and expect your continued cooperation and support that this improvement may continue.

Respectfully submitted,

DENNIS J. ROBERTS,

Mayor

No. 269. Resolutions Accepting Certain Gifts for
the Preservation and Care of Specified Burial Lots
in the North Burial Ground.

(Approved June 27, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following gifts of the following sums of money, to the Board of Park Commissioners, in trust, the income thereof to be applied, under the provisions of Chapter 367 of the Public Laws, January Session 1861, to the preservation and care of the following specified burial lots in said ground be and the same are hereby respectively accepted as follows, viz. :

Bagzada Kachigian; Yeghia Stepanian; James Earl Glanvill, Walter Marriott, Sr. and wife Amelia; Mabel N. Foster; Estate of M. Ella Fish; Angel Suvajian; Blenda A. Winberg; Harry G. Vaznaian; Harold B. Pownall; Jessie Clemence; Gennaro Cipolla; Charles H. Fallows and wife Jane; Mary F. Whytock and William Whytock; Newton P. Hutchison; Bjarne Henriksen; Anna Borges; Frederick H. Clarke; Annie Loomis; John T. Monahan and Frederick T. Goodby and wife Elsie L.; Harry D. Crane; Charles G. Kingston; Dorothy M. Cherry; Alice L. Coburn; Elizabeth B. McLeod; Trustees under the will of Frances M. Ogden; Charles E. Davies; Mabel Florence Rowles.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

JULY 20, 1944.

No. 270. Ordinance, See Chapter 1269.

No. 271. Ordinance, See Chapter 1270.

No. 272. Ordinance, See Chapter 1271.

No. 273. Ordinance, See Chapter 1272.

No. 274. Ordinance, See Chapter 1273.

No. 275. Ordinance, See Chapter 1274.

No. 276. Resolution Allocating \$4,000.00 for
"Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01".

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Whereas, by annual appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, certain sums of money were appropriated for General Public Assistance, and

Whereas, the Director of Public Welfare and the Budget Director, by virtue of authority conferred upon them by Chapter 1182 of the Ordinances approved April 10, 1943, have approved the following allocation,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That from the sum appropriated for General Public Assistance Unallocated—Item 0, Personal Services, in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1205, the sum of four thousand (\$4,000) dollars, be and is hereby allocated for work on the project listed as "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the authority granted by this Resolution shall expire September 30, 1944. And said sum of money allocated by this Resolution shall be charged to the account as set up for said project.

No. 277. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Land on Imera Avenue.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 593 on Plat No. 94 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, her heirs, assigns or devisees, at her last usual place of abode, and notifying her that said real estate will be offered for sale at public auction unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

If said real estate is not redeemed within thirty days of said notification in accordance to the law thereto appertaining, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell same to the highest bidder at public auction.

No. 278. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Land on General Street.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lots No. 561, 562 and 563* on Plat No. 79 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1940, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 26th, 1942, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that

said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Thomas A. Comstock of the following amounts for said lots:

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| Plat 79 Lot 561 | Amount offered | \$34.00 |
| Plat 79 Lot 562 | Amount offered | 26.00 |
| Plat 79 Lot 563 | Amount offered | 26.00 |
| | | \$86.00 |

and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Thomas A. Comstock for the prices herein approved for each lot.

No. 279. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Land on Eastwood Street.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 423 on Plat No. 105 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Arthur Thorpe of \$70.00 for Lot No. 423 on Plat No. 105, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Arthur Thorpe for the price herein approved.

No. 280. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Land on Washburn Street.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 662 on Plat No. 68 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1941, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 25th, 1943, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, her heirs, assigns or devisees, at her last usual place of abode, and notifying her that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by John A. Johnson and Elna L. Johnson of \$335.00 for Lot No. 662 on Plat No. 68, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said John A. Johnson and Elna L. Johnson for the price herein approved.

No. 281. Resolution Extending Congratulations to Councilman and Mrs. John W. Moakler, Jr.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Whereas, John W. Moakler, Jr., a member of this City Council, and Mrs. Moakler are rejoicing in the arrival of a new baby; and,

Whereas, said new arrival is the second blessing that the Almighty God has bestowed upon these same proud parents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That this Council go on record as extending its congratulations to the proud parents upon the birth of a baby daughter, Martha Elizabeth, and wishing them continued blessings and happiness.

No. 282. Resolution Extending Sympathy to the Family of the Late John P. Fogarty, Father of Congressman John E. Fogarty.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

Whereas, John P. Fogarty, beloved father of Congressman John E. Fogarty, has recently passed away;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That this body extend to the family of the deceased its sincere condolence in this their moment of bereavement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this Resolution be spread upon the records of this City Council and a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

No. 283. Resolution Authorizing the Relocation and Installation of Gasoline Storage Tanks in the Total

Capacity of 7,748,000 Gallons by the American Mineral Spirits Company, 370 Allens Avenue.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following named person, firm or corporation is hereby granted permission to erect and use buildings or structures at the location named herein for the storage of petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil and their products, compounds and components as described and shown in and on the application therefor and accompanying plat, all on file in the office of the Inspector of Buildings subject to the conditions that said person, firm or corporation shall not violate any of the laws of the State of Rhode Island or any of the Ordinances of the City of Providence relative to the erection, use or occupation of said structures.

Ward 10. American Mineral Spirits Company, 370 Allens avenue, Plat 46, Lot 361; 16 Storage Tanks, 3-55,000 bbls., 2-5,000 bbls., 2-3,500 bbls, 3-30,000 gals., 1-5,000 gals., 1-1,000 gals., 4-2,000 gals., making a total of 7,748,000 gallons in all.

The erection or location of any buildings or structures not shown on the original plat on file with the Inspector of Buildings or any change in the location of buildings or structures from that shown on said plat shall be deemed a violation of this permit.

No. 284. Report of the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits for the Quarter Ended June 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 285. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$1,868.19 Is Approved.

No. 286. Communication, Accompanied by Resolution, from the Department Adjutant of the American Legion, Department of Rhode Island, Expressing Appreciation for the Cooperation Received from the City of Providence at the Convention Held in Providence on June 17, 1944, Is Received.

No. 287. Election of Justin P. McCarthy, Esq., as Judge of the Probate Court for the Ensuing Term Ending on the First Monday in November, 1947.

Nos. 288-289-290-291. Sundry Communications from the Board of Tax Assessors Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 292. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for June, 1944 Is Received.

No. 293. Report of the City Clerk for the Quarter Ended June 30, 1944 Is Received.

Nos. 294-295. Communications Enclosing Statements of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and W. P. A. and S. U. R. Projects for the Period Ended June 30, 1944 Are Received.

No. 296. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for June, 1944 Is Received.

No. 297. Quarterly Report of the Bureau of Police and Fire for the Period Ended July 3, 1944, Is Received.

No. 298. Report of the Harbor Master for the Quarter Ended June 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 299. Report from School Committee Signifying Approval of Any Disposition the City Council May Deem Advisable of the Potter Avenue School, Is Received.

Nos. 300-301. Reports from City Messenger for the Months of April, May and June, 1944 Are Received.

No. 302. Report from Superintendent of Health Upon the Activities of the Department of Health for May, 1944, Is Received.

No. 303. Two Hundred Sixty-first Quarterly Report of the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds Is Received.

No. 304. Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended July 1, July 8, and July 15 Are Received.

No. 305. Resolution Appointing John F. Fingerlin a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That John F. Fingerlin of 60 Chapin avenue, Providence, R. I., be and he is hereby appointed a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise for the balance of the term ending on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1945.

No. 306. Resolution Appointing Albert Mercurio a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise.

(Approved July 21, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That Albert Mercurio of 55 Bancroft street, Providence, R. I., be and he is hereby appointed a Weigher of Coal and Other Merchandise for the balance of the term ending on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1945.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

AUGUST 3, 1944.

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No. 307. Ordinance, See Chapter 1275.

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No. 308. Ordinance, See Chapter 1276.

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No. 309. Ordinance, See Chapter 1277.

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No. 310. Ordinance, See Chapter 1278.

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No. 311. Ordinance, See Chapter 1279.

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No. 312. Ordinance, See Chapter 1280.

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No. 313. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer
to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain
Land on Prescott Street.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in

writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 29 on Plat No. 66 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Albert Setzer of \$138.00 for Lot No. 29 on Plat No. 66, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Albert Setzer for the price herein approved.

No. 314. Resolution Creating a Special Committee for the Purpose of Arranging and Conducting a Proper Municipal Christmas Celebration, 1944.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a Special Committee consisting of five members of the City Council to be appointed by the President thereof, is hereby created for the purpose of arranging and conducting a proper Municipal Christmas Celebration to perpetuate the Christmas spirit in the City of Providence.

No. 315. Resolution Creating a Special Committee for the Purpose of Arranging and Conducting a Proper Municipal Celebration of Columbus Day, 1944.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a Special Committee of the City Council con-

sisting of five members thereof to be appointed by the President of the City Council, is hereby created for the purpose of arranging and conducting a proper Municipal Celebration of Columbus Day, October 12, 1944; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That all expenses incurred by said Committee shall be charged to the appropriation authorized by Ordinance 414, Chapter 1205, Item 88, (Public Celebrations), approved September 23, 1943.

No. 316. Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed to Church of the Assumption of Property at the Northwesterly Corner of Potters Avenue and Brattle Street, Formerly Known as the "Potters Avenue Elementary School."

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to execute a deed to Church of the Assumption, of a parcel of land with the improvements thereon, situated at the northwesterly corner of Potters avenue and Brattle street, formerly known as "Potters Avenue Elementary School," the same being lot 510 on Assessors' Plat 43, and containing approximately 25,754 sq. ft. of land. The consideration for said conveyance shall be the sum of seventy-five hundred (\$7,500.00) dollars.

No. 317. Resolution Authorizing His Honor the Mayor to Execute a Deed to Leonardo Colucci of a Parcel of Land on the Easterly Side of Academy Avenue.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That His Honor the Mayor be and he hereby is

authorized to execute a deed to Leonardo Colucci, for the sum of fifty (\$50.00) dollars, of a triangular parcel of land located on the easterly side of Academy avenue, just north of Atwells avenue, containing approximately 198 sq. ft. of land, being a portion of Lot 1 on Assessors' Plat 65.

No. 318. Resolution Refunding to Industrial Trust Company and Frederick S. Peck Trustees u/w of William M. Harris, Jr., the Sum of \$614.00.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Industrial Trust Company and Frederick S. Peck, Trustees u/w of William M. Harris, Jr., the sum of Six Hundred and Fourteen Dollars (\$614.00) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of the 1943 tax assessed against said Industrial Trust Company and Frederick S. Peck, Trustees u/w of William M. Harris, Jr.; said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council, said sum of Six Hundred and Fourteen Dollars (\$614.00) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 319. Resolution Refunding the Sum of \$472.00 to the Industrial Trust Co., Trustees u/w of Samuel P. Colt and Russell G. Colt.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to the Industrial Trust Company, Trustees u/w of Samuel P. Colt and Russell G. Colt the sum of Four Hundred and Seventy-two (\$472.00) Dollars be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of the 1943 tax assessed

against said Industrial Trust Company, Trustees u/w of Samuel P. Colt and Russell G. Colt; said tax having been subsequently reduced and abated through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council, said sum of Four Hundred and Seventy-two (\$472.00) Dollars to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 320. Resolution Refunding to Eva H. Jones, Wife of John A., (Albert A. Baker, Attorney), the Sum of \$483.87.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Eva H. Jones, wife of John A. (Albert A. Baker, Attorney), the sum of Four Hundred Eighty-three Dollars and Eighty-seven Cents (\$483.87) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1943 tax assessed against said Eva H. Jones, wife of John A.; said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council, said sum of Four Hundred Eighty-three Dollars and Eighty-seven Cents (\$483.87) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 321. Resolution Refunding the Sum of \$24.75 to Barnaby Conrad, Florence B. Conrad, Maude C. Keeney and Catherine H. Wilkinson (Industrial Trust Company, Attorney-in-Fact), (Industrial Trust Company, Trustee Under Indenture of Maude C. Keeney.)

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Barnaby Conrad, Florence B. Conrad,

Maude C. Keeney and Catherine H. Wilkinson (Industrial Trust Company, Attorney-in-Fact), (Industrial Trust Company, Trustee under indenture of Maude C. Keeney), the sum of Twenty-four Dollars and Seventy-five Cents (\$24.75) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of the 1943 tax assessed against said Barnaby Conrad, Florence B. Conrad, Maude C. Keeney and Catherine H. Wilkinson; said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council, said sum of Twenty-four Dollars and Seventy-five Cents (\$24.75) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 322. Resolution Refunding to Alexander M. Alves the Sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00.)

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Alexander M. Alves the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1943 tax assessed against said Alexander M. Alves; said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council, said sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 323. Resolution Refunding to Jadwiga Skrzypczek, Widow of William Skrzypczek, the Sum of \$3.00.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Jadwiga Skrzypczek, widow of William

Skrzypczek, the sum of Three Dollars (\$3.00) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of 1943 tax assessed against said William Skrzypczek; said tax having been subsequently reduced and abated through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council, said sum of Three Dollars (\$3.00) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 324. Resolution Refunding to Charles St. John
the Sum of One Dollar (\$1.00.)

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Charles St. John the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) be refunded, said sum representing payment of 1942 Poll Tax assessed against said Charles St. John, said Charles St. John having been assessed and paid a tangible personal property tax covering this 1942 assessment period; said sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 325. Resolution on the Life and Character of
the Late Walter A. Presbrey.

(Approved August 4, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of former Police Commissioner Walter A. Presbrey, who died on July 14, 1944, be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed upon the records of the City Council.

MINUTE

Walter A. Presbrey was born in Providence, July 19, 1867, the son of Allen A. and Nellie A. (Peckham) Presbrey. He

received his education in the Public Schools of the City of Providence and Brown University.

His inception in politics started as Councilman from the then Seventh Ward in the year of 1901, and later he was elected Alderman to represent the same ward.

In 1909 he was elected a member of the Police Commission, a post he held both as a member and chairman until 1931. He enjoyed the unique reputation of being a recognized authority in the administration of Police affairs.

His affiliations with Fraternal and Social Organizations were numerous, and during one period he was elected Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island in the Masonic order. A 32nd Degree Mason he was the recipient of a 50-year medal conferred upon him in 1941 by the St. John's Lodge Rhode Island Veteran Masons' Association.

Mr. Presbrey as Police Commissioner was a strict believer in the enforcement of the law, and an ardent advocate of punishment for habitual criminals, and an advocate of many reforms during his tenure of office. His death is sincerely lamented by his many friends who had political, social and business contact with him.

Mr. Presbrey was married to the late Ada Helena (Moore) Presbrey, and is survived by his son and a daughter.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

No. 326. Communication from Public Service Engineer Enclosing Narragansett Electric Company Bill for Street Lighting for the Month of June, 1944 in the Amount of \$23,783.59, Is Received and Bill Approved.

No. 327. Report of the Special Committee on Municipal Celebration of July 4, 1944 Is Received.

No. 328. Sundry Communications from the Board of Tax Assessors Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 329. Reports from the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended July 22, and July 29, 1944 Are Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

SEPTEMBER 7, 1944.

No. 330. Ordinance, See Chapter 1281.

No. 331. Ordinance, See Chapter 1282.

No. 332. Ordinance, See Chapter 1283.

No. 333. Ordinance, See Chapter 1284.

No. 334. Ordinance, See Chapter 1285.

No. 335. Ordinance, See Chapter 1286.

No. 336. Resolution on the Life and Character of
the Late Robert W. Parkinson.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of the late Robert W. Parkinson, former City Councilman and a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Charles H. Smith Estate, who died August 9, 1944, be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council, and a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased :

MINUTE

Robert W. Parkinson was born in Johnston, Rhode Island, on April 4, 1895, a son of James H. and Annie L. (Wood) Parkinson. He was educated in the public schools and Brown University, where he graduated with the class of 1919. He enlisted in the Army while in college and went to Officers' Training Camp at Plattsburg, New York.

After leaving college Mr. Parkinson was associated with his father at the Parkinson Piano House on Weybosset street, and later established the insurance firm of Parkinson Co., Inc., which he conducted up to the time of his death.

Mr. Parkinson served as Democratic Councilman from the Third Ward from January 7, 1935 to January 4, 1937, during which period he was also a Commissioner of the North Burial Ground. He was elected a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Charles H. Smith Estate on May 2, 1938, and was re-elected for a four-year term on February 6, 1941.

He is survived by his parents, his widow, Mrs. Myrtle (Randall) Parkinson, and a sister, Mrs. Anthony Vroeg.

Mr. Parkinson took a deep interest in all matters affecting the progress and welfare of the City. His quiet, unassuming disposition won for him a host of friends and his counsel was eagerly sought and respected. The members of the City Council deplore the passing of such a valued citizen.

No. 337. Resolution on the Life and Character of
the Late Walter S. Grant.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of the late Walter S. Grant, former member of the old City Council, who died August 8, 1944, be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council, and a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased:

MINUTE

Walter S. Grant was born in Providence, Rhode Island, in 1878, a son of the late Daniel and Annabelle (MacMillan) Grant. He was educated in the public schools of this City and later joined the firm of Daniel Grant & Sons Company, makers of wagon and automobile bodies, founded by his father, and was for a number of years its treasurer and manager. In more recent years he was an Inspector in the State Department of Health.

Interested in civic affairs, Mr. Grant became a member of the old Common Council in 1925, serving continuously until 1931, when he became a member of the old Board of Aldermen and served with that body until 1937. During his membership in the City Council he was on many important committees and took a keen interest in the welfare of his City.

