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examiners or plumbing inspectors to hold a special permit examination, the results to be reported in writing.

(c) All persons who shall furnish within ninety days after the passage of this Act satisfactory evidence to the Board that they were actually engaged in the business of a master plumber or journeyman plumber on January 1st, 1933, in any city or village of this state having 5,000 population, or more, according to the last Federal or State census, shall be entitled to receive a license as such master plumber, or journeyman plumber respectively without examination, upon payment of the fees hereinbefore provided. (Act Apr. 21, 1933, c. 349, §7.)

5887-26. Board may revoke licenses.—The Board may revoke any license obtained through error or fraud, or if the licensee is shown to be incompetent, and for a wilful violation of any of its rules and regulations or local ordinances applicable to such work. The licensee shall have notice in writing enumerating the charges. A hearing by the Board upon at least five days' notice, and right to produce testimony. The Board may appoint, in writing any competent person to take testimony, who shall have power to administer oaths, issue subpoenas and compel the attendance of witnesses. 'The decision of the Board shall be based on the testimony and records. One year from the date of revocations,

application may be made for a new license. (Act Apr. 21, 1933, c. 349, §8.)

5887-27. Violation a misdemeanor.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this Act or who shall wilfully make any false representation to the Board of Health in applying for a license or permit shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Act Apr. 21, 1933, c. 349, §9.)

5887-28. Fees to be paid to state treasurer .fees received under this Act shall be paid by the State Board of Health to the State Treasurer and an amount of moneys equal to the amount so paid over by said Board to said Treasurer is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to said Board for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Act. salaries of the necessary employees of the Board and the per diem of the inspectors and examiners hereinbefore provided, their expenses and all incidental expenses of said Board in carrying out the provisions of this Act, shall be paid on order of the Board from such appropriation, but no expense or claim shall be incurred or paid in excess of the amount received from the fees herein provided. (Act Apr. 21, 1933, c. 349, §10.)

5887-29. Application of act.—This Act shall only apply in cities, villages, or boroughs having a population of 5,000 or more. (Act. Apr. 21, 1933, c. 349,

CHAPTER 36

Protection against Fire, and Regulation of Hotels and Restaurants

HOTELS, THEATERS AND OTHER BUILDINGS

5903. Defining hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, etc.

It would seem that this section is not limited to stores wherein confectionery is sold to be consumed on premises. Op. Atty. Gen., Mar. 7, 1933.

Park board of village of Excelsior may be licensed to sell non-intoxicating malt liquors. Op. Atty. Gen., Apr. 22, 1933.

Whether particular business is restaurant within meaning of beer law is primarily question of fact to be determined by governing body of municipality. Op. Atty. Gen., June 26, 1933.

Whether a residence advertised as a tourist rooming house is a hotel is question of fact. Op. Atty. Gen., Aug. 14, 1923

5905. Hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, etc.

Section 4367 does not exempt war veterans from payment of fees for licenses, for hotels, restaurants, lodging houses, boarding houses, or places of refreshment. Op. Atty. Gen., May 25, 1932.

Operators of hotels, restaurants and places of refreshment within boundaries of Red Lake Reservation who do not confine their trade to Indian wards but who are either white men or Indians not under federal control must have licenses under this section. Op. Atty. Gen., May 19, 1933. have lic 19, 1933.

19, 1933. 5909. Additional fire protection in larger hotels,

This section supersedes \$1630-56 insofar as it refers to outside standpipes in hotels and lodging houses. Op. Atty. Gen., July 24, 1933.
5910. Iron stairways for exit, and other provisions.

Fire escape which has as only exit a room containing a door which may be locked does not comply with statute. Op. Atty. Gen., May 8, 1933.

Hotel inspector being satisfied that interior stairway is fireproof may cancel outstanding fire escape order. Op. Atty. Gen., Aug. 23, 1933.

MOVING PICTURES

5934. Style of seats.

Injury to patron from falling of disconnected seat. 181M109, 231NW716.
5940. Licenses for operation of moving picture

machines. etc.

An application for motion picture operator's license can be made by mail. Op. Atty. Gen., Mar. 6, 1933.

Parent and teachers' associations may show motion pictures without obtaining license, but must obtain permit from fire marshal. Op. Atty. Gen., Mar. 20, 1933.

STATE FIRE MARSHAL

5957. Power to summon and compel, etc.

Act of fire marshal in compelling person suspected of arson to testify under subpoena, held to violate the constitutional right of such person against self incrimination. 180M573, 231NW217.

DRY CLEANING AND DRY DYEING BUILDINGS AND ESTABLISHMENTS

5984. Dry cleaning and dyeing establishments must be licensed.

Use of liquid for cleaning hats and limited quantities of wearing apparel requires no license unless it is one of the liquids referred to in this section, such being question of fact. Op. Atty. Gen., May 24, 1933.

6001. Use of gasoline engines forbidden in certain cases.-No gas or gasoline engine, steam generator or heating device nor any electrical dynamo or motor except such motors as have been approved as explosionproof by the State Fire Marshal shall be located, maintained or used inside of, nor within a distance of ten feet of any building used for the business of dry cleaning and dry dyeing as above defined except that an electrical motor may be placed within such ten feet, but without a solid fireproof wall.

Any dry cleaning or dry dyeing business located in any village or city of the fourth class may install and maintain two 21/2-gallon fire extinguishers of antifreezing liquid, to be approved by and installed as directed by the state fire marshal, in lieu of compliance with the provisions of Section 13 of this chapter providing for the extinguishment of fire in such business or establishment. ('21, c. 459, §18; Laws 1927, c. 402; Apr. 20, 1931, c. 268.)

6001-1. Must have fire extinguishers.--Any dry cleaning or dry dyeing business located in any village or city of the fourth class may install and maintain two 2½ gallon fire extinguishers of anti-freezing liquid to be approved by and installed as directed by the State Fire Marshal, in lieu of compliance with the provisions of this chapter providing for the prevention of fire in such business or establishment. 26, 1929, c. 402, §2.)