

appointment or election as such Commissioners.—[Remainder of this section repealed by Act March 30, 1874, Sec. 8. See page 847.]

SEC. 2. In the event of a refusal or neglect to perform the duties of their office of any one or more of said Commissioners, or in the event of a vacancy occurring from any cause, the Board of Supervisors of said city and county, being duly certified thereof by any one or more of said Commissioners, shall declare the office of such Commissioner vacant, and shall appoint a suitable person to fill such vacancy until the next ensuing general election.—[Amended March 14, 1870.]

SEC. 3. [Repealed. See Supplemental III, Secs. 5 and 11, page 846.]

SECS. 4 and 5. [Repealed. See Supplemental III, Secs. 2, 3, and 5, page 846.]

SEC. 6. The salaries* of the officers and men composing said Fire Department shall be paid monthly, and shall be as follows: Chief Engineer, two hundred and fifty dollars per month; First, Second, Third, and Fourth Assistant Engineers, one hundred and fifty dollars per month each [Act March 30, 1874]; Clerk to the Board of Fire Commissioners and Chief Engineer, one hundred and fifty dollars per month [Act March 30, 1874]; Superintendent of Steam Fire Engines, one hundred and fifty dollars per month; Assistant Superintendent of Steam Fire Engines, one hundred and fifty dollars per month; Corporation Yard Keeper, seventy-five dollars per month; Corporation Yard Drayman, seventy-five dollars per month; each Hydrantman, seventy-five dollars per month; Veterinary Surgeon, sixty dollars per month; each Foreman, forty-five dollars per month; each Engineer, one hundred and forty dollars per month; each Driver, seventy-five dollars per month; each Fireman, seventy-five dollars per month; each Tillerman, seventy-five dollars per month; each Steward, sixty-five dollars per month; each Hose and Hook and Ladder, thirty-five dollars per month * *

* * —[Amendment April 1, 1872.]

SEC. 7. [Repealed. See Supplemental III, Sec. 7, page 846.]

SEC. 8. The Board of Supervisors of said city and county are hereby authorized to appropriate, allow, and order paid, annually, out of the General Fund of said city and county, the salaries hereinbefore specified and allowed, and salaries at similar rates to the several officers and men of any additional companies created as aforesaid; also, the sum of forty thousand dollars per annum, for running expenses, horse feed, repairs to apparatus, and other expenses of said Department; also a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, annually, for the purchase of horses and apparatus; also, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, annually, in lieu of the amount now allowed by law, for the construction and erection of hydrants and cisterns; and the Board of Supervisors shall have power to advertise for proposals and make contracts for the construction of said cisterns and the erection of said hydrants, and they are hereby empowered to locate the same.—[Amendment April 1, 1872.] The Board of Supervisors of said city and county are hereby authorized and empowered to establish and maintain at the Corporation Yard a workshop, for making repairs and improvements upon the apparatus of the Fire Department, such workshop and such repairs and improvements to be under the supervision of the Superintendent of Steam Fire Engines and his assistant; and said Board of Supervisors shall allow and order paid out of the amount herein appropriated for repairs and apparatus and other expenses of said Department, all the expenses of such workshop, repairs, and improvements: *provided*, that the Board of Supervisors shall have full power to limit the expenditures under this section to such an amount as they in their discretion think necessary.—[Supplementary April 1, 1872.]

SEC. 9. [Repealed. See Supplemental III, Sec. 12, page 847.]

SEC. 10. [Repealed. See Supplemental III, Sec. 1, page 845.]

SEC. 11. Any person who may have been an active fireman in the Fire Department of said city and county for three years and six months immediately preceding the time when this Act shall take effect, shall be entitled to enjoy all the privileges and immunities now enjoyed by exempt firemen in said city and county, under the existing laws of this State. Any such person shall, upon application and proper proof of such service, receive a certificate to that effect from the person or persons now issuing such certificates, and in the same form as exempt firemen in said city and county are now entitled to receive such certificates.

SEC. 12. [Obsolete.]

SUPPLEMENTAL III.—*An Act providing for a Paid Fire Department in the City and County of San Francisco.*—Approved March 30, 1874.

SECTION 1. The Fire Department of the City and County of San Francisco shall consist of such engine, hook and ladder, and hose companies, as shall be recommended by the Board of Fire Commissioners and be determined by the Board of Supervisors of said city and county, with the approval of the Mayor, to be necessary to afford protection against fire: *provided*, that, as auxiliary thereto, patent fire extinguishers may also be purchased and employed, if in the judgment of said Boards deemed advisable, providing that no hand engines shall hereafter be

* The Act of March 30, 1872, authorizes the Board of Supervisors, upon the recommendation of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to allow a sum not exceeding fifty dollars per month, for three months, to any member of the Department disabled in the discharge of his duties.

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