

shall take effect in any city or town upon its acceptance by a majority of the voters of such city or town voting thereon.

Copy of act to be mailed to voters.

SECTION 3. Not less than two weeks and not more than four weeks before the election at which this act shall be submitted to the voters, the city clerk of each city shall cause to be mailed to each of the registered voters in his city a copy of this act, together with a statement that it is to be submitted to the voters at the coming election.

Not to apply to Boston.

SECTION 4. This act shall not apply to the city of Boston.

*(The foregoing was laid before the Governor on the eleventh day of April, 1912, and after five days it had "the force of a law", as prescribed by the Constitution, as it was not returned by him with his objections thereto within that time.)*

*Chap.504* AN ACT TO EXTEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL SERVICE ACT TO THE CLERICAL FORCE AND EMPLOYEES IN THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES AND THE CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF LOWELL.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Civil service act to apply to certain officials in the city of Lowell.

SECTION 1. The provisions of chapter nineteen of the Revised Laws, and all acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, and the civil service rules established thereunder are hereby made applicable to the clerical force and employees in the offices of the treasurer and collector of taxes and the city clerk of the city of Lowell.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved April 18, 1912.*

*Chap.505* AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND EXTENSION OF THE SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL IN THE TOWN OF WINCHESTER, AND THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE WATER AND SEWER BOARD RELATIVE THERETO.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Construction, etc., of sewerage systems in the town of Winchester.

SECTION 1. The water and sewer board of the town of Winchester is hereby authorized to construct, maintain and operate such systems of sewerage and sewage disposal, and to lay, make and maintain such common sewers as the board may from time to time deem necessary for the purpose of disposing of its sewage through the metropolitan sewer, as provided by chapter four hundred and thirty-nine of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine.