

Chap. 208 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR REIMBURSING THE TOWN OF ARLINGTON FOR EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE CARE OF CERTAIN SMALLPOX PATIENTS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Reimbursement of town of Arlington for care of certain smallpox patients.

SECTION 1. The treasurer of the commonwealth shall pay to the town of Arlington the sum of twelve hundred dollars, being the reasonable expenses incurred by said town in the care of persons, having no legal settlement in any city or town of this commonwealth, who were infected with the smallpox in January and February, nineteen hundred and twelve.

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

(The foregoing was laid before the governor on the thirteenth day of March, 1914, 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. 209 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE GRANTING OF BOUNTIES TO AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

1912, 260, etc., amended.

SECTION 1. Chapter two hundred and sixty of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and twelve, as amended by chapter two hundred and forty of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and thirteen, is hereby further amended by striking out the word "October", in the sixth line, and inserting in place thereof the word:— August,— so as to read as follows:— Every incorporated agricultural society which is entitled to receive a bounty under section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-four of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter one hundred and thirty-three of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and nine, shall be entitled to receive annually in August from the commonwealth, in addition to the sum which it is entitled to receive under the said section, four hundred dollars for the following purposes:— Two hundred dollars to be distributed in premiums to children and youths under eighteen years of age for the encouragement of horticulture, agriculture and domestic manufactures, subject to the discretion of each society drawing bounty; and two hundred dollars in general premiums; but no society shall receive a larger sum in addition to the bounty to which it is

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entitled under the said section than it shall have expended in the year last preceding in premiums, in excess of the sum to which it is entitled under the said section; nor in the case of the sum set apart in this act for premiums to children and youths a larger sum than it shall have expended for such premiums.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.
Approved March 19, 1914.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO BUILDING PERMITS IN THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE. Chap.210

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. In the city of Cambridge permits for the construction, alteration, removal or tearing down of buildings or other structures, and for the installation of plumbing, and for gas fitting, and for the setting and maintenance of steam boilers and furnaces shall be granted only by the superintendent of public buildings upon applications in writing on forms furnished by him and filed with him in conformity with law. The superintendent may require the material facts set forth in such application to be verified by the oath of the applicant; and he may also require, in his discretion, a survey of a lot on which any proposed building is to be erected to be filed with the application. Every application shall state the name and address of the owner of the premises. All permits issued by the superintendent shall be on printed forms approved by him.

Granting of building permits in the city of Cambridge.

SECTION 2. On and after the first day of July, nineteen hundred and fourteen, there shall be charged for all permits issued by the superintendent of public buildings, such fees as the city council of the city of Cambridge may hereafter authorize.
Approved March 19, 1914.

Fees for permits.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOWELL TO FUND A CERTAIN PART OF ITS INDEBTEDNESS. Chap.211

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The city of Lowell, by a vote of three fifths of the members of the municipal council taken by yeas and nays, is hereby authorized to extend from time to time any portion of the tax loans issued prior to January first, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and now outstanding, and to issue revenue loans therefor, for a period not exceeding two years

City of Lowell may fund certain indebtedness.