

the public institutions of any city having a population of forty thousand inhabitants according to the census of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five; and the principal officer of any institution supported by the appropriation of public moneys in any city included under the terms of this act shall make requisition for any articles that can be furnished by the labor of prisoners, in the same manner in which principal officers of state and county institutions are now required to make requisition under said chapter.

Approved April 26, 1900.

Chap.270 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS IN THE PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS OF THE CITY OF QUINCY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Structures may be erected in parks and playgrounds of Quincy.

SECTION 1. The park commissioners of the city of Quincy may construct and maintain in parks or playgrounds of the city, now or hereafter under their control, structures for the shelter and refreshment of persons frequenting such parks or playgrounds, and may construct and maintain public bath houses along the shore and within the bounds of any such parks or playgrounds. The aforesaid structures shall be erected in such situations as in the opinion of the chief of the fire department of the city will not endanger buildings beyond the limits of such parks or playgrounds.

Certain provisions of law not to apply.

SECTION 2. Section sixteen of chapter fifty-four of the Public Statutes and chapter seventy-five of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three shall not apply to the structures hereby authorized to be erected.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved April 27, 1900.

Chap.271 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CELLARS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

1892, 419, § 31, etc., amended.

SECTION 1. Section thirty-one of chapter four hundred and nineteen of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two, as amended by section thirteen of chapter four hundred and forty-three of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-four, is hereby amended by striking out in the thirteenth and fourteenth lines, the words "cellar or basement floors to be constructed in