Mr. Grant's wife, Edith (Snyder) Grant, died in September,

1934. He is survived by two sons, Walter S. Grant, Jr., and Kenneth Grant, and a sister, Miss Flora B. Grant.

The members of the City Council deplore the death of Mr. Grant and extend to his family this expression of profound sympathy in its bereavement.

No. 338. Resolution on the Life and Character of the Late William C. Pelkey.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of William C. Pelkey, a former City Clerk of the City of Providence, who died Monday, August 21, 1944, be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council and a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased :

MINUTE

William C. Pelkey was born in Concord, N. H., on October 2, 1884, a son of the late Charles and Mary Pelkey. He was graduated from Dartmouth College with the class of 1904.

Upon completion of his college career he came to Rhode Island and became a reporter for the Providence Journal. In April, 1909, he was elected clerk of the Providence Common Council, and in November, 1912 was elected City Clerk and clerk of committees, serving continuously until October 1, 1923, when he resigned. During World War I he was granted a leave of absence in order to serve as assistant to the general manager of the American Red Cross in Washington, D. C.

Continuing his interest in political affairs, Mr. Pelkey became Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee in 1923 and held this office until 1932. In later years he acted as a consultant on publicity, advertising, politics, and legislative proced-

ure, and was actively interested in State legislation. He became secretary of the State Board of Elections upon its creation in 1941, and held that office at the time of his death.

Following the war, Mr. Pelkey directed the publicity campaigns of several civic organizations and the money raising campaigns of various social agencies, including the 1922 Red Cross Drive, the Providence District Nursing Association, the former Society for Organizing Charity, now the Family Welfare Society, and the Providence Lying-in Hospital.

During his years of service in the City Government Mr. Pelkey was noted for the thorough manner in which he performed his duties, taking a deep interest in all civic affairs. His later service as head of the Republican party in this State for a number of years and continued interest in party and State administrative affairs made him one of Rhode Island's most prominent figures.

Mr. Pelkey is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Dorothea Pelkey Waterman and Miss Jane Pelkey.

The members of the City Council deplore the death of Mr. Pelkey, and extend to his family this expression of sincere sympathy.

No. 339. Resolution Expressing Sympathy Upon
the Death of Wilfred J. Paquin, Beloved Brother of
Our Colleague, Councilman William H. Paquin.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to take unto Himself the Soul of Wilfred J. Paquin, beloved brother of our esteemed colleague, William H. Paquin;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the members of the City Council of the City of Providence, while humbly bowing to the Will of an All Wise Providence, sincerely condole with our colleague in this, his great loss; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the records of this City Council.

No. 340. Resolution Creating a Special Committee to Confer with His Excellency J. Howard McGrath, Governor of the State of Rhode Island, Relative to Quarters for the Juvenile Court.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a special committee, consisting of three members of the City Council be appointed by His Honor, the Mayor, is hereby created for the purpose of conferring with His Excellency, Governor J. Howard McGrath, relative to the advisability and feasibility of providing quarters for the Juvenile Court in the Old Board of Trade Building, said committee to report its findings and recommendation thereon to the City Council.

No. 341. Resolution Permitting Giulia Zinno to Erect a Gasoline Station.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following named persons, firm or corporation is hereby granted permission to erect, alter or use a building or structure at the location named herein for the sale of petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil and their products, compounds and components as described and shown in and on the application therefor and accompanying plat, all on file in the office of the Inspector of Buildings subject to the conditions that said person, firm or corporation shall not violate any of the laws of the State of Rhode Island or any of the Ordinances of the City of Providence relative to the erection, use or occupation of said structure and that said person, firm or corporation

shall not allow petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil or their products, compounds or components, to be conveyed over or across any sidewalk by means of any pipe or hose, and upon such special conditions as are hereby enumerated, viz.:

Ward 4. Giulia Zinno, 378 Admiral street, Plat 70, Lot 130, 4 pumps; 1-4000 gallon tank and 2-2000 gallon tanks, making a total of 8000 gallons in all.

The erection or location of any buildings or structures not shown on the original plat on file with the Inspector of Buildings or any change in the location of buildings or structures from that shown on said plat shall be deemed a violation of this permit.

No. 342. Resolution Authorizing the Installation of Additional Gasoline Storage Tanks by the Shell Oil Company, Inc.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following named person, firm or corporation is hereby granted permission to erect, alter or use a building or structure at the location named herein for the sale of petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil and their products, compounds and components as described and shown in and on the application therefor and accompanying plat, all on file in the office of the Inspector of Buildings subject to the conditions that said person, firm or corporation shall not violate any of the laws of the State of Rhode Island or any of the Ordinances of the City of Providence relative to the erection, use or occupation of said structure and that said person, firm or corporation shall not allow petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil or their products, compounds or components, to be conveyed over or across any sidewalk by means of any pipe or hose, and upon such special conditions as are hereby enumerated, viz.:

Ward 10. Shell Oil Company, Inc., 840 Allens avenue, Plat

101, Lot 172; 3000 additional gallons, making 8000 additional gallons in all.

The erection or location of any buildings or structures not shown on the original plat on file with the Inspector of Buildings or any change in the location of buildings or structures from that shown on said plat shall be deemed a violation of this permit.

No. 343. Resolution Authorizing the Installation of Additional Gasoline Storage Tanks by the Shell Oil Company, Inc.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following named person, firm or corporation is hereby granted permission to erect, alter or use a building or structure at the location named herein for the sale of petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil and their products, compounds and components as described and shown in and on the application therefor and accompanying plat, all on file in the office of the Inspector of Buildings subject to the conditions that said person, firm or corporation shall not violate any of the laws of the State of Rhode Island or any of the Ordinances of the City of Providence relative to the erection, use or occupation of said structure and that said person, firm or corporation shall not allow petroleum, kerosene, gasoline, coal oil or their products, compounds or components, to be conveyed over or across any sidewalk by means of any pipe or hose, and upon such special conditions as are hereby enumerated, viz.:

Ward 6. Shell Oil Company, Inc., 683 Atwells avenue, Plat 65, Lot 23; 3000 additional gallons, making 8000 gallons in all.

The erection or location of any buildings or structures not shown on the original plat on file with the Inspector of Buildings or any change in the location of buildings or structures from that shown on said plat shall be deemed a violation of this permit.

No. 344. Resolution Relative to the Payment and Collection of the Poll Tax Assessed by the Board of Tax Assessors June 15, 1944.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Poll Tax assessed by the Board of Tax Assessors, June 15, 1944, shall be paid to and collected by the City Treasurer on and between the 15th day of December, A. D. 1944 and the 5th day of January, A. D. 1945, inclusive.

The City Treasurer shall by advertisement in the public newspapers of the City and by posting up one or more notices in each voting district of the City, at least one week before the said 15th day of December, A. D. 1944, notify all persons assessed as aforesaid to pay said tax at his office on and between the 15th day of December, A. D. 1944 and the 5th day of January, A. D. 1945, inclusive.

No. 345. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Land on West River Street.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 353 on Plat No. 2 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1935, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 25th, 1937, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, her heirs, assigns or devisees, at her last usual place of abode, and notifying her that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Thomas

Santanello of \$426.58 for Lot No. 353 on Plat No. 2, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Thomas Santanello for the price herein approved.

No. 346. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Land on West River Street.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 249 on Plat No. 2 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1935, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 25th, 1937, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, her heirs, assigns or devisees, at her last usual place of abode, and notifying her that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Thomas Santanello of \$250.42 for Lot No. 249 on Plat No. 2, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Thomas Santanello for the price herein approved.

No. 347. Resolution Authorizing and Directing the City Auditor to Open an Account to Be Entitled "Reserve for Employees' Bonus and Compensation Plan."

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That since the exact amount of the liability for the Bonus and Compensation Plan cannot be determined until the close of the fiscal year, the City Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to open an account which shall be called "Reserve for Employees' Bonus and Compensation Plan" into which shall be segregated the appropriations carried over from the 1942-1943 fiscal year in the amounts provided under Chapters 1207 and 1208 of the City Ordinances of 1943.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That all payments made under the authority of said Ordinances shall, when compiled, be charged against the "Reserve for Employees' Bonus and Compensation Plan" separate and apart from current budgetary payments.

No. 348. Resolution, Accompanied by Petition, of McKendall Land Co., Inc., for the Abandonment of the Area Known as Milton Street.

