

Proviso. inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed: *provided*, that all officers now in service shall continue to hold their respective offices, unless sooner removed, until appointments shall be made, as hereinbefore provided.

Subject to acceptance by city council. SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance by the city council of the city of New Bedford.

*Approved April 4, 1876.*

*Chap. 93.* AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CALLING OF THE FIRST REGULAR MEETING OF THE CENTRE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GREAT BARRINGTON.

*Be it enacted, &c., as follows:*

Warrant for meeting to be issued upon application of three residents, etc.

SECTION 1. The selectmen of the town of Great Barrington, upon application made to them in writing by three or more residents who pay taxes in the Centre school district in said town, shall issue their warrant directed to one of the persons making the application, requiring him to warn the inhabitants of said district qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at the time and place in the district expressed in said warrant.

Copy of warrant to be posted on school-house doors, and published in Berkshire Courier.

SECTION 2. The warning shall be given by posting a true copy of said warrant upon the outside door of each school-house in said district at least fourteen days before the meeting, and by causing a true copy of said warrant to be published in the newspaper called the Berkshire Courier, published in Great Barrington, for two successive weeks, the last publication to be at least seven days before said meeting, and such warning shall be a legal and sufficient warning of the first regular meeting of said district, anything in the provisions of section fourteen of chapter thirty-nine of the General Statutes to the contrary notwithstanding.

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

*Approved April 4, 1876.*

*Chap. 94.* AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE SERVICE OF WARRANTS ISSUED BY DISTRICT OR POLICE COURTS, OR TRIAL JUSTICES, OR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

*Be it enacted, &c., as follows:*

Warrants may be served by constable in any place in the county where the court has jurisdiction.

Warrants and other criminal processes issued by any district or police court or by a trial justice, or justice of the peace, may be directed to, and served by, any constable of any city or town within the county in which such court, trial justice, or justice of the peace has jurisdiction.

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