

Destruction
of old court
documents.

the following:— *Section 13.* Any district court may destroy complaints, warrants, documents and other papers in criminal cases, and writs, declarations, petitions and other papers in civil causes, filed in said court as completed business for not less than twenty years, except dockets and record books, and shall enter the fact of such destruction upon the records of the court. Thereafter the dockets and record books and the minutes and entries therein shall be admissible as evidence of the facts stated therein.

The records, papers and documents of district courts may, subject to the approval of the supervisor of public records, be stored and kept in fireproof rooms, vaults and safes, provided by the county commissioners in the towns where the courts are respectively situated, or in the county court houses.

Approved February 26, 1937.

Chap. 60 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PLYMOUTH TO PENSION
LINCOLN S. WIXON.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of promoting the public good and in consideration of his long and meritorious service, the town of Plymouth may retire Lincoln S. Wixon, who served the town faithfully for over twenty-five years in its police department and is now permanently disabled for further performance of duty, on an annual pension, payable monthly, equal to one half the salary received by him during the last year of his active service.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance during the current year by vote of the selectmen of said town, but not otherwise.

Approved February 26, 1937.

Chap. 61 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PLYMOUTH COUNTY TO CONSTRUCT AN ELEVATED WATER TANK AND CONNECTIONS FOR PROVIDING BETTER FIRE PROTECTION AT THE PLYMOUTH COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL AND FOR THE SURFACING OF THE DRIVEWAY AND PARKING SPACE ON THE PROPERTY OF SAID HOSPITAL.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of constructing an elevated water tank and connections for providing better fire protection at the Plymouth county tuberculosis hospital in the town of Hanson and for surfacing the driveway and parking space on the property of said hospital, the county commissioners of Plymouth county may expend a sum not exceeding sixteen thousand dollars.

SECTION 2. For the purposes aforesaid, the treasurer of said county, with the approval of the county commissioners, may borrow upon the credit of the county such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding, in the aggregate, sixteen thousand dollars, and may issue notes of the county therefor,