

the United States to grant a permit and recommend a suitable location for the construction of a pier on the Cape Cod canal for the purpose of providing thereat adequate facilities and equipment for the handling of passengers and freight of ocean-going and other vessels, including in such permit authority to dredge a channel to said pier to accommodate such vessels. After the said department of public works has obtained the permit and recommendation as to location, said department may expend such sum, not exceeding in the aggregate two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, as may hereafter be provided.

struction of a pier on Cape Cod canal, etc.

Expenditure.

SECTION 2. To meet the expenditures necessary in carrying out the provisions of section one, the state treasurer shall upon request of the department issue and sell, at public or private sale, bonds of the commonwealth, registered or with interest coupons attached, as he may deem best, to an amount, to be specified from time to time by the department, but not in excess of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in the aggregate. All such bonds shall be designated on their face, Cape Cod Canal Pier Loan, and shall be on the serial payment plan for a maximum term of ten years dating from the time when the permit and recommendation required in section one has been obtained. Said bonds shall bear interest, payable semi-annually, at such rate as the state treasurer, with the approval of the governor and council, shall fix.

State treasurer to issue bonds, etc.

Cape Cod Canal Pier Loan.

SECTION 3. Upon the completion of the work authorized in section one, said department shall have the supervision, control and maintenance of said pier, facilities and equipment, and shall make such rules and regulations and establish such reasonable rates for the use of said pier, facilities and equipment as may be approved by the governor and council.

Department to have supervision, control, etc., of pier, etc.

Approved June 10, 1931.

AN ACT GIVING THE COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION CERTAIN POWERS OVER OPEN SPACES AND RESERVATIONS ACQUIRED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, ESTABLISHING THE STATE RESERVATION TRUST FUND AND AUTHORIZING THE TAKING FOR MAINTENANCE AS A STATE RESERVATION OF CERTAIN PARCELS OF LAND AT SALISBURY BEACH.

Chap. 442

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter twenty-one of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section three the following two new sections:—

G. L. 21, two new sections after § 3.

Section 3A. The commissioner shall have the same powers of management and control relative to all open spaces for exercise and recreation or reservations acquired by the department outside the metropolitan parks district as are conferred by law upon the metropolitan district commission relative to reservations under its control.

Commissioner of conservation to have certain powers over open spaces, etc.

State Reserva-
tion Trust
Fund estab-
lished.

Section 3B. The state treasurer may, with the approval of the governor and council, receive and hold in trust for the commonwealth, exempt from taxation, any grant or devise of lands or rights in land, and any gift or bequest of money or other personal property, made for the purposes of establishing and maintaining reservations outside the metropolitan parks district, and shall preserve and invest the proceeds thereof in notes or bonds secured by good and sufficient mortgage or other securities. Said trust property shall be known as the State Reservation Trust Fund, and shall be used and expended under the direction of the commissioner and subject to his orders. Subject to the terms of any such grant, gift, devise or bequest, the commissioner may expend such funds, whether principal or income.

Commissioner
may take for
maintenance as
a state reserva-
tion certain
parcels of land
at Salisbury
beach.

SECTION 2. The commissioner of conservation, on behalf of the commonwealth, may take by eminent domain, under chapter seventy-nine of the General Laws, or acquire by purchase, gift or otherwise, and thereafter maintain as a state reservation, the whole or any portion of the following described parcels of land:—

I. A parcel of land bordering upon the Atlantic ocean, and extending from the Merrimack river on the south to the Massachusetts–New Hampshire boundary on the north, and between the line of mean low water of said ocean on the east and the easterly established boundary lines of the lots abutting said parcel of land on the west.

II. As approaches to the parcel of land described in paragraph I:—

(a) So much of Jetty and Murray streets as extends from the easterly location line of Atlantic avenue to the land described in said paragraph I.

(b) Broadway from its intersection with the state highway to the land described in said paragraph I.

(c) Unnamed street south of Thirteenth street and opposite proposed parking space from easterly location line of state highway to the land described in said paragraph I.

(d) Unnamed street south of Brookline street from easterly location line of state highway to the land described in said paragraph I.

III. As areas for automobile parking:—

(a) An area on each side of and adjacent to the state highway in the vicinity of Broadway.

(b) An area west of and adjacent to the state highway about midway between Broadway and the Massachusetts–New Hampshire boundary line.

All of the above-described takings are shown on a plan entitled “Plan of Salisbury Beach and Environs prepared for the Salisbury Beach and Duxbury Beach Reservations Commission by Morse & Dickinson, Engineers, 11 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass. 1928.”

Appropriation.

For the purposes of this section there is hereby appropriated from the treasury of the commonwealth a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, to be assessed upon the

Assessment.

cities and towns of the commonwealth, exclusive of those comprising the metropolitan parks district, but including Cohasset, in the manner provided in section four, chapter one hundred and thirty-two A of the General Laws.

Approved June 10, 1931.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION TO APPOINT JOSEPH TENNIS AS A PERMANENT POLICE OFFICER.

Chap. 443

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The metropolitan district commission may appoint as a permanent member of its police force Joseph Tennis, who was temporarily injured in the performance of his duty as a call officer employed by said commission under chapter ninety-two of the General Laws, and was thereby prevented from retaining his standing on the civil service list for appointment on the police force of the city of Cambridge. The time during which said Tennis has served as said call officer shall be deemed a part of his period of service as a permanent officer.

Metropolitan district commission may appoint Joseph Tennis as a permanent police officer.

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

Approved June 10, 1931.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE APPORTIONMENT AND COLLECTION OF SEWER ASSESSMENTS, AND VALIDATING CERTAIN ACTS OF THE ASSESSORS AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES IN RELATION THERETO, IN THE TOWN OF MARBLEHEAD.

Chap. 444

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The board of sewer commissioners of the town of Marblehead, within a reasonable time after assessments have been made under authority of section seven of chapter three hundred and nine of the Special Acts of nineteen hundred and sixteen, shall commit the list of such assessments upon the owners of estates referred to in said section seven, with their warrant, to the collector of taxes of said town, and he shall forthwith send notice in accordance, except as to the date of such notice, with section three of chapter sixty of the General Laws, to the person designated in said warrant as the owner of each parcel assessed, and any demand for the payment of such assessment shall be made upon such person. The provisions of section thirteen of chapter eighty of the General Laws shall apply to such assessments, except that such assessments shall bear interest from the ninetieth day after being committed to the collector of taxes, and that interest on unpaid portions of said assessments shall be computed upon the amount remaining unpaid ninety days after the commitment of the original assessments to said collector, and except that, in case any such assessment has been apportioned, any number of apportioned parts may be paid at any time.

Apportionment and collection of sewer assessments in town of Marblehead.