

Chap. 14 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CONTENTS OF CERTIFICATES OF NOMINATION AND NOMINATION PAPERS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

The first paragraph of section 8 of chapter 53 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 6 and 7, as appearing in section 4 of chapter 334 of the acts of 1943, the words "or political principle", — so as to read as follows:— All certificates of nomination and nomination papers shall, in addition to the names of candidates, specify as to each, (1) his residence, with street and number, if any, (2) the office for which he is nominated, and (3), except as otherwise provided in this section and in city charters, the party, if any, which he represents, expressed in not more than three words. Certificates of nomination made by convention or caucus shall also state what provision, if any, was made for filling vacancies caused by the death, withdrawal or ineligibility of candidates. The surnames of the candidates for president and vice president of the United States shall be added to the party or political designation of the candidates for presidential electors. Such surnames shall be furnished by the state chairmen of the respective political parties not later than the second Tuesday of September. To the name of each candidate for alderman at large shall be added the number of the ward in which he resides. To the name of a candidate for a town office who is an elected incumbent thereof there may be added the words "Candidate for Re-election".

Approved January 30, 1957.

Chap. 15 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TENURE OF MICHAEL O'TOOLE IN THE OFFICE OF CUSTODIAN OF THE TOWN HALL AND MUNICIPAL BUILDING IN THE TOWN OF CLINTON.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The tenure of office of the present incumbent, Michael O'Toole, in the office of custodian of the town hall and municipal building of the town of Clinton, shall, upon the effective date of this act, be unlimited, but he may be removed therefrom for cause after hearing in the manner provided for by section forty-three of chapter thirty-one of the General Laws.

SECTION 2. This act shall be submitted to the voters of said town at the annual town meeting in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-seven in the form of the following question, which shall be placed upon the official ballot to be used for the election of town officers at said meeting:— "Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-seven, entitled 'An Act relative to the tenure of Michael O'Toole in the office of custodian of the town hall and municipal building in the town of Clinton', be accepted?" If a majority of the votes cast in answer to

said question is in the affirmative, this act shall take full effect, but not otherwise. *Approved January 30, 1957.*

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PLYMOUTH TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR EXPENSES PERTINENT TO THE RECEPTION OF THE MAYFLOWER II. *Chap. 16*

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The town of Plymouth is hereby authorized to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars to be expended for entertainment and other events in connection with the proposed celebration and reception of the Mayflower II in the years nineteen hundred and fifty-seven and nineteen hundred and fifty-eight. The money so appropriated shall be disbursed under the direction of the board of selectmen.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.
Approved January 31, 1957.

AN ACT INCREASING THE FEES CHARGED BY CITY AND TOWN CLERKS FOR FURNISHING CERTIFICATES OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES. *Chap. 17*

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 34 of chapter 262 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out clause (13), as appearing in section 1 of chapter 550 of the acts of 1948, and inserting in place thereof the following clause: —

(13) For furnishing a certificate of a birth, one dollar.

SECTION 2. Said section 34 of said chapter 262 is hereby further amended by striking out clause (30), as so appearing, and inserting in place thereof the following clause: —

(30) For furnishing a certificate of death, one dollar.

SECTION 3. Said section 34 of said chapter 262 is hereby further amended by striking out clause (44), as so appearing, and inserting in place thereof the following clause: —

(44) For issuing a certificate of marriage, one dollar.

Approved February 1, 1957.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS BY CITIES AND TOWNS FOR HIGHWAY PURPOSES. *Chap. 18*

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to make certain funds of the accelerated highway program immediately available by cities and towns for the construction of certain highways, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 5A of chapter 718 of the acts of 1956 is hereby amended by striking out the last paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph: —

Said sums received by each city or town hereunder shall,