(Approved September 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, DECREED AND ORDERED, That all those portions of Milton street from Westminster street to Washington street, as shown on plat entitled, "A part of Knight & Sabin lands as they appear on the Records of the City of Providence 1840," and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds on Plat Card 87, have ceased to be useful to the public, and the same are abandoned as highways, and the damage to the abutters is appraised at nothing and so awarded, and it is further

ORDERED, That the Superintendent of Street Signs and Num-

bers be and he is hereby directed to cause a sign to be placed at each end of said Milton street abandoned as aforesaid, having thereon the words, "Not a Public Highway," and it is further

ORDERED, That after the entry of this order or decree the City Clerk shall cause a notice thereof to be published in a newspaper, published in the County of Providence, at least once each week for three successive weeks and a further and personal notice shall be served by the City Sergeant upon every owner of land abutting upon those parts of Milton street which have been abandoned, who is known to reside within this state.

No. 349. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk, in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List See City Council Files.)

No. 350. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$1,402.54 Is Approved.

No. 351. Communication from Public Service Engineer Enclosing Bill of the Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting During the Month of July 1944 in the Amount of \$23,783.71 Is Received and Bill Approved.

No. 352. Communication from His Honor Acting Mayor William A. Cahir Appointing Edward P. Quigley a Member of the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits to Fill the Vacancy Caused by the Resignation of Councilman Justin P. McCarthy; Also Charles H. O'Connor a Member Pro Tempore of the Committee on Finance, William H. Paquin a Member Pro Tempore of the Committee on Ordinances and D. Thomas Testa a Member Pro Tempore of the Committee on Public Welfare.

No. 353. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 354. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for July, 1944 Is Received.

No. 355. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for July, 1944 Is Received.

No. 356. Report of the City Sergeant, Acting as City Messenger, for the Month of July, 1944 Is Received.

No. 357. Report of the Activities of the Department of Health for the Month of June, 1944, Is Received.

Nos. 358-359. Communications Enclosing Statement of the City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Project and WPA and SUR Projects for the Period Ended July 31, 1944.

No. 360. Communication from City Solicitor, Approving as to Form, Bond of James M. Gillrain as Justice of the Police Court for the City of Providence Is Received and Bond Approved.

No. 361. Report of the Department of Public Works for the Years 1940-1941, 1941-1942 and 1942-1943 Is Received.

No. 362. Weekly Reports from Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended August 5, 12, 19, 26 and September 2, 1944, Are Severally Received.

No. 363. Communication from His Honor the Acting Mayor Appointing the Following Citizens of Providence to the "City Plan Commission": George Hurley, Hovey T. Freeman, Paul A. San Souci, Dr. Royal B. Farnum, and Lucio E. Carlone.

No. 364. Communication from His Honor the Acting Mayor Appointing the Following Citizens of the City of Providence to Serve on the "War Memorial Committee": Charles W. Pine, Edward F. Moran, Howard E. Pratt, Herbert A. Mowry, Max A. Cohen, John P. Riley, Edwin L. Clark, Hon. Jerry V. Lorenzo and Hon. Edmund Wexler.

No. 365. Appointment of the Following Councilmen to the Columbus Day Committee: Edward P. Quigley, D. Thomas Testa, William D'Abate, John W. Moakler, Jr., and Charles B. Copen.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

SEPTEMBER 21, 1944.

No. 366. Ordinance, See Chapter 1287.

No. 367. Ordinance, See Chapter 1288.

No. 368. Ordinance, See Chapter 1289.

No. 369. Ordinance, See Chapter 1290.

No. 370. Ordinance, See Chapter 1291.

No. 371. Ordinance, See Chapter 1292.

No. 372. Ordinance, See Chapter 1293.

No. 373. Ordinance, See Chapter 1294.

No. 374. Ordinance, See Chapter 1295.

No. 375. Ordinance, See Chapter 1296.

No. 376. Ordinance, See Chapter 1297.

No. 377. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Pay the Sum of \$91,007.22 to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds the sum of ninety-one thousand seven and 22/100 (\$91,007.22) dollars, being the unexpended cash balance of money appropriated and hired for Loan Accounts under the following Public Laws and City Council Ordinances and Resolutions:

| <i>Account</i> | <i>Public Law</i> |
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| W. P. A.—S. U. R.—E. U. R. | Ch. 835-1940 |
| Highway Special | Ch. 1070-1927 |

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| P. W. A. Docket No. 1150-F | Ch. 2078-1933 |
| P. W. A. Docket No. 1173-F | Ch. 2078-1933 |
| P. W. A. Docket No. 6579 | Ch. 2078-1933 |
| | Ch. 2136-1934 |
| Sewer Construction | Ch. 2520-1937 |
| Point St. School | Ch. 1017-1902 |
| | Ch. 841-1940 |
| Windmill St. School | Ch. 841-1940 |
| School Sprinklers | Ch. 510-1897 |
| School Fire Alarm | Ch. 510-1897 |
| Mt. Pleasant School | Ch. 510-1897 |

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Commissioners of Sinking Funds, acting under authority of Section 10 of Chapter 61 of the Revised Ordinances of 1914, shall add the same to the Sinking Funds under their control.

| <i>City Council</i> | <i>Amount</i> |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| O. Ch.-1099-1941 | \$50,297.29 |
| R. No.- 173-1927 | 9.72 |
| R. No.- 204-1928 | |
| R. No.- 472-1929 | |
| O. Ch.- 964-1938 | 13,090.01 |
| R. No.- 311-1938 | 16,820.73 |
| O. Ch.- 892-1934 | 63.52 |
| R. No.- 296-1938 | 259.72 |
| R. No.- 156-1941 | 3,963.65 |
| R. No.- 120-1940 | 5,462.90 |
| R. No.- 25-1938 | 911.52 |
| R. No.- 25-1938 | 43.90 |
| R. No.- 25-1938 | 90.26 |
| Total | <hr/> \$91,007.22 |

No. 378. Resolution Authorizing the City Auditor to Close Out Unused Capital Appropriation Accounts.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the authority to expend for "Capital Purposes" heretofore granted by the City Council, represented by the following aggregate balances is hereby rescinded, viz.:

Unallotted

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| W. P. A. | 122.65 |
| S. U. R. | 168,832.05 |

Allotted

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| W. P. A.—Old Program | 31,847.19 |
| S. U. R.—Old Program | 75,548.16 |
| W. P. A. New Program | 12,567.47 |
| S. U. R.—New Program | 1,379.77 |
| Highway—Special | 9.72 |
| P. W. A. Docket No. 1150-F | 13,090.01 |
| P. W. A. Docket No. 1173-F | 16,820.73 |
| P. W. A. Docket No. 6579 | 63.52 |
| Sewer Construction | 253.72 |
| Point St. School | 3,963.65 |
| Windmill St. School | 5,462.90 |
| School Sprinkler System | 911.52 |
| School Fire Alarm System | 43.90 |
| Mt. Pleasant School | 90.26 |

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| Total | \$331,007.22 |
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and the City Auditor is hereby authorized and directed to close out said unused capital accounts.

No. 379. Resolution Authorizing the Acting Mayor of the City of Providence to Enter Into a Contract with the Northwestern Water Company Providing for the Sale of Water to Said Corporation Substantially in Accordance with the Terms of the Accompanying Draft Agreement.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Acting Mayor of the City of Providence be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a contract with the Northwestern Water Company, a Rhode Island corporation, providing for the sale of water to said corporation substantially in accordance with the terms of the accompanying draft agreement. (For agreement, see City Council Files.)

No. 380. Resolution Refunding to Mary L. Cavanaugh the Sum of Sixty-five Dollars and Eleven Cents (\$65.11) Said Sum Representing 1943 Real Estate Taxes Erroneously Assessed and Paid by Said Mary L. Cavanaugh.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Mary L. Cavanaugh (Goldberg and Goldberg, Attorneys), the sum of Sixty-five Dollars and Eleven Cents (\$65.11) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of 1943 taxes assessed against said Mary L. Cavanaugh and said taxes having been subsequently reduced and abated through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council; said sum of Sixty-five Dollars and Eleven Cents (\$65.11) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 381. Resolution Refunding to Rimnik Corporation the Sum of Nine Hundred and Sixty-four Dollars (\$964.00), Said Sum Representing 1943 Real Estate Taxes Erroneously Assessed and Paid by Said Rimnik Corporation.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Rimnik Corporation the sum of Nine Hundred and Sixty-four Dollars (\$964.00) be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1943 tax assessed against said Rimnik Corporation, said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council; said sum of Nine Hundred and Sixty-four Dollars (\$964.00) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 382. Resolution Describing the Area at Atwells and Balbo Avenues as "Sergeant Louis Carchio Memorial Square."

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the area described as follows be and the same shall be known as "Sergeant Louis Carchio Memorial Square" in recognition of his death while in the service of the armed forces of our country:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Atwells and Balbo avenues; thence southerly in a straight line crossing Atwells avenue to the southeasterly corner of Atwells and Balbo avenues; thence westerly crossing Balbo avenue to the southwesterly corner of Atwells and Balbo avenues; thence northerly in a straight line crossing Atwells avenue to the northwesterly corner of At-

wells and Balbo avenues ; thence easterly crossing Balbo avenue to the northeasterly corner of Atwells and Balbo avenues and the point and place of beginning ; provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed to change the designation of Atwells and Balbo avenues which are hereby declared to continue in and through said area designated as "Sergeant Louis Carchio Memorial Square."

No. 383. Resolution Commending the Mayor's Committee and Members of the Staff at the Providence Servicemen's Center on Its First Anniversary.

(Approved September 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence hereby records its appreciation of the unselfish services of the Mayor's Committee of the Servicemen's Center and the members of the staff at the Providence Servicemen's Center on Fountain street on this September 21, the first anniversary of the opening of the Center.

Up to the present time the Servicemen's Center has provided overnight accommodations for 30,061 men, of which number 5,268 men have been accommodated free of charge.

The facilities of the lounge, shower baths and accommodations for transients have been used by 68,251 men.

The City Council especially commends the sponsors of this project for the efficient work which they have performed in behalf of the Servicemen who visited the City of Providence during the past year.

No. 384. Report of the Special Committee Created to Confer with His Excellency, Governor J. Howard McGrath, Upon the Advisability of Providing Quarters for the Juvenile Court.

No. 385. Report of the Special Committee on Municipal Celebration of Labor Day, 1944 Is Received.

No. 386. Communication from Michael N. Cardarelli, Chairman of the Board of Tax Assessors, Containing the Gross Amount of Tax Assessment for 1944 Is Received.

Nos. 387-388. Communications Enclosing Statements of the Acting City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and WPA and SUR Projects for the Period Ended August 31, 1944.

No. 389. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for August, 1944 Is Received.

No. 390. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for August, 1944 Is Received.

No. 391. Report of Health Department Activities for July, 1944 Is Received.

No. 392. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for Weeks Ending September 9 and 16, 1944 Are Received.

No. 393. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$1,622.02 Is Approved.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

OCTOBER 5, 1944.

No. 394. Resolution Appointing William H. O'Neil, Supervisor of Domestic Relations in the Department of Public Welfare of the City of Providence to Sign Complaints Against Any Person for Certain Designated Offenses.

(Approved October 6, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That William H. O'Neil, in his capacity as Supervisor of Domestic Relations in the Department of Public Welfare of the City of Providence, or such other person as may at any time hold said office, be and he hereby is appointed and designated to make and sign complaints against any person for any of the offenses set forth in Section 38 of Chapter 610 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, Revision of 1938.

No. 395. Resolution Creating a Special Committee on Armistice Day Celebration, 1944.

(Approved October 6, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a Special Committee of the City Council, consisting of five members of the City Council to be appointed by the President thereof, be and the same is hereby created for the purpose of arranging and conducting a proper municipal celebration of Armistice Day, November 11, 1944, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the sum of Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, said sum to be charged to funds not otherwise appropriated, which is in addition to the appropriation in Ordinance No. 366, Chapter 1287, Public Celebrations Item 88, approved September 22, 1944, for the proper celebration of Armistice Day.

No. 396. Resolution Opposing the Adoption of the Plan of the McCarran Committee of the United States Senate and Urging the Rhode Island Delegation and Congress to Work Against Such Plan.

(Approved October 6, 1944.)

Whereas, A plan has been proposed by the McCarran Committee of the United States Senate which would bar reconversion of Government-owned war industries in many eastern and northern states, including the State of Rhode Island;

And Whereas, The adoption of such a plan would be absolutely against the interest of this State and of the City of Providence;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the members of the City Council of the City of Providence, strongly oppose the adoption of any such plan, and call upon the two United States

Senators and the two United States Representatives from the State of Rhode Island to use their every effort in defeating any such plan ;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be furnished to each of the United States Senators and each of the Representatives from Rhode Island.

No. 397. Resolution Allocating \$6,500.00 for
"Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

(Approved October 6, 1944.)

Whereas, By annual appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, certain sums of money were appropriated for General Public Assistance, and

Whereas, The Director of Public Welfare and the Budget Director, by virtue of authority conferred upon them by Chapter 1182 of the Ordinances approved April 10, 1943, have approved the following allocation,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That from the sum appropriated for General Public Assistance Unallocated—Item 0, Personal Services, in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, the sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6500.00) dollars, be and is hereby allocated for work on the project listed as "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the authority granted by this Resolution shall expire December 31, 1944. And said sum of money allocated by this Resolution shall be charged to the account as set up for said project.

No. 398. Bill of the Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting for the Month of August, 1944 in the Amount of \$23,770.15 Is Approved.

No. 399. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List, See City Council Files.)

No. 400. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

No. 401. Report of the City Clerk for the Quarter Ended September 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 402. Report of the Department of Health for the Month of August, 1944 Is Received.

No. 403. Report of the City Messenger for the Month of August, 1944 Is Received.

No. 404. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended September 23 and September 30, 1944 Are Received.

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- No. 405. Communication from Acting Mayor William A. Cahir Regarding the Participation of the American Legion, Department of Rhode Island, in the Dedication of Public Squares, Parks, Etc., Is Received.

IN CITY COUNCIL.

OCTOBER 19, 1944.

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- No. 406. Ordinance, See Chapter 1298.

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- No. 407. Petition of New England Transportation Company, Accompanied by a Resolution Requesting Permission to Clean by Steam Process the Exterior Walls of the Providence Bus Terminal Building, Located on Fountain, Eddy and Worcester Streets.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That permission be and is hereby granted to the New England Transportation Co. to clean by steam process the exterior of masonry walls of the Providence Bus Terminal Building, located on Fountain, Eddy and Worcester streets; said work to be done under the direction of the Inspector of Buildings.

No. 408. Resolution Refunding to Paul A. Rioles, the Sum of Ninety-nine (\$99.00) Dollars, Said Sum Representing Overpayment of a Portion of 1943 Real Estate Taxes Erroneously Assessed and Paid by Said Paul A. Rioles.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Paul A. Rioles the sum of Ninety-nine (\$99.00) Dollars be refunded; said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1943 Real Estate Tax assessed against said Paul A. Rioles; said sum of Ninety-nine (\$99.00) Dollars to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 409. Resolution Refunding to Graves Realty Inc., the Sum of One Thousand Forty-four Dollars and Ninety-six Cents (\$1044.96), Said Sum Representing Overpayment of a Portion of 1938 Real Estate Taxes Erroneously Assessed and Paid by Said Graves Realty, Inc.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Graves Realty, Inc., the sum of One Thousand Forty-four Dollars and Ninety-six Cents (\$1044.96) be refunded; said sum representing overpayment of a portion of 1938 tax assessed against said Graves Realty Inc.; said tax having been subsequently reduced through a certificate of correction approved by the City Council; said sum of One Thousand Forty-four Dollars and Ninety-six Cents (\$1044.96) to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 410. Resolution Abating to John F. Allen the Sum of Five (\$5.00) Dollars, Said Sum Representing Over-Assessment of 1943 Personal Property Tax Erroneously Assessed Against Said John F. Allen.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to John F. Allen the sum of Five (\$5.00) Dollars be abated; said sum representing over-assessment of 1943 Personal Property Tax assessed against said John F. Allen; said tax having been reduced through a certificate of correction filed by the Board of Tax Assessors certifying that John F. Allen was entitled to his veteran exemption; said sum of Five (\$5.00) Dollars abated to be applied against any tax now owed by said John F. Allen.

No. 411. Resolution Authorizing the Payment to John Moore of the Sum of Forty-eight (\$48.00) Dollars, Said Sum Representing the Amount of Appraisal of Damages Sustained Under the Dog Law.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a draft for Forty-eight (\$48.00) Dollars covering the amount of appraisal of damage done to sheep of John Moore (73 Hagan street), and the fees of the appraisal be drawn upon the City Treasurer, said payment to be made in accordance with the law thereto appertaining, and that the City Treasurer be directed to recover the same in an action of the case against the owner or keeper of the dog doing said damage.

No. 412. Resolution Authorizing Payment to Jerry Cinquegrano of the Sum of Thirty-three (\$33.00) Dollars, Said Sum Representing the Amount of Appraisal of Damages Sustained Under the Dog Law.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That a draft for Thirty-three (\$33.00) Dollars covering the amount of appraisal of damage done to sheep of Jerry Cinquegrano (740 Hartford avenue) and the fees of the appraisal, be drawn upon the City Treasurer, said payment to be made in accordance with the law thereto appertaining, and that the City Treasurer be directed to recover the same in an action of the case against the owner or keeper of the dog doing said damage.

No. 413. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Dike Street.

(Approved October 20, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 30 on Plat No. 105 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1935, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 25th, 1937, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Arthur Desrochers of \$164.43 for Lot No. 30 on Plat No. 105, and as

the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Arthur Desrochers for the price herein approved.

No. 414. Bill of the Narragansett Electric Company for Street Lighting for the Month of September, 1944 in the Amount of \$24,019.53 Is Approved.

No. 415. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$1,288.83 Is Approved.

