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26 to petition the civil service commission in writing for a rehearing, if 27 he is dissatisfied with the decision of the manager, which petition 28 must be filed with the commission and the manager notified within five 29 days from the time of the manager's decision is rendered. If no re-30 hearing is granted the decision of the manager shall be final and no 31 appeal shall be taken therefrom. If a rehearing shall be granted by 32 the commission, the same procedure shall be gone over before it, as 33 was gone over before the manager and such decision shall be rendered by it as it thinks proper without reference to the previous decision 34 35 made by the manager, and its decision shall be final and no appeal shall lie therefrom. In case such hearing shall be granted by the 36 commission it shall then become the duty of the manager to carry out 37 38 and enforce its decision.

SEC. 5. Chief of police-fire department-appointments. 1 The 2 manager shall appoint the chief of police and chief of the fire department and, as far as possible these appointments shall be made from residents of said city, but the tenure of any person holding such position at this time shall not be affected by this act; provided, how-3 4 5 ever, that such officer may be removed for cause in accordance with the provisions of the next preceding section. No person shall be employed 6 7 8 in any capacity in the fire or police department, or any other depart-9 ment which is governed by civil service, unless he is a citizen of the United States, can read and write the English language, and in every 10 11 other respect proves a fit and proper person for the position.

1 SEC. 6. **Political contributions.** No member of the fire or police department or any other municipal department in such city shall 2 3 directly or indirectly contribute any money or anything of value to 4 any candidate for nomination or election to any office or to any cam-5 paign or political committee. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and 6 7 upon conviction shall pay a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or be im-8 prisoned in the county jail not to exceed thirty days.

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CHAPTER 217

BOARD OF PAROLE

S. F. 323.

AN ACT to provide a permanent fund to be used under the direction of the board of parole for aid, in emergencies, of persons on parole.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Men's parole relief fund. That there is hereby es-2 tablished a fund of one thousand dollars to be known as the "Men's 3 parole relief fund", to be kept by the treasurer of state and subject 4 to the warrants of the chairman and secretary of the board of parole.

1 SEC. 2. Women's parole relief fund. That there also be es-2 tablished a fund of two hundred and fifty dollars to be known as the

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3 "Women's parole relief fund" to be kept by the treasurer of state, 4 and subject to the warrants of the chairman and secretary of the 5 board of control.

SEC. 3. Expenditure-reimbursement. Said funds may be used 1 for the relief of paroled prisoners who, because of illness, loss of em-2 3 ployment or conditions creating personal need, are in distress; but in no instance shall the amount advanced or so used exceed twenty-five 4 dollars (\$25.00). In all cases the need of such parolee shall first be 5 determined by the board paroling such person, and all advancements made shall be treated as loans, and an obligation to repay the same 6 7 during the parole period shall be given by said parolee to the state of Iowa, which when paid shall be turned into the parole relief fund 8 9 from which such relief was granted. 10

1 SEC. 4. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated the sum 2 of twelve hundred and fifty dollars (\$1250.00) out of any funds not 3 otherwise appropriated, to carry out the provisions of the act.

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CHAPTER 218

JOINT COMMITTEE ON RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM

S. F. 330.

AN ACT to repeal section one hundred eighty-one (181) of the supplement to the code, 1913, (C. C. Sec. 39), relating to the committee on retrenchment and reform, and enacting a substitute therefor.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. **Bepeal.** That section one hundred eighty-one (181) 2 of the supplement to the code, 1913, (C. C. Sec. 39), be repealed and 3 the following substituted therefor:

1 SEC. 2. Ex officio members. The chairman of the committee on 2 ways and means, judiclary and appropriations, of the senate and 3 house, respectively, and two members from the senate, to be appointed 4 by the president of the senate, and two members from the house, to 5 be appointed by the speaker of the house, at each regular session, 6 shall constitute a standing committee on retrenchment and reform.

1 SEC. 3. Appointive members. Both of the appointive members 2 in the senate and the house, respectively, shall be named from the 3 representatives of the minority parties, if there be such; provided, 4 however, that if there be but one member of the minority party in 5 either the senate or the house, the representation on said committee 6 in such house shall be one member from the minority parties.

1 SEC. 4. Organization. The committee shall organize by elect-2 ing a chairman and a secretary from its membership, and may meet 3 at such times and places as may be ordered by resolution or upon call 4 of the chairman and three (3) other members of the committee.