

Sec 8 of chap 36 in fourth line after the word sidewalks

strike out 'and' and after the word Bridges add;

sec 1. The superintendent of street ^{shall} under the direction and control of the joint committee on Roads and Bridges ^{of} have the care and superintendence of the common and all the public squares and enclosures belonging to the city ^{and} ~~all of the trees in the streets of the city~~ and the Mayor, with said ~~committee~~ ^{committee} make all authorized contracts for the supply of any labor or materials he may require in the discharge of his official duty

sec 2. No person shall except by the permission of the joint committee on Roads and Bridges ~~or the superintendent if authorized by said committee~~ climb a tree on the common or other public grounds, nor tie a horse or other animal to, or post a bill upon any such tree.

sec 3. No person shall shake or otherwise cleanse a carpet on the common or other public grounds.

sec 4. No person shall except by permission of the Mayor or the joint committee on Roads and Bridges ride, lead or drive a horse in or upon the common or other public grounds, except that on occasion of a military exercise, parade, or review or other public celebration horses necessary for the purposes thereof may be allowed upon the common or other public grounds.

sec 5. No person shall except by the permission of the aforesaid committee and for some public use dig or carry away, or haul gravel, sand, turf, or earth in or upon the common or in or upon any of the other public grounds.

sec 6. No person shall except by the permission of the said ^{joint} committee, carry or cause to be carried upon the common or other public grounds a dead carcass, ordure, filth, dirt, stones, or any offensive matter whatsoever, and no person shall commit a nuisance on the common or any of the other public grounds.

sec 7. No owner or keeper of a hog, horse, or other grazing animal, shall suffer the same to go at large or feed upon the common or other public grounds.

sec 8. No person shall except by the permission of said joint committee, carry or cause to be carried upon the common or other public grounds a wheelbarrow, handcart, or other vehicle for the conveyance of burdens, or for pleasure.

sec 9. No person ^{shall} except by the permission of said ^{the} committee engage in a game of ball, foot ball, base ball, or other athletic sports upon the common or other public grounds.

sec 10. No person shall except by the permission of the said committee, deliver a sermon, lecture, address, or discourse on the common or other public grounds.

- Sec 11. No person shall walk, stand, sit, or ^{lie} ~~lay~~ down, or pull a flower, or plant out of a flower bed on the common or other public grounds, nor suffer a dog or other animal belonging to him, or her or in his or ~~her~~ ^{his} charge to stand or walk upon such a flower bed.
- Sec 12. No person ^{shall} except by the permission of said Committee, throw or place stones, sand, gravel, tan, earth, filth, rubbish, or other substances, in or upon the common or other public grounds.
- Sec 13. No cannon or artillery shall be fired by the militia or others upon the common or other public grounds, unless such firing is authorized by the city Council, the mayor, or the commander-in-chief of the militia of the Commonwealth.
- Sec 14. No person shall, except by the permission of the said Committee, expose for sale or sell any goods, wares, or merchandise on the common or other public grounds.
- Sec 15. No person shall, except by the permission of the said Committee, erect or maintain a booth, stand, tent, or apparatus for purposes of public amusement or show on the common or other public grounds.
- Sec 16. No person shall pull up, break, cut, or deface any of the seats, fences, or railing, upon or around the common or other public grounds, nor deface the monument or statues in said common.
- Sec 17. No person shall break or purposely disarrange the pump or any of its appliances which is on the common, nor shall ~~the~~ ^{they interfere with} ~~the~~ ^{any} of the hydrants that are on the common and other public grounds.
- Sec 18. No person shall walk, stand, or lie on the grass on the common or other public grounds after the said Committee has prohibited such walking, standing, or lying, and has notified the public of such prohibition by a legible notice placed in those parts of the public grounds from which said Committee may consider it necessary temporarily to exclude the public.

Sec 19 The said Superintendent shall, under the direction and control of the surveyors of highways, or a committee of that board, have the care of the trees in the public streets of the city. He shall cause all statutes and ordinances, made for the protection of the common and other public grounds, and the trees on the public streets of the City, to be strictly enforced, and shall institute legal proceedings against all persons violating such statutes or ordinances.

Sec 20. all ordinances or part of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed

Part in penalty

Sec 21-

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall forfeit and pay to the use of the city a sum not exceeding twenty dollars.

Proposed Ordinance 185
in relation to
Common Squares

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