No. 416. Report from Bureau of Police and Fire for the Quarter Ended September 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 417. Report from Harbor Master for the Period Ended September 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 418. Reports from Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended October 7 and 14, 1944 Are Severally Received.

No. 419. Two Hundred Sixty-second Quarterly Report from Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds Is Received.

No. 420. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Read and Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

IN CITY COUNCIL.

NOVEMBER 2, 1944.

No. 421. Ordinance, See Chapter 1299.

No. 422. Ordinance, See Chapter 1300.

No. 423. Resolution Authorizing an Investigation of the Bureau of Police and Fire.

(Approved November 3, 1944.)

Whereas, Sec. 30 of the charter of the City of Providence confers upon the City Council, or any committee thereof duly authorized by the Council to do so, power from time to time to conduct an investigation or investigations into the conduct of

any office or department of the city government and may require the mayor or any department head to furnish from time to time such information as shall be desired by the council, and

Whereas, Under Sec. 50 of the said City Charter the mayor shall cause the affairs of any department, board, bureau or commission to be examined whenever in his judgment the good of the city shall require the same, and

Whereas, In the opinion of the four minority members of the City Council a thorough investigation into the conduct of the Bureau of Police and Fire should be made because of the many charges by the press and by speakers over the radio of the commission of many serious and unsolved crimes, of incompetence and neglect of duty on the part of the Commissioners, officers and other personnel and also because of charges that the said Bureau is under the political domination of a person without authority to act,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council authorizes an investigation into the conduct of the Bureau of Police and Fire and also authorizes Acting Mayor Cahir to appoint forthwith a committee of five members of the City Council, two of which shall be from the minority party, to conduct the said investigation.

No. 424. Resolution Abating to Rose Smira the Sum of One Hundred Forty Dollars and Forty-two Cents (\$140.42), Said Sum Representing Curbing Assessment for 1941 Erroneously Assessed Against Said Rose Smira.

(Approved November 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Rose Smira the sum of One Hundred Forty and 42/100 (\$140.42) Dollars be abated; said sum representing 1941 curbing assessment assessed against said Rose Smira in connection with her property at 30-32 Taylor street, said abate-

ment being in accordance with the agreement entered into by said Rose Smira and the City of Providence in connection with extension of Robinson street; said sum of One Hundred and Forty and 42/100 (\$140.42) Dollars abated to be applied against any assessment now owed by said Rose Smira.

No. 425. Resolution Relative to Installing a Street Light at Humboldt Avenue and Elton Street.

(Approved November 3, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the Committee on Public Works be and it is hereby requested to consider the advisability of causing a street light to be erected at the northeasterly corner of Humboldt avenue and Elton street.

No. 426. Resolution Congratulating Councilman Charles B. Coppen on His Birthday.

(Approved November 3, 1944.)

Whereas, One of our colleagues is today celebrating his birthday; and

Whereas, We who have known him feel he does not show his age;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the members of this Body, join with Councilman Charles B. Coppen and his happy family in celebrating his birthday.

No. 427. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream and Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List, See City Council Files.)

No. 428. Report of the Special Committee on Columbus Day Celebration for 1944, Is Received.

No. 429. Report of the City Messenger for the Month of September, 1944 Is Received.

No. 430. Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ended October 21, and October 28, 1944 Are Received.

No. 431. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for September, 1944 Is Received.

No. 432. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Read and Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

IN CITY COUNCIL.

NOVEMBER 16, 1944.

No. 433. Ordinance, See Chapter 1301.

No. 434. Resolution Changing the Name of Bigelow Court.

(Approved November 17, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the name of Bigelow Court, from Federal street southerly to its southerly termination be changed to Albro street.

No. 435. Resolution Changing the Name of Miantonomi Court.

(Approved November 17, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the name of Miantonomi Court, from Federal street southerly to its southerly termination be changed to Weeden street.

No. 436. Resolution Changing the Name of Bellingham Court.

(Approved November 17, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the name of Bellingham Court, from Federal street southerly to its southerly termination be changed to Barker street.

No. 437. Resolution Requesting the Public Service Engineer to Make a Study and Report Upon a Smoke Nuisance Emanating from the Star Cleansing Company Located at 564 Manton Avenue.

(Approved November 17, 1944.)

Whereas, There are numerous complaints from residents living in the vicinity of 564 Manton avenue by reason of a smoke nuisance emanating from the Star Cleansing Company, located at 564 Manton avenue, and

Whereas, These residents complain of a health nuisance by reason of smoke and soot emanating from the premises at 564 Manton avenue, which causes considerable damages to property and clothes of the neighbors within at least a fifty-yard radius of the Star Cleansing Company,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Public Service Engineer, Ex-Officio Smoke Inspector, be and he is hereby requested to make a study and report upon this alleged condition at the next meeting of the City Council, which will be held on Thursday, December 7, 1944.

No. 438. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Atilla Street.

(Approved November 17, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lots No. 338, 339 and 340 on Plat No. 114 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1940, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 26th, 1942, said notice in writing to be addressed to

the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Peter Trombetta of the following amounts for said lots:

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| Plat 114 Lot 338 Amount offered | \$13.03 |
| Plat 114 Lot 339 Amount offered | 16.49 |
| Plat 114 Lot 340 Amount offered | 16.24 |
| | \$45.76 |

and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Peter Trombetta for the prices herein approved for each lot.

No. 439. Report on Highway Expenditures for the Fiscal Year 1942-1943 as Requested by a Vote of the City Council at Its Meeting of Thursday, November 2, 1944 Is Received.

No. 440. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending November 4 and November 11, 1944 Are Received.

Nos. 441-442. Communications Enclosing Statements of the First Deputy City Auditor on General Public Assistance Work and Home Relief Projects and WPA and SUR Projects for the Period Ended September 30, 1944, Are Received.

No. 443. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for October, 1944 Is Received.

No. 444. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for September, 1944 Is Received.

No. 445. Report of the Activities of the Department of Health for the Month of September, 1944 Is Received.

No. 446. Report of the Committee on Claims and Pending Suits Relative to the Number of Cases in Which Settlements Were Recommended for the Quarter Ended September 30, 1944 Is Received.

No. 447. Report on Investigation of Bureau of Police and Fire Is Received.

No. 448. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream or Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List See City Council Files.)

No. 449. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$1,763.21 Is Approved.

No. 450. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists See City Council Files.)

IN CITY COUNCIL.

DECEMBER 7, 1944.

No. 451. Ordinance, See Chapter 1302.

No. 452. Ordinance, See Chapter 1303.

No. 453. Ordinance, See Chapter 1304.

No. 454. Ordinance, See Chapter 1305.

No. 455. Ordinance, See Chapter 1306.

No. 456. Resolution Approving the Proposed Extension of Air Line Service to the Hillsgrove Airport.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Whereas, Certain outstanding Airline Companies now serving the various sections of the United States have filed application with the United States Civil Aeronautics Board for authority to extend their routes and establish services to and from the Hillsgrove Airport of the State of Rhode Island;

And Whereas, The growing importance and value of air transportation to the business and industrial interests of the City of Providence and State of Rhode Island necessitates the establishment of competitive through airline service to and from the various communities now served or to be served by the several airline applicants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City of Providence hereby records its approval and support of the proposed extension of the routes and services of the applicant Airline Companies and respectfully urges the Civil Aeronautics Board to give favorable consideration to the applications for the establishment of additional airline service to and from the State of Rhode Island and its tributary area, particularly the City of Providence.

No. 457. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Gallileo Avenue.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 51 on Plat No. 129 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1934, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 19th, 1936, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Julio Marsella of \$23.55 for Lot No. 51 on Plat No. 129, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Julio Marsella for the price herein approved.

No. 458. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Chapman Street.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 32 on Plat No. 101 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15, 1936, said lot having

been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 24, 1938, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Axel F. Johnson of \$190.00 for Lot No. 32 on Plat No. 101, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Axel E. Johnson for the price herein approved.

No. 459. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Killingly Street.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lots No. 355 and 356 on Plat No. 114 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1934, said lots having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 19th, 1936, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Peter M. Trombetta of the following amounts for said lots:

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| Plat 114 Lot 355 Amount offered | \$72.13 |
| Plat 114 Lot 356 Amount offered | 72.13 |
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| | \$144.26 |

and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Peter M. Trombetta for the prices herein approved for each lot.

No. 460. Resolution Endorsing the Providence College Gymnasium Fund Drive.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Whereas, Providence College in its more than twenty-five years of existence has achieved a high place in the scholastic world, and

Whereas, Its physical educational facilities need improvement and enlargement in order that the college attain further recognition in the educational field, and

Whereas, Providence College has recognized this need of physical training by inaugurating a drive to raise the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$350,000.00) Dollars to defray the cost of erecting a new and modern gymnasium,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Providence heartily endorses this worthwhile effort and respectfully urges the citizens of the City of Providence and the State of Rhode Island to cooperate by contributing generously to this splendid endeavor.

No. 461. Resolution Extending to Councilman William D'Abate Sincere Wishes of the Members of the City Council for a Rapid and Complete Recovery.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

Whereas, Following a major operation, one of the members of this august body is now recuperating,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members of this City Council extend to our colleague William D'Abate sincere wishes for a rapid and complete recovery.

No. 462. Resolution on the Life and Character of the Late Very Reverend John Jordan Dillon, O.P., Ph.D.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of the late President of Providence College, the Very Reverend John Jordan Dillon, O.P., Ph.D., be and the same is hereby adopted and ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council:

MINUTE

Very Reverend John Jordan Dillon was born in Derby, Conn., on September 2, 1898. He graduated from Derby High School in 1917 and shortly thereafter enlisted in the United States Navy, where he was assigned to duty aboard a submarine tender. Following the close of the war he entered Providence College and subsequently received his A.B. degree.

Father Dillon was received into the Order of Preachers on August 25, 1923. Later he studied at St. Thomas Aquinas College in River Forest, Ill. Subsequently, on August 26, 1926, Father Dillon made his solemn profession in the Dominican Order at the College of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D. C. During the same year he received from the Catholic

University of America the degree of Master of Arts. A year later he was awarded the degree of Doctor of Sacred Theology by Immaculate Conception College.

Father Dillon was ordained a priest on June 16, 1929.

Father Dillon was the recipient of many honorary degrees which included the degree of Doctor of Philosophy awarded by the Pontifical International University in Rome in 1932; the degree of Doctor of Laws, awarded by Brown University in 1941, and a similar degree conferred by Rhode Island State College in 1942. Father Dillon was appointed Professor of Cosmology and Theodicy at Providence College in 1932. A year later he was named Vicar Superior and assumed the duties of Assistant Dean of Providence College. In 1936 Father Dillon was honored when he was appointed the fourth President of Providence College and he was one of the youngest college presidents in the country. His administration resulted in a marked expansion of the college facilities.

Father Dillon was a true priest of the church, a distinguished educator and a civic leader. In his death Providence College and the entire community have lost the services of a devout priest and a great educator.

No. 463. Resolution on the Life and Character of the Late Dr. J. Henry Manning.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following Minute on the life and character of the late Dr. J. Henry Manning, former member of the City Council, who died Wednesday, November 22, 1944, be and the same is hereby adopted, ordered inscribed on the records of the City Council and a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased:

MINUTE

Dr. J. Henry Manning was born in Providence, R. I., on

September 14, 1870, the son of the late John and Mary (O'Sullivan) Manning. He was educated in the public schools of this City, took special courses at Brown University and was graduated from the Boston Dental School in 1899, receiving the degree of D.D.S. Later on he did graduate work at Tufts Dental College from which he received the degree of D.M.D. Dr. Manning was a practicing dentist in Providence for the past four decades and was President of the Rhode Island Dental Society in 1910 and again a few years later.

He entered public life as a Colonel on the staff of Gov. George H. Utter in 1905. In 1918 he was elected to the Common Council from the First Ward and served continuously until 1927, being President of the Common Council from 1925 to 1927. From 1927 to 1931 he was a member of the Board of Aldermen. In 1934 Dr. Manning was elected to the State Legislature as representative from the Second Providence District and held that office for five successive terms.

During his City and State service he was a member of many important committees and commissions, and in the State Legislature was particularly interested in the development of dental statutes. He was largely instrumental in making the Rhode Island State dental laws among the best in the country.

Dr. Manning was a conscientious and faithful public servant with a keen interest in the welfare of his community. The members of this City Council deplore his death and extend to his family this expression of profound sympathy in its bereavement.

Nos. 464-470 Inc. Resolutions Accepting Gifts of
Certain Sums of Moneys from Certain Persons for
the Preservation and Care of Specified Burial Lots
in North Burial Ground.

(Approved December 8, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the following gifts of the following sums of

moneys to the Board of Park Commissioners, in trust, the income thereof to be applied, under the provisions of Chapter 367 of the Public Laws, January Session 1861, to the preservation and care of the following specified burial lots in said ground be and the same are hereby respectively accepted as follows, viz.: Asdour Artin Coloian, National Bank of Commerce & Trust Co., Margaret Harmina Boyajian, Margaret B. Wright, Harry P. Vartian, John J. Flanagan, William A. Talty, Everett J. Stillwell, Eva Ward, Boghos Sahagian, Helga F. Persson, Katherine Charos, Ely Tatarian, William H. Warren and wife Mary A., Mabel E. Glover, Dorothy L. Charles, Frederick W. Stewart and wife Estella V., Harry Yahjian and wife Zabel, Samuel Yahjian and wife Sultan, Carl J. Carlson and wife Ingrid J., Frances M. Rushworth, Hjalmar Olson and wife Anna E., Rachel E. Smith, Charles H. Ward, George E. Anderson, Carmine Parrillo, James F. Wike, et al., Sarah Wilcox, N. Arthur Hyland and wife Florence M., C. Edward Riley, Charles A. Apkarian, Est. of Maude S. S. Jalbert, Edward D. Keith and Theodore B. Keith, Arthur Wade and wife Florence, George M. Bellegris, Harry Carlson, et al, Mary Y. Bruckshaw, and Albert E. Aldrich, Sr., and wife Annie E.

No. 471. Sundry Licenses to Certain Persons, Firms and Corporations to Sell, Exchange and Deliver Milk, Cream or Skimmed Milk in the City of Providence Are Severally Read and Granted. (For List, See City Council Files.)

No. 472. Narragansett Electric Company Street Lighting Bill for the Month of October, 1944 in the Amount of \$20,896.60 Is Approved.

No. 473. Communication Appointing Councilmen Charles H. O'Connor, Angelo Aiello, Henry J. McLaughlin, Ernest C. Munroe and Charles B. Coppen to Serve as Members of the Committee on Municipal Christmas Celebration, 1944.

No. 474. Report of the Activities of the Department of Health for the Month of October, 1944 Is Received.

No. 475. Report of the City Messenger for the Month of October, 1944 Is Received.

No. 476. Report of the City Treasurer for the Month of October, 1944 Is Received.

No. 477. Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending November 18, November 25, and December 2, 1944 Are Received.

No. 478. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Severally Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

IN CITY COUNCIL.

DECEMBER 21, 1944.

No. 479. Ordinance, See Chapter 1307.

No. 480. Ordinance, See Chapter 1308.

No. 481. Ordinance, See Chapter 1309.

No. 482. Ordinance, See Chapter 1310.

No. 483. Resolution Authorizing and Directing Joseph C. Keegan, as First Deputy City Auditor, to Sign and Register Bonds Sold to Halsey Stuart & Co., Inc. and Associates.

(Approved December 22, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That Joseph C. Keegan, in his capacity as First Deputy City Auditor of the City of Providence, be and he hereby is authorized and directed to sign and register as First Deputy City Auditor those certain bonds of the City of Providence designated as \$3,500,000.00 of "Public Improvement Loan" bonds and \$1,000,000.00 of "Funding" bonds recently sold by the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds and The Employees' Retirement System of the City of Providence to Halsey Stuart & Co., Inc. and associates, all of said bonds bearing the original issue date of June 1, 1941.

No. 484. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Lynde Street.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 136 on Plat No. 122 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30th, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Frank A. Merlino of \$63.11 for Lot No. 136 on Plat No. 122, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Frank A. Merlino for the price herein approved.

No. 485. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on North Main Street.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 47 on Plat No. 8 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1933, said lot having

been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held September 26th, 1935, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Celestino Cicchetti of \$2,250.00 for Lot No. 47 on Plat No. 8, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Celestino Cicchetti for the price herein approved.

No. 486. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on West River Street.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 76 on Plat No. 2 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1937, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held March 30, 1939, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Edna Samos of \$127.91 for Lot No. 76 on Plat No. 2, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Edna Samos for the price herein approved.

No. 487. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Bates Street.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in writing addressed to the owners of Lot No. 479 on Plat No. 9 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1935, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 25th, 1937, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owners of record at the time of the sale, their heirs, assigns or devisees, at their last usual place of abode, and notifying them that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Louis L. Rottenberg of \$112.47 for Lot No. 479 on Plat No. 9, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Louis L. Rottenberg for the price herein approved.

No. 488. Resolution Authorizing the City Treasurer to Arrange for the Redemption or Sale of Certain Land on Bates Street.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the City Treasurer may give notification in

writing addressed to the owner of Lot No. 463 on Plat No. 9 made for the use of the Board of Assessors as said plat appeared in the office of said Board on June 15th, 1936, said lot having been sold to the City of Providence at tax sale held February 24th, 1938, said notice in writing to be addressed to the owner of record at the time of the sale, his heirs, assigns or devisees, at his last usual place of abode, and notifying him that said real estate will be offered for sale at private sale unless redeemed within thirty days of said notification.

The City Treasurer has received an offer made by Louis L. Rottenberg of \$117.53 for Lot No. 463 on Plat No. 9, and as the period for the redemption of this property has expired, this offer is hereby approved in accordance to the law thereto appertaining.

If said real estate shall not be redeemed within said thirty days, the City Treasurer is hereby authorized to sell and convey the same to the said Louis L. Rottenberg for the price herein approved.

No. 489. Resolution Refunding to Harvey J. Flint the Sum of One Hundred Eighty-seven Dollars Ninety-six (\$187.96) Cents, Said Sum Representing Refund on 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936 and 1937 Tangible Personal Property Taxes Erroneously Assessed and Paid; Said Taxes Having Been Previously Abated by the City Council.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Harvey J. Flint the sum of one hundred eighty-seven dollars and ninety-six (\$187.96) cents be refunded whenever the City shall be released in a manner satisfactory to the City Solicitor of all claims for same, said sum representing payment on 1933 to 1937 inclusive tangible personal property taxes erroneously assessed and paid according to a certification by the City Treasurer's Department; said sum to be paid in the

ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 490. Resolution Refunding to Marguerite H. H. Stewart the Sum of Eighteen Hundred (\$1800.00) Dollars, Said Sum Representing Refund on 1937 to 1942 Taxes Assessed and Paid in Duplicate.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Marguerite H. H. Stewart the sum of eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars be refunded whenever the City shall be released in the manner satisfactory to the City Solicitor of all claims for same, said sum representing assessment and payment in duplicate of 1937 to 1942 inclusive intangible personal property taxes, said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 491. Resolution Refunding to Barnaby Conrad, Florence B. Conrad, Maude C. Keeney, and Catherine H. Wilkinson, c/o Industrial Trust Company, the Sum of Fourteen Hundred Seventy-two Dollars and Twenty-five (\$1472.25) Cents, Said Sum Representing Overpayment on 1943 Real Estate Taxes.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Barnaby Conrad, Florence B. Conrad, Maude C. Keeney, Catherine H. Wilkinson, (Industrial Trust Company, Attorney-in-Fact) (Industrial Trust Company, Trustee under indenture of Maude C. Keeney) the sum of fourteen hundred seventy-two dollars and twenty-five (\$1,472.25) cents

be refunded whenever the City shall be released in a manner satisfactory to the City Solicitor of all claims for same, said sum representing overpayment of 1943 taxes assessed against the aforementioned tax payers, said taxes having been reduced by a certification of correction filed by the Board of Tax Assessors on April 28, 1944 to the City Council, said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 492. Resolution Refunding to Charles E. V. Kennon the Sum of Sixteen (\$16.00) Dollars, Said Sum Representing Overpayment on 1944 Taxes Erroneously Assessed and Paid.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Charles R. V. Kennon the sum of sixteen (\$16.00) dollars be refunded whenever the City shall be released in a manner satisfactory to the City Solicitor of all claims for same, said sum representing overpayment of 1944 taxes assessed against said Charles E. V. Kennon according to a certification of correction approved by the City Council on October 11, 1944, said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 493. Resolution Refunding to Helen Lannon the Sum of One Dollar and Twenty-five (\$1.25) Cents, Said Sum Representing 1942 Poll Tax and Collection Charges Assessed in Duplicate and Paid in Error.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Helen Lannon the sum of one dollar twenty-

five (\$1.25) cents be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of 1943 poll tax assessment and charges assessed against said Helen Lannon and paid twice through error, said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing said payments.

No. 494. Resolution Refunding to Joseph Werbicki the Sum of One Dollar Twenty-five (\$1.25) Cents, Said Sum Representing 1943 Poll Tax and Collection Charges Assessed in Duplicate and Paid in Error.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That to Joseph Werbicki the sum of one dollar twenty-five (\$1.25) cents be refunded, said sum representing overpayment of 1943 poll tax assessment and charges assessed against said Joseph Werbicki and paid twice through error, said sum to be paid in the ordinary course of payments by the City of Providence according to the Ordinances governing such payments.

No. 495. Resolution of the City Council Extending the Thanks of This Body to the Representatives of the Press.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the appreciation and thanks of this Body are hereby extended to the representatives of the Press who have accompanied this Council in its deliberations during the 1943-1944 session of the City Council, and for the impartial reports they have made of the proceedings, together with the many courtesies shown the members.

No. 496. Resolution Continuing All Unfinished Business Now Pending Before This Body to the First Tuesday in January, A. D. 1945.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That all unfinished business now pending before this City Council be and the same is hereby continued to the next City Council which meets on the first Tuesday in January, 1945.

No. 497. Resolution Extending the Appreciation of This Body to the City Clerk and His Deputies for the Performance of Their Duties During the 1943-1944 Session of the City Council.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this City Council are hereby extended to the City Clerk and his associates for the satisfactory manner in which they have performed their duties during the past two years.

No. 498. Resolution Extending to the City Sergeant and His Deputies Appreciation of This Body for the Manner in Which They Executed the Duties of Their Respective Offices During the 1943-44 Session of the City Council.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this City Council are hereby extended to the City Sergeant and his Deputies for the satisfac-

tory manner in which they have performed their duties during the past two years.

No. 499. Resolution Thanking President William A. Cahir for the Satisfactory Manner in Which He Presided Over Deliberations of This City Council Since January 4, 1943.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this City Council be and they are hereby extended to the President thereof, William A. Cahir, for the efficient, impartial, and satisfactory manner in which he presided over the deliberations of this City Council since January 4, 1943, and as an expression of esteem the City Messenger is hereby directed to cause the gavel used by Mr. President Cahir since January 4, 1943, to be suitably inscribed and presented to him.

No. 500. Resolution Extending to President Franklin Delano Roosevelt the Congratulations of This Body Upon His Re-election for a Fourth Consecutive Time.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Whereas, The Electoral College, by mandate of a majority of the voting population of the United States of America, recently assembled in the various States and officially cast their ballots for their candidates for the high office of President of these United States, and

Whereas, By that official act President Franklin Delano Roosevelt was re-elected to the highest office within the gift of these United States,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members of this City Council extend to President Franklin Delano Roosevelt their sincere congratulations and best wishes upon his re-election to the Presidency for the fourth consecutive time.

No. 501. Resolution Commending the Protective Agencies of the City of Providence for the Efficient Manner in Which the Recent Fire at the Main Plant of the F. H. Buffington Company on Eddy Street Was Extinguished.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Whereas, A four-alarm fire, threatening a section of the downtown manufacturing district, recently occurred, which necessitated bringing out the combined efforts of the City's protective agencies, and

Whereas, Due to the efficient and diligent work of the Police Department, the Fire Department, and the Department of Public Works, the conflagration was extinguished with a minimum loss of valuable property,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the members of this City Council commend the Bureau of Police and Fire, the Chief of the Fire Department and its personnel, the Chief of the Police Department and its personnel, and the Director of Public Works and the personnel thereof, for the efficient manner in which the recent fire at the Main Plant of the F. H. Buffington Company on Eddy street was extinguished.

No. 502. Resolution Allocating \$6,500.00 for "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Whereas, By annual appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287,

certain sums of money were appropriated for General Public Assistance, and

Whereas, The Director of Public Welfare and the Budget Director, by virtue of authority conferred upon them by Chapter 1182 of the Ordinances approved April 10, 1943, have approved the following allocation,

Now, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That from the sum appropriated for General Public Assistance Unallocated—Item 0, Personal Services, in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance, Chapter 1287, the sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars, be and is hereby allocated for work on the project listed as "Cleaning and Maintenance General 52-01."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the authority granted by this Resolution shall expire March 31, 1945. And said sum of money allocated by this Resolution shall be charged to the account as set up for said project.

No. 503. Resolution Extending the Good Wishes of
This Body to Charles B. Coppen and G. Elmer Lord.

(Approved December 26, 1944.)

Whereas, Charles B. Coppen and G. Elmer Lord have served the City of Providence efficiently and conscientiously in this City Council for a number of years, and

Whereas, They are soon to retire from public life to resume their occupations as private citizens,

Now, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That this City Council go on record as wishing said Charles B. Coppen and G. Elmer Lord GodsPEED and success in whatever they undertake in private life.

No. 504. The Account of Dexter Asylum Maintenance in the Amount of \$2,369.60 Is Approved.

No. 505. Monthly Statement of the City Auditor for November, 1944 Is Received.

No. 506. Annual Report of the City Treasurer for the Financial Year 1943-1944 Is Received.

No. 507. Monthly Report of the City Treasurer for November, 1944 Is Received.

No. 508. Weekly Reports of the Superintendent of Dexter Asylum for the Weeks Ending December 9 and December 16, 1944 Are Received.

No. 509. Communications Recommending the Cancellation, Abatement or Correction of Certain Tax Assessments Because of Errors in the City Tax Lists Are Read and Approved. (For Lists, See City Council Files.)

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