

hundred and forty-seven but had been continued on leave of absence by the school committee of said city from November, nineteen hundred and forty-seven, to the date on which her retirement is to become effective in accordance with her application.

Approved July 30, 1949.

Chap.630 AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE BY THE COMMONWEALTH OF SCHOOLS FOR INSTITUTIONAL ON-FARM TRAINING, SO CALLED, FOR VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 74, new § 54, added.

Institutional on-farm agricultural schools may be established by department of education for certain veterans, etc.

Chapter 74 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding at the end, under the caption INSTITUTIONAL ON-FARM AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS, the following section: — *Section 54.* The division of vocational education of the department of education, with the approval of the state board for vocational education, may establish and maintain, in co-operation with local public or vocational school authorities, one or more schools for institutional on-farm training for veterans of World War II. Said division may contract or agree with said local school authorities, in such centers as may be selected, for the establishment of such schools, for the use of quarters therefor, for the payment of the cost of operation thereof and equipment therefor, and for local supervision and administration of the training program. Said division shall appoint, and may remove, the teaching personnel of such schools, shall determine the rates of salary for said personnel, shall pay the costs of instructional and supervisory travel of such personnel, and shall purchase, or provide for the purchase of, approved texts for trainees at said schools. Said division shall employ such additional supervisory and clerical personnel as may be needed by it in the carrying out of the training programs under this section. Said division may contract with the Veterans' Administration for the purpose of procuring reimbursement to the commonwealth for approvable costs of conducting and administering said training courses.

Approved July 30, 1949.

Chap.631 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF WORCESTER TO LAY DRAINS AND COMMON SEWERS IN A PORTION OF THE TOWN OF AUBURN.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The city of Worcester is authorized to lay, make and maintain under the provisions of chapter one hundred and six of the acts of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, as amended by chapter two hundred and eighty-two of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirty-nine, drains and common sewers in the following part of the town of Auburn: — In South Edlin street southerly from the line between Worcester and Auburn to the intersection of Oxford street