

To accompany the petition of Henry S. Barnes and others that the office of city marshal of the police department of the city of Salem be placed under the civil service laws. Civil Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-Seven.

An Act placing the Office of City Marshal of the Police Department of the City of Salem under the Civil Service Laws.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The office of the city marshal
2 of the city of Salem police department shall
3 hereafter be subject to the civil service laws
4 and regulations made thereunder. The pres-
5 ent holder of said office shall continue to hold
6 the same under the civil service, and shall not
7 be required to take any civil service examina-
8 tion.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall be submitted for
2 acceptance to the voters of the city of Salem
3 at its next annual city election in the form of
4 the following question which shall be placed
5 upon the official ballot to be used at said elec-
6 tion: — “ Shall an act passed by the general
7 court in the year nineteen hundred and twenty-

8 seven, entitled ' An act placing the office of city
9 marshal of the police department of the city
10 of Salem under the civil service laws ' be ac-
11 cepted?' Upon its acceptance by a majority
12 of the voters voting thereon, it shall thereupon
13 take effect, but not otherwise.

