

sideration, at a regular meeting preceding that on which a decision thereon is to be made. Amendments how made.

SEC. 300. The foregoing rules may be suspended by a vote of three-fourths of the members present. Rules suspended

Contracts with Councilmen.

SEC. 301. No member of the Board of Councilmen shall have any interest direct or indirect, in any contract with the City of Lexington, during his continuance in his office of Councilmen; and all contracts made with the City of Lexington, or attempted so to be made, shall be void as to the interest of such Councilmen therein, except contracts made at public lettings. When Councilmen may not contract with City.

See ASSESSMENT; CEMETERIES; CLERK OF THE CITY; CLERK OF THE CITY COURT; COLLECTOR; ELECTIONS; FIRE DEPARTMENT; HAY AND COAL WEIGHERS; HEALTH; POOR AND WORKHOUSE; INSURANCE AGENTS; LICENSES; LIQUOR SELLERS; MARKET; MARSHAL; MAYOR; NIGHT WATCH; OFFICERS; PLAYING CARDS; PRINTER; SALARIES; SCHOOLS; STREETS; ALLEYS; TAXATION; TREASURER.

MINORS.

SEC. 302. Whenever any free person, under sixteen years of age, shall commit any offence against the ordinances of the city, his master, guardian, or parent having the control of him, shall be fined as if he had himself committed the offence. Master, Guardian, &c., to pay fine of.

See LIQUOR SELLERS.

NIGHT WATCH.

Captain.

SEC. 303. The captain of the Night Watch shall, before entering on the duties of his office, execute bond, payable to the city, with surety to be approved by the Mayor and Council, in the sum of \$300, conditioned to discharge faithfully the duties of the office, and pay into the Treasury all monies of the city which shall come into his hands. Bond. Condition.

SEC. 304. It shall be the duty of the Captain of the Night Watchmen to ring the bell on the watch house at half an hour after after sunset every evening, which is to be the signal for all the Watchmen to meet there; and any Watchman not present within fifteen minutes shall be reported to the Mayor, by the Captain, as absent; and a ring of the same bell an hour before sunrise in the morning, shall be the signal for the Watchmen again to appear at the watchhouse and be dismissed; and the Captain is required to note the absence or neglect of duty, of any Watchman, at either signal, or during the night, and report the Captain of Watch—his duties—ring bell, when. Note absentees, etc., and inform Mayor.