may be dangerous or detrimental to the public health, or the manufacture or vending of articles obnoxious to the health of the inhabitants; and to declare, prevent and abate nuisance on public or private property and the causes thereof; and the Mayor, whenever in his opinion, a nuisance exists on public or private property, or whenever a nuisance has been so declared by ordinance or resolution of the Board of Health is authorized to abate and remove such nuisance and the cause thereof in a summary manner at the cost of the owner or occupant of the premises where the nuisance, or the cause thereof, may be, and for that purpose may enter upon and take possession of any premises or property where such nuisance may exist or be produced.

Seventh.—To make provision for the inspection and measurement of lumber and other building material, and to license engineers using steam boilers in said city; for the inspection of beef, pork, flour, meal, oil, coal oil, naphtha, benzine and other burning fluids, molasses, syrups, turpentine, vinegar, beer and ale, wines, whisky, rum, brandy and other spirituous liquors in barrels, hogsheads and other vessels; for the inspection and weighing or measuring hay or stone, coal, charcoal, firewood and all other kinds of fuel to be used in the City of Halifax; for the inspection of butter, cheese, milk, lard and other provisions; for regulating the weight and quality of bread; the price and quality of gas; and for the inspection and vending of meat, poultry, fish and vegetables; to designate the place where such articles shall be sold; restrain and punish the forestalling of poultry, butter, eggs, vegetables. and fruit; and regulate or suppress hucksters, provided that nothing in this article shall be construed so as to authorize the inspection of any article enumerated in this Act, which is to be shipped beyond the limits of the city. except at the request of the owner thereof; and provided further, that the inspectors under this subdivision shall be qualified by practical experience to discharge their respective duties.

Eighth.—To regulate and provide for the election or appointment of city officers, required by this charter, or authorized by ordinance and provide for their suspension or removal: and they shall establish the salaries of all officers and the compensation of all employes, excepting

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