

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 29

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, JULY 2, 1969

I. RETIREMENT

1. The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of Sections 7 and 94, Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which became effective at 8 a. m., July 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Lieutenant (Arson Inspector) James A. Moran Fire Prevention Division

2. Fire Lieutenant Moran was appointed to the department January 12, 1944 and was promoted to the grade of Fire Lieutenant on April 13, 1949.

II. RESIGNATION

1. The following resignation, which became effective at 8 a. m., July 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. (Asst. to Dep. Fire Chief in Chg.) Gerard E. McGowan, Fire Prev.

2. Fire Lieutenant McGowan will be retired by the Boston Retirement Board at a later date.

III. TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT

1. The employment of the following-named Fire Fighter on Probation has been terminated effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 2, 1969:

Fire Fighter on Probation John C. O'Connell Engine Company 42

IV. HIGH PRESSURE STATIONS

Effective July 9, 1969, the High Pressure Station #2, located at 560 Atlantic Avenue will be placed on an active reserve status. The station will be fully operational but will have no personnel on duty during normal operation of the department.

Two men shall be on duty at all times at High Pressure Station #1. In the event that the services of Station #2 is required, one man from Station #1 shall proceed to Station #2 and put the station in operation.

Both stations shall be tested daily at 9 a. m. and 7 p. m. under the supervision of the Engineer in Charge. An entry shall be made in the station journal, stating name of member that conducted the test and results. He shall report any serious deficiencies to the Engineer in Charge, or the Deputy Fire Chief of Division One.

V. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 9, 1969:

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
F. F. Thomas G. Sullivan	Engine Co. 16	Lighting Plant 1
F. F. Joseph D. Muscato	Light. Plant 1	Ladder Co. 1
F. F. George V. McGilvery	Ladder Co. 27	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Arthur T. Austin	Engine Co. 26	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. William J. Mantville	Ladder Co. 7	Engine Co. 17
F. F. Paul J. Costello	Headquarters	Ladder Co. 25
F. F. John F. Connolly	High Pressure	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Francis A. Kane	High Pressure	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Paul B. Reardon	High Pressure	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Martin J. Brennan	High Pressure	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. James J. Conway	Engine Sqd. 11	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Thomas F. McDonough	High Pressure	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Walter F. Schmidt	Engine Co. 48	High Pressure
F. F. John F. Crowley	Engine Co. 20	Fire Prevention Div.
F. F. William J. Cahill	Fire Prev. Div.	Ladder Co. 21
F. F. John P. Culhane	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Squad 18
F. F. George E. Doherty	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Co. 34
F. F. Joseph M. Dowd	Fire Prev. Div.	Ladder Co. 27
F. F. Joseph H. Murphy	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Co. 47
F. F. Bernard M. Lydon	Fire Prev. Div.	Ladder Co. 6
F. F. Arthur F. Bopp	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Co. 8
F. F. Ronald J. O'Brien	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Co. 42
Fire Lieut. Anthony P. Mahoney	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Squad 45

VI. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., July 7, 1969:

Boxes 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 239, 2391, 2394

VII. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

13-5184 Motherhouse, Sisters of St. Joseph, 625 Cambridge St.

2. Company commanders will add the above box to assignment cards for Box 5184. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

VIII. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF F. A. BOXES

1. The designation of fire alarm Box 1334 has been changed to read:
1334 - New Chardon and Cambridge Streets
2. The designation of fire alarm Box 12-5184 has been changed to read:
12-5184 Mt. St. Joseph's Academy, 615 Cambridge Street
3. Company commanders shall make the above changes on assignment cards.

IX. COMMENDATION

Fire Fighter Donald L. Damon of Ladder Company 30 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 3836, on June 20, 1969, while off duty.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 30

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, JULY 11, 1969

I. RESIGNATIONS

1. The following resignation, which became effective as of 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 9, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Joseph H. Murphy Fire Prevention Division

2. The following resignation, which will become effective at 8 a. m., Tuesday, July 22, 1969, is hereby announced:

F. F. (1st Marine Engineer, Diesel) Aloysius A. Ryalls Engine Co. 47

3. Both resignations have been submitted for retirement purposes.

II. REASSIGNMENT AS FIRE FIGHTER

1. The following reassignment which became effective at 8 a. m., July 9, 1969 is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter (Arson Inspector) Joseph M. Dowd, Ladder Co. 27 to Fire Fighter

III. CHANGE IN ASSIGNMENT

1. The following change in assignment will become effective at 8 a. m., July 16, 1969:

Fire Lieut. William G. Carpenter - Fire Prevention Division to
Fire Lieutenant (Assistant to Deputy Fire Chief in Charge)

IV. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 16, 1969:

Boxes 2449, 2677, 2679, 2858, 2972, 388

V. HYDE PARK ALARM ASSIGNMENT

1. Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the Hyde Park Alarm System in this department:

Signal 266 - T. J. Edwards, Inc., 25 Williams St. (Sprinkler)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 28, Lad. 10, Dist. 9
Nearest box is 255

VI. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 16, 1969:

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Fire Lieut. Anthony P. Mahoney	Engine Squad 45	Ladder Co. 18
Fire Fighter Francis A. Kane	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Co. 3
Fire Fighter George E. Doherty	Engine Co. 34	Ladder Co. 22
Fire Fighter John P. Culhane	Engine Squad 18	Fire Prev. Div.

VII. COMMENDATION

Fire Fighter Martin J. O'Brien of Ladder Co. 9 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 4171 on July 2, 1969, while off duty.

VIII. RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The following amendment shall be added to the Rules & Regulations of the Boston Fire Department:

"43.8 Members receiving a Medal shall be granted four tours of duty off in addition to their annual vacation. Members entered on the Roll of Merit shall be granted two tours of duty off in addition to their annual vacation. Time off shall be given only for the year the awards were received."

2. Rule 26.16 of the Rules & Regulations of the Boston Fire Department shall be changed to read as follows:

"26.16 The following conditions will constitute a "working fire:"

1. When the officer in charge at the scene of a fire uses the phrase, "This is a working fire."

2. Any unqualified request for additional apparatus will be construed as a "working fire."

(Exceptions would include requests for companies to be used for overhauling purposes, large outside fires, smoke ejectors, and other special equipment)."

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 31

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, JULY 18, 1969

I. RETIREMENTS

1. The following retirement, in accordance with Section 58 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which became effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 16, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Captain Vincent J. Miller Ladder Company 17

2. The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of Section 58 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which will become effective at 5 p. m., Thursday, July 31, 1969, is hereby announced:

Radio Supervisor Nathan Schatz Fire Alarm Division

3. Fire Captain Miller was appointed to the department July 16, 1937. He was promoted to the grade of Fire Lieutenant October 25, 1946, and to Fire Captain on May 2, 1951. Radio Supervisor Schatz was appointed to the department March 1, 1944. He was promoted to Radio Supervisor on October 1, 1952.

4. Both the foregoing named men leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 23, 1969:

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Fire Captain Dante C. Ciampa	Headquarters	Ladder Co. 17
Fire Fighter Ronald J. O'Brien	Engine Co. 42	Ladder Co. 22
Fire Fighter Ernest Deeb	Engine Co. 51	Engine Co. 33

III. A. D. T. ASSIGNMENT

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 224 - New England Doll & Novelty, Div. of Amtel, Inc.
410 E St. (3 sprinklers - Office & Sect. 1; Sect. 2, East Side; Section 2, West Side)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 1, Lad. 18, Dist. 6
Nearest box is 7146

IV. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF F. A. BOX

1. The designation for fire alarm Box 4131 has been changed to read:
4131 - Front and Jenner Streets
2. Company commanders will make above change on assignment cards.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY
Joseph F. Kilduff, Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 32

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, JULY 31, 1969

I. ROGER J. GETTENS

1. It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on July 9, 1969, of Fire Fighter Roger J. Gettens of Engine Co. 25. Fire Fighter Gettens was appointed to the department January 5, 1944.
2. The funeral was held from the Higgins Funeral Home, 4236 Washington St., Roslindale, at 9 a. m., July 12, 1969, followed by a Requiem High Mass in St. Theresa's Church, West Roxbury at 10 a. m.
3. The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Engine Co. 25 were excused to attend the services.

II. RETIREMENTS

1. The following retirements, in accordance with Section 5, Chap. 32, G. L. as amended, which will become effective at 8 a. m., Friday, August 1, 1969, are hereby announced:

Lieutenant George E. Graney	Engine Co. 1
Captain Charles M. McGowan	Engine Co. 18
Captain Edward W. Sharkey	Engine Co. 55

2. The following retirement, in accordance with Section 5, Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, which became effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, July 9, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Joseph H. Murphy	Fire Prevention Division
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3. Lieut. Graney was appointed to the department July 16, 1937 and was promoted to the grade of Lieutenant February 5, 1947. Fire Captain McGowan was appointed to the department May 20, 1942, promoted to Lieutenant February 5, 1947 and to Captain on August 3, 1966. Fire Captain Sharkey was appointed to the department July 16, 1937, promoted to Lieutenant October 25, 1946 and to Captain January 25, 1956. Fire Fighter Murphy was appointed to the department on October 21, 1942.

4. All of these men leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, August 6, 1969:

	From	To
Fire Captain Patrick J. Roache	Engine Co. 24	Engine Co. 55
Fire Captain Richard C. Foley	Headquarters	Engine Co. 18

IV. CHANGE IN COMPANY DESIGNATION

1. The designation of Engine Squad Companies 11, 14, 18, 29, and 45 as Squad Companies is cancelled. These companies will be designated as engine companies.
2. All emergency equipment carried by these units has been transferred to Ladder Companies 2, 26, 27, 11, and 16. These companies will perform the emergency assignments previously assigned to the squad companies. Ladder companies outlined above shall give high priority to training with the emergency equipment.

V. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

1. In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

12-319 Public Library, 1520 Dorchester Avenue
2. Company commanders will add above box to assignment cards for Box 319. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

VI. A. D. T. DATA

Notice has been received from the American District Telegraph Company that the following signals have been discontinued:

Signal 3389 - Radio Shack Corp., 167 Washington Street
Signals 142 and 3351 - B & M RR., 33 Warren Avenue

VII. CALL'S DATA

Notice has been received from Call's Police Signal Corporation of the following change in designation of Signal 293:

Signal 293 - A. W. Perry, 230 Boylston St. - should be changed to -
Ryan Elliott Management Co., 230 Boylston Street

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 33

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, AUGUST 8, 1969

I. ASSIGNMENT AS CIVIL DEFENSE FIRE OFFICER

1. The following assignment which became effective January 1, 1969 is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Everett P. Fuller, Ladder Co. 28 to Fire
Fighter (Civil Defense Fire Officer)

II. RESIGNATION

1. The following resignation which became effective at 5 p. m., Tuesday, July 29, 1969 is hereby announced:

Clerk and Typist Richard T. Kelleher Headquarters Division

III. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, August 13, 1969:

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Fire Lieut. Edward J. Hurley	Headquarters	Engine Co. 8
Fire Lieut. William M. McGourty	Headquarters	Engine Co. 1
Fire Fighter George E. Stanton	Headquarters	Engine Co. 4

IV. FIRE ALARM BOX INSTALLED

The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into circuit 79, and company commanders shall add this box to circuit card #79:

12-319 Public Library, 1520 Dorchester Avenue

V. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future the following box will be installed, and company commanders shall add this box to assignment card for Box 2484. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

15-2484 Novitiate Daughters of St. Paul, 50 St. Paul Avenue

VI. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF FIRE ALARM BOX

1. The designation of Box 12-284 has been changed to read as follows:
12-284 Hastings Street Elementary School, 37 Hastings St.
2. Company commanders will make the above change on assignment cards.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 34

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, AUGUST 15, 1969

I. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF F.A. BOX

1. The designation of fire alarm Box 6248 has been changed to read:
6248 - Orient Avenue and Walley Street
2. Company commanders will make above change on assignment cards.

II. A.D.T. ASSIGNMENT

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the ADT Company in this department:

Signal 3211 - Grandberg Bros. Wallpaper Corp., 268-272 Summer St.
(Sprinkler) Apparatus to respond: Eng. 39, Lad. 18, Dist. 6
Nearest box is 71

III. CALL'S ASSIGNMENT

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to Call's running cards in this department:

Signal 477 - Harry Miller Co., 520 E Street
1 Dry System, Sect. 25, East End of Bldg. (SYSTEM #1)
1 Dry System, Sect. 25, West End of Bldg. (SYSTEM #2)
1 Dry System, Sect. 24, West End of Bldg. (SYSTEM #3)
1 Dry System, Sect. 24, East End of Bldg. (SYSTEM #4)
1 Wet System, Office Area (SYSTEM "A")
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 1, Lad. 18, Dist. 6
Nearest box is 7146

IV. BOSTON AUTOMATIC DATA

In connection with the response to Boston Automatic Signal 1651, the following changes are to be made:

Drop Engine 24 & Ladder 7 - Add Engine 12 & Ladder 4

V. COMMENDATION

Fire Fighter William J. McGrath of Engine Co. 49 is hereby commended for reporting from an off-duty period on the night of August 5, 1969 and remaining all night as a guide for Engine Co. 41, which was covering Engine Co. 49 fire station, and directing them on a run to Dedham and being available to direct further responses during that evening.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 35

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, AUGUST 29, 1969

I. ASSIGNMENT AS SUPERVISOR OF FIREBOATS

1. The following assignment, which became effective at 8 a. m., June 11, 1969, is hereby announced:

F. F. Thomas P. Lewis, Engine Co. 31 to F. F. (Supervisor of Fireboats)

II. ASSIGNMENTS AS FIRST MARINE ENGINEER, DIESEL

1. The following assignments, which became effective at 8 a. m., Aug. 13, 1969, are hereby announced:

F. F. (2nd Engr.) John J. Kelleher, Eng. Co. 31 to F. F. (First Marine Engr. Diesel)
F. F. (2nd Marine Engr.) John E. Lydstone, Eng. 47 to F. F. (First Marine
Engr., Diesel)

III. RETIREMENTS

1. The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of Sect. 7 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which will become effective at 8 a. m., September 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Lieutenant George J. Devlin Ladder Co. 4

2. The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of Sect. 7 and 94 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which will become effective at 8 a. m., September 1, 1969, are hereby announced:

Fire Fighter (Engr., Motor Squad) Joseph A. Centola Maintenance Division
Fire Fighter Bernard E. Farwell Ladder Co. 16

3. Fire Lieutenant Devlin was appointed to the department February 10, 1943 and was promoted to the grade of Lieutenant February 28, 1951. Fire Fighter Centola was appointed to the department on January 26, 1949, and Fire Fighter Farwell was appointed on January 22, 1947.

4. All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

IV. RESIGNATION

1. The following resignation, which became effective at 8 a. m., Aug. 27, 1969, is hereby announced:

Junior Building Custodian Walter J. Schiraga Maintenance Division

V. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed, and company commanders will add box to assignment card for Box 259. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

12-259 Charles Sumner District Extension, 515 to 525 Hyde Park Ave.

VI. CALL'S DATA

1. Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to Call's running cards in this department.

Harry Miller Company, 520 E Street
Signal 477 - Office area only - System "A"

Signal 478 - Sect. 25, East & West end of bldg., Systems 1 & 2

Signal 479 - Sect. 24, East & West end of bldg., Systems 3 & 4

Apparatus to respond: Eng. 1, Lad. 18, Dist. 6
nearest box is 7146

2. Signal 481 - Harvard Medical School, 665 Huntington Ave. (Automatic Fire Alarm System)

Apparatus to respond: Eng. 37, Lad. 26, Dist. 5
nearest box is 2364

3. Signal 482 - Chelsea Industries, Third Realty Trust,
1360 Soldiers Field Road (Wet Waterflow System)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 34, Lad. 14, Dist. 11
nearest box is 5281

VII. A. D. T. DATA

Notice has been received from the American District Telegraph Company that the following signal has been discontinued:

Signal 954 - Stop & Shop, Inc., 410 E Street

VIII. COMMENDATION

Fire Fighter Gabriel S. Gyukeri of Ladder Company 14 is hereby commended for assisting members of the Cambridge Fire Department in removing the victim of a subway train accident from the pit in the Central Square Station of the MBTA on August 15, 1969, while he was off duty.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 36

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, SEPTEMBER 8, 1969

I. PROMOTIONS

1. The following promotions, which became effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, September 3, 1969, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieutenant William P. Connell, Ladder Co. 2 to Fire Captain
Fire Lieutenant Francis X. O'Brien, Ladder Co. 18 to Fire Captain

II. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, September 10, 1969:

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Fire Captain William P. Connell	Ladder Co. 2	Engine Co. 24
Fire Captain Francis X. O'Brien	Ladder Co. 18	Engine Co. 32

III. RETIREMENTS

1. The following named, who resigned from the Fire Department on the dates shown below, have been retired by the Boston Retirement Board effective on those dates:

	<u>Resignation and Retirement Date</u>
Fire Lieutenant (Assistant to Deputy Chief in Charge, Fire Prev. Div.) Gerard E. McGowan	July 1, 1969
Fire Fighter (First Marine Engineer, Diesel) Aloysius A. Ryalls, Engine Co. 47	July 22, 1969

2. The following retirement, which became effective at 8 a. m., September 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Michael J. Nichol Engine Co. 5

3. Fire Lieutenant McGowan was appointed to the department December 24, 1941 and was promoted to the grade of Fire Lieutenant on January 14, 1948. Fire Fighter Ryalls was appointed to the department January 21, 1948, and Fire Fighter Nichol was appointed on October 31, 1945.

4. All the foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

IV. RESIGNATION

1. The following resignation, which became effective at 8 a. m., September 3, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter on Probation William T. Murray Engine Co. 51

V. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED

1. The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into circuit #54:
12-2178 Wm. Monroe Trotter School, 135 Humboldt Ave.
2. The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into circuit #72:
12-259 Chas. Sumner Dist. Extension, 515-525 Hyde Park Ave.
3. The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into circuit #40:
15-3432 Dorchester High School Annex #2, rear Dorch. High School
4. Company commanders will add these boxes to respective circuit cards.

VI. A. D. T. DATA

Notice has been received of a change in designation of ADT Signal 3356 as follows:

Was Hunt-Marquardt, 240-244 Brighton Ave.
Change to - L. Goldstein & Sons, Inc.

VII. COMMENDATION

Fire Fighter Nicolo Patti of Engine Co. 40 and Fire Alarm Operator William N. Ventura of the Fire Alarm Division are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 6173, 2 alarms, on August 30, 1969, while off duty.

VIII. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future, the following fire alarm box will be installed:

12-1655 B. U. School of Graduate Dentistry, 80 East Concord Street

Company commanders will add the above box to assignment cards for Box 1655. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

IX. HIGH COMMENDATION

1. At 8:53 a. m., August 17, 1969, the Fire Department responded to an alarm from Box 1671 for a fire in the building at 75 West Brookline St., Boston.

Upon arrival of the department, heavy smoke was coming from all floors and fire was observed on the first floor and was overlapping out the first floor windows in the rear of the building.

Through the heavy smoke which obscured the front of the building, two men were seen, one on a ledge at the third-floor level, and the other in a window of the second floor. Members of Ladder Co. 13 immediately raised an extension ladder to the ledge and removed one man to the street. Ladder Co. 3 raised a ladder to the second floor and assisted the other man to the street. This man informed Fire Fighter Frank J. Cronin of Ladder Co. 3 that there was another man trapped in a room at the rear of the second floor and that he was unable to walk.

Fire Fighter Cronin immediately ascended the ladder, entered the second floor, crawled down a hallway to the rear and made a diligent search for the victim but was unable to locate him in the dense heat, smoke, and gases which filled the building. He returned to the front window and while there he heard moans emanating from the rear. He again crawled down the hallway and this time was successful in locating the victim in a rear room. He dragged the man across the second floor to a front window and passed him to Fire Fighter William P. Carroll and Fire Fighter John E. Jameson of Ladder Co. 3 who removed him to the street.

2. This rescue act was performed by Fire Fighter Cronin without the aid of a mask and before ventilation had been effected.
3. Because of the fact that Fire Fighter Cronin performed the rescue work without thought of his own safety, and with great difficulty, the Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend him highly, and his case is referred to the Board of Merit for further consideration.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

George H. Paul
Acting Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 37

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, SEPTEMBER 19, 1969

I. PRIVATE ALARM SIGNALS

Effective at 8 a. m., September 22, 1969, the striking of private fire alarm signals two rounds on the tapper will be eliminated. Instead, the nearest engine and ladder companies will be dispatched as is presently done on still alarms, and then the city box will be struck.

After sending the assigned still alarm response and striking the city box, the number and location of the private fire alarm signal shall be announced over the department radio.

II. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed, and company commanders shall add this box to assignment card for Box 5191. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed:

12-5191 St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Multi-Purpose Bldg., 736 Cambridge St.

III. A. D. T. DATA

Company commanders shall make the following change on ADT SIGNAL 36:

Signal 36 - Boston Gas Co., 220 Victory Road - Add "Sprinkler"

IV. HYDE PARK ALARMS

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to the Hyde Park Alarm System running cards in this department:

Signal 267 - Boston Harbor Industrial Development, 30 Trilling Way
Tredwell Shoe Area near office, Waterflow #1

Signal 268 - Boston Harbor Industrial Development, 30 Trilling Way
Tredwell Shoe Area rear of building, Waterflow #2

Signal 269 - Boston Harbor Industrial Development, 30 Trilling Way
Threaded Products of Mass. Inc., Waterflow #3

Signal 271 - Boston Harbor Industrial Development, 30 Trilling Way
Joseph Beale Co., Waterflow #4

Apparatus to respond to above boxes: Eng. 39, Lad. 18,
Dist. 6. Nearest box is 7127

V. LETTER OF APPRECIATION

The following letter received by the Fire Commissioner is hereby published for the information of the department:

"Dear Commissioner:

"On Sunday, 7 September 1969, acting on a request from the Boston Naval Shipyard, men and equipment from your department immediately responded to a serious fire aboard the USS LEXINGTON (CVT16).

"The Shipyard wishes to express its appreciation for the outstanding service rendered by your firefighters. The assistance obtained from them materially aided in the protection of the ship and personnel, both military and civilian, from the many hazards associated with shipboard fires.

"The dedication and professionalism displayed by your men at the scene was the major factor in reducing the seriousness of the fire.

"Your cooperation and assistance in this instance and in the past is greatly appreciated.

Signed / J. T. Collins
Captain, USN
Acting Shipyard Commander"

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 38

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, SEPTEMBER 26, 1969

I. RETIREMENTS

1. The following retirement, in accordance with Section 5, Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, which will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, October 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Lieutenant John C. Reardon Rescue Company

2. The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of Section 7 as affected by Section 94 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, October 1, 1969, are hereby announced:

F. F. (Arson Inspector) Joseph P. Murray Fire Prevention Div.
F. F. James E. Ford Engine Company 31

3. Fire Lieutenant Reardon was appointed to the Fire Department July 16, 1937 and was promoted to the grade of Fire Lieutenant January 14, 1948. Fire Fighter Murray was appointed to the department October 10, 1945, and Fire Fighter Ford was appointed June 2, 1948.

4. All the foregoing named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

1. In the near future, the following fire alarm box will be installed:

14-4141 - Charlestown Branch Library, 5 Green Street

2. Company commanders will add the above box to assignment card for Box 4141. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

1. Fire Prevention Week will be observed in the City of Boston from Oct. 5 to Oct. 11, 1969, inclusive. Mayor Kevin H. White has issued the following statement in connection with the observance of this week.

"The success of a fire prevention program is predicated on the activities of an experienced fire department and the cooperative assistance received from members of the community. We are fortunate in Boston that these necessary elements exist, and thus fire safety has steadily progressed. The nature of fire and fire causes is such that negligence can lead to disaster. Hence, everlasting vigilance must be maintained. The fire department must provide initiative to the public at all times for their greater safety from fire.

"I have noted the progress made by the Boston Fire Department in the field of research. The efforts expended in this area have been extensive and rewarding. As Mayor of this city, I am pleased to congratulate the fire department for their accomplishments in this respect. The results indicate that research such as this is a most important factor in future fire safety. This, added to the continuous fire prevention work, and the efficient operations of an excellent fire fighting force, contributes to make Boston a safer city."

The Boston Fire Department will again emphasize Fire Prevention Week with a series of activities as follows:

(a) Fire stations shall be open to the public between the hours of 12 Noon and 8 p. m. for inspection of the premises and for the conveyance of information concerning the fire department functions and fire prevention matters. When citizens come to a station during fire prevention week, the man on house patrol shall summon the commanding officer who should be available and ready to either show the visitors around the station and to answer questions regarding the department, or to have a suitable person assigned to this duty.

(b) Canvas signs giving notice that Fire Prevention Week is in progress should be displayed from all fire stations. Most stations have these signs in their possession from exhibitions of previous years, and it is the responsibility of company officers to see to it that these signs are kept in good condition from year to year. Signs should be displayed from Sunday to Saturday. Signs shall be checked daily by the officer in charge of quarters to assure that they are firmly affixed to the building in a proper manner.

3. District Fire Chiefs are directed to take an active interest in fire prevention programs in the following manner:

(a) By making arrangements with the various plants and industrial enterprises within the district to hold fire drills during the week; by grading these drills as "Good", "Fair," or "Poor," and making a report of same to the Fire Prevention Division, indicating the name of the enterprise, date of drill, and the grade.

Same should be forwarded promptly. Each concern should be requested to acknowledge participation in Fire Prevention Week activities via written correspondence. These drills should be conducted by a company officer after arrangements are made. At plants where there are special or company fire brigades, particular attention should be given to assignments and/or response procedures. It is requested that the name of the company officer conducting the drill be furnished. It is anticipated that not less than three drills be conducted in each district.

(b) All public and private schools within each district shall be visited by a district chief or duly delegated company officer. School fire drills shall be held during Fire Prevention Week in all schools, both public and private. Permission should be obtained for the presentation of a five-minute talk on the subject of fire prevention - such address should not be read from a printed manuscript. Every effort should be made to speak effectively and emphatically.

4. The school department in cooperation with the Fire Department is going to distribute "Home Inspection Blanks." Distribution of these blanks shall be by company officers within whose subdistricts the schools are located, and they shall be distributed during Fire Prevention Week. The teachers shall collect the completed blanks from the pupils, and in turn the company officers will collect from the various schools and return these blanks to the Fire Prevention Division with a summary of schools and total numbers collected on or before November 1. Posters for bulletin boards, two for each school, will also be distributed.

An essay contest is being conducted in all parochial and public schools in the City for the sixth grade of the grammar schools. Topic is "What Fire Prevention Means to Me." The essay is to be 150 words or less. All officers and members are requested to show an interest in this essay contest and to answer questions concerning it to any student who may request information relative to Fire Prevention in order to complete his essay.

5. The district fire chief should compile a list of fraternal, social, civic, and professional organizations within the district and advertise to them the willingness of the Fire Department to provide company officers for the purpose of lecturing on Fire Prevention at any time. District fire chiefs should make a concerted effort to bring the activities of the department before these organizations and arrange for lectures to be given. The name of any organization so participating should be reported to Fire Prevention Division, specifically if the organization can be urged to forward on their own stationery a notation of the event, it would be to the greater advantage of the Fire Department.

6. Fire fighters are to pay special attention to the observance of fire hazards and to the duty of observing and locating fire hazards along the route followed by them in their coming to and going from daily work. Dilapidated buildings, rubbish accumulations, and other hazards should be reported to the Fire Prevention Division. The public expects uniformed members of the Fire Department to know something about fire prevention work and to have an interest in this subject,

since they are public employees engaged in this field. Fire fighters, therefore, during Fire Prevention Week should have this subject uppermost in their minds, and they should not pass by a fire hazard at any time without making a note of it for reference to the Fire Prevention Division. In short, every uniformed man in the department is a fire prevention inspector at all times.

7. Company commanders, upon receipt of the Governor's Proclamation on Fire Prevention and Fire Prevention posters, will post these items in a suitable location at the front of each fire station where they will be visible to the public. They will remain posted until October 12, 1969.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

FIRE PREVENTION PARADE

1. The Annual Fire Prevention Parade will be held Sunday afternoon, October 5, 1969. All members off duty at that time, fire fighters and members of branch divisions are requested to participate in the parade. The assembly point will be at the Prudential Center (Boylston St. side) at 1:30 P. M. The participation of all members is necessary for a successful fire prevention program.
2. The Deputy Fire Chief of the Fire Prevention Division shall detail all off-duty members to march in the parade. Regulation uniform and white gloves shall be worn.

ROSTER OF PARADE

Honorary Chief Marshal

Mayor Kevin H. White

Honorary Chief of Staff

Fire Commissioner James H. Kelly

Chief Marshal

Chief of Department Joseph F. Kilduff

Chiefs of Staff

Deputy Fire Chief Joseph L. Dolan
Deputy Fire Chief Leo D. Stapleton
Deputy Fire Chief Leslie W. Magoon

B. F. D. Sound Truck

Boston Army Base Color Guard
Boston Fire Department Band
B. F. D. Rifle Honor Guard & Drill Team
(Honor Escort for Marshal and Staff)

First Division

18th U. S. Army Band
Air Force Truck - Bedford
U. S. Navy Band
Coast Guard Color Guard
8th Air Force Band
Hanscom Field Drill Team

First Division (continued)

- ** Chief Officers of Boston Fire Department
 - Visiting Chief Officers
 - Fire Prevention Division
 - Deputy Mayor's or Mayor's Car
 - Fire Commissioner's Car
 - Chief of Department's Car
 - Staff Officers' Cars
 - (any Government trucks)

** Chief Officers will pull to right after reviewing stand on Tremont St.

Second Division

Boston Fire Department Rescue Unit
President of Fire Prevention Council
St. Bartholomew's Band, Needham
Boston Gas Company Float
Handtub "Water Witch", Southboro
Boston Police Department Band
1934 Buffalo Pump, Boston
1935 Ahrens Fox Pump, Winchester
Abington Fire Department

Third Division

Boston Fire Department Ladder 8
(with Willie Whistle)
St. Ann's Band, Dorchester
St. John's Drill Team, Cambridge
State Street Bank Float (Miss Fire Prevention)
1937 American LaFrance Pump (A. Edmonds)
1931 American LaFrance Pump (B. Broderick)
1929 Seagraves Pump (A. Edmonds)
1926 Maxim Pump (A. Edmonds)
1925 Ahrens Fox Truck (A. Edmonds)
Biddeford, Maine F. D. Drum & Bugle Corps
St. Peter's Pebbles, Dorchester
1927 American LaFrance Pump, Marblehead
1917 Ahrens Fox (A. J. Wolfe Co.)
Belmont Fire Department
Burlington Fire Department

Fourth Division

Boston Fire Department Ladder 7
(with Bunker Hill)
Holy Name Band, West Roxbury
1854 Eutton & Blake Hand Engine (E. Greenwich Fire Department)

Fourth Division (continued)

Immaculate Conception Jr. Band, Everett
Smokey the Bear
1928 Mack Pump, Maine
1914 Model T, Lynnfield
Cambridge Fire Department
Chelsea Fire Department

Fifth Division

Boston Fire Department Engine 42
Immaculate Conception Sr. Band, Everett
Hunneman Handtub, Braintree
Handtub "Tiger 1", New Hampshire
St. William's Jr. Band, Dorchester
1936 Maxim, Lynnfield
1938 Maxim, Newburyport
1934 Seagrave, Reading
Concord Fire Department
Dedham Fire Department

Sixth Division

Boston Fire Department Engine 26
J. J. Seniors, South Boston
1844 Hunneman Pump, Quincy
1862 Handtub, Acton
J. J. Juniors, South Boston
1916 Model T Ford Chemical Truck, Hamilton
1926 Maxim Pump, Wilmington
Dover Fire Department
Lexington Fire Department
Malden Fire Department
Medfield Fire Department

Seventh Division

Woburn Fire Department
St. Kevin's Jr. Drum & Bugle Corps, Dorchester
Handtub, Maine
Handtub "Veto", Groveland
Holy Family Drum & Bugle Corps, Rockland
1932 Maxim, Millis
1936 Reo Pump, Acton
American Red Cross Canteen
Salvation Army Canteen
Medford Fire Department
Needham Fire Department

Seventh Division (continued)

Reading Fire Department
Revere Fire Department
Somerville Auxiliary Fire Department
Sudbury Fire Department
Waltham Fire Department
Watertown Fire Department
Westwood Fire Department
Newton Fire Department
Quincy Fire Department
Milton Fire Department

3. Companies assigned to the parade shall have all members on duty on the apparatus. They shall maintain contact with the Fire Alarm Office at all times. Fire Alarm will cover companies assigned to the parade, if necessary. Regulation uniform shall be worn. Fire clothes shall be carried on the apparatus.

4. The parade will be reviewed by Mayor White who will be joined by the Fire Commissioner, Chief of Department and his Staff from the Mayor's reviewing stand on Tremont Street, opposite West Street. The remainder of the Chief Officers will review the parade on Tremont Street to the right of the reviewing stand.

Twenty paces will be maintained between marching units and between mobile units. Officers heading parade divisions shall give this information to units of such divisions.

Route of Parade: The parade will start at 2 P. M. at Prudential Center, Boylston St. side. Proceeds north on Boylston to Arlington, left on Arlington to Beacon, right on Beacon to Park, right on Park to Tremont, right on Tremont to Boylston, right on Boylston to Charles, right on Charles.

Dismissal Point: Boston Fire Department apparatus will continue along Charles Street and return to quarters.

5. The public address system (Sound Truck) will cover the route of the parade, preceding the parade by two minutes, and immediately thereafter position itself at the bandstand at the ballfield.

6. Apparatus and other vehicles shall be placed as the roster indicated by Superintendent Kearney and Engineer in Charge of Motor Apparatus Fagan. They will be assisted by personnel from the Maintenance and Fire Prevention Divisions. Engineer Fagan will direct vehicles to their assigned formation location.

7. Antique apparatus will be displayed on the walk at the Boston Common.
8. Marching units, detailed, and off-duty members shall be placed as the roster indicates by District Fire Chief Harrison and Fire Captain John Collins who will be assisted by Honor Guard personnel.

For the purpose of clarification, the following specific assignments are made so that reporting units will have a definite individual to be directed to in the formation of parade divisions.

Division One	Chief Harrison
Division Two	Lieut. Bonner
Division Three	Lieut. Cannata
Division Four	Lieut. Langone
Division Five	Lieut. Alongi
Division Six	Lieut. Griffin
Division Seven	Lieut. Sangster

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

I. APPOINTMENTS OF FIRE FIGHTERS ON PROBATION

1. The following appointments of Fire Fighters on Probation are hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 22, 1969:

William M. Burns	to	Engine Co. 16
Robert H. Lindsay	to	Ladder Co. 15
Robert M. Winston	to	Ladder Co. 16
John J. Evans, Jr.	to	Ladder Co. 26
Alfred R. Sears, Jr.	to	Engine Co. 34
Donald C. Kernan	to	Ladder Co. 29
John J. DeGrandis	to	Engine Co. 42
James F. Mahoney	to	Engine Co. 9
William J. Horne	to	Ladder Co. 24
Eugene B. Griffin	to	Engine Co. 40
Allan M. Mullane	to	Engine Co. 21
Thomas C. White	to	Engine Co. 56
William T. Kelley	to	Ladder Co. 3
Edward C. Wallace	to	Engine Co. 40
John F. Connors	to	Engine Sqd. 14
James D. Mullen	to	Ladder Co. 26
Paul D. Hurley	to	Ladder Co. 26
Thomas M. Crilley	to	Ladder Co. 8
James B. Stack	to	Engine Co. 20
Richard A. Powers	to	Engine Co. 33
Edward C. Joyce	to	Ladder Co. 29
Patrick F. Lee	to	Engine Co. 51
Martin Fisher	to	Ladder Co. 15
W. Michael Foley	to	Engine Co. 42
Richard P. Freda	to	Engine Co. 25

II. TRANSFERS

1. The following transfers are hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 22, 1969:

Fire Lieutenant John J. Feeney	Engine Co. 4 to Rescue Co.
Fire Fighter Robert D. Callow	Ladder Co. 7 to Engine Co. 2
Fire Fighter Thomas F. Connors	Engine Co. 47 to Engine Co. 56
Fire Fighter James A. Higgins	Engine Co. 21 to Engine Co. 20
Fire Fighter Harvey Campbell	Ladder Co. 8 to Engine Co. 50
Fire Fighter Francis Byrne	Ladder Co. 11 to Ladder Co. 26
Fire Fighter Accacio J. Gazo	Engine Co. 53 to Ladder Co. 29
Fire Fighter Thomas F. Fraher	Ladder Co. 26 to Headquarters
Fire Fighter John G. Kenney	Ladder Co. 26 to Headquarters
Fire Fighter Francis J. George	Ladder Co. 3 to Headquarters
Fire Fighter Francis L. Danze	Ladder Co. 20 to Engine Co. 37

III. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED

1. The following fire alarm boxes have been installed and connected into the circuits indicated:

13-5184	Mother House, Sisters of St. Joseph, 625 Cambridge St.	(Circuit #14)
15-2484	Novitiate, Daughters of St. Paul, 50 St. Paul Ave.	(Circuit #87)
7117	Northern Ave. at Pier #4	(Circuit #32)

2. Company commanders will add each of the above boxes to the respective circuit cards.

IV. FIRE ALARM BOX DISCONTINUED

1. The following fire alarm box has been discontinued:

4157 Boston & Maine R.R. Yard off Rutherford Ave. near Shed #25

2. Company commanders will delete this box from Circuit Card #12.

V. CALL'S ASSIGNMENT

1. Company commanders shall add the following signal number to Call's running cards in this Department:

Signal 483 - Arnco Auto Supply, 30 Washington St. (1 Dry Water Flow System for entire building)

Apparatus to respond: Engine 29, Ladder 11, District Chief 11.
Nearest box is 5176.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

I. FIRE FIGHTER PAUL F. PORTER

1. It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on September 25, 1969, of Fire Fighter Paul F. Porter of Engine Co. 50. Fire Fighter Porter was appointed to the Department April 7, 1948.
2. The funeral was held from the William J. Gormley Funeral Home, 509 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, at 8 A.M., Monday, September 29, 1969, followed by a Solemn High Funeral Mass in St. Thomas Aquinas Church, South Street, Jamaica Plain, at 9 A.M.
3. The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as a funeral escort, and the members of Engine Squad 45 were excused from duty in order to attend the funeral services.

II. CHANGE IN TIME

1. Under the Daylight Saving Law, time will be retarded one hour at 2 A.M. on Sunday, October 26, 1969. At that time, clocks in all Department houses will be set back one hour.
2. All tower clocks without striking mechanisms will be set back at 6:30 A.M. All tower clocks with striking mechanisms will be stopped at 6:30 A.M. for one hour and then started. Only men regularly assigned to wind clocks will be detailed to change tower clocks.

III. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

1. In the near future, the following fire alarm box will be installed:
728 - Frontage Road at 200
2. New assignment cards for this box will be distributed with this Order.

IV. CHANGE IN NAME OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC FIRE ALARM COMPANY

1. Notice has been received from the Automatic Fire Alarm Company of the following change in the name of said Company:
Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Company to AFA Protective Systems, Incorporated

V. MASSACHUSETTