

sealed, and shall be such scales as in his judgment are most convenient.

SECTION 2. Said chapter ninety-four, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by striking out section two hundred and forty-five and inserting in place thereof the following:— *Section 245.* The director of standards or any inspector of standards in any town, or a sealer of weights and measures within his town, wherein any quantity of coke, charcoal or coal in the course of delivery is found may direct the person in charge of the goods to convey the same without delay or charge to scales designated by such director, inspector or sealer, who shall there determine the quantity of the goods, and, if they are not in baskets or bags as required by section two hundred and forty-one, shall determine their weight together with the tare weight, and shall direct said person to return to such scales immediately after unloading the goods; and upon such return, the director, inspector or sealer shall determine the tare weight. The scales designated by the director, inspector or sealer as aforesaid may be the public scales of the town or any other scales therein which have been duly tested and sealed, and shall be such scales as in his judgment are most convenient.

Approved March 23, 1933.

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 94, § 245, amended.

Director of standards, inspectors and sealers may direct coke, charcoal or coal to be weighed.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN BORROWINGS BY THE CITY OF WORCESTER FOR THE PURPOSES OF STREET CONSTRUCTION, PERMANENT PAVING AND SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION IN SAID CITY.

Chap. 95

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter sixty-nine of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirty-one is hereby amended by striking out, in the third and thirteenth lines, the word "two" and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the word:— three,— so as to read as follows:— *Section 1.* For the purposes of street construction and permanent paving in the city of Worcester, said city may borrow, from time to time within a period of three years from the passage of this act, such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding, in the aggregate, one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and may issue bonds or notes therefor, which shall bear on their face the words, Worcester Street Improvement Loan, Act of 1931. Each authorized issue for the purposes aforesaid shall constitute a separate loan, and such loans shall be payable in not more than ten years from their dates. For the purpose of sidewalk construction of brick, stone, or concrete in the said city, said city may borrow, from time to time within a period of three years from the passage of this act, such sums as may be necessary, not exceeding, in the aggregate, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and may issue bonds or notes therefor, which shall bear on their face the words, Worcester Sidewalk Construction Loan, Act of 1931. Each authorized

1931, 69, § 1, amended.

City of Worcester, loans for street construction and permanent paving.

Loans for sidewalk construction.

issue for such sidewalk construction shall constitute a separate loan, and such loans shall be payable in not more than five years from their dates. No loan shall be authorized under this act unless a sum equal to an amount not less than ten per cent of the loan so authorized is voted for the same purpose to be provided from taxes or other sources of revenue of the year when authorized. Indebtedness incurred under this act shall be in excess of the amount authorized by chapter two hundred and eleven of the Special Acts of nineteen hundred and sixteen, as amended by chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the acts of nineteen hundred and twenty, but shall, except as provided herein, be subject to chapter forty-four of the General Laws.

Certain borrowings authorized.

SECTION 2. So much of the amount authorized by said section one of said chapter sixty-nine for sidewalk construction as remained unborrowed on the first day of January of the current year may be borrowed either for the purpose of street construction and permanent paving in said city or of sidewalk construction therein, or in part for each such purpose, subject nevertheless to the provisions of said section one, as amended hereby, applicable to a borrowing for that purpose.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.
Approved March 23, 1933.

Chap. 96 AN ACT EXEMPTING ORDERS FOR PAYMENT OF LABOR OR TRADE UNION OR CRAFT DUES OR OBLIGATIONS FROM THE OPERATION OF THE LAWS REGULATING ASSIGNMENTS OF WAGES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 154, new section at end thereof.

Chapter not to apply to trade union, etc., dues.

Chapter one hundred and fifty-four of the General Laws, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition thereof, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section:—*Section 8.* None of the foregoing sections of this chapter shall be applicable to or control or prohibit the deduction of labor or trade union or craft dues or obligations from wages of an employee by an employer in accordance with a written request made by the individual employee.
Approved March 23, 1933.

Chap. 97 AN ACT CHANGING THE ALCOHOLIC CONTENT OF CERTAIN BEVERAGES UNDER THE LAWS OF THE COMMONWEALTH IN ORDER TO RENDER THE MANUFACTURE AND PREPARATION OF SUCH BEVERAGES PERMISSIBLE UNDER FEDERAL LAW.

Emergency preambles.

Whereas, The sole and exclusive purpose of this act is to enable the manufacture and the preparation within the commonwealth, in conformity with the requirements of federal law, of certain alcoholic beverages the sale whereof has been made lawful by act of Congress approved March twenty-second in the current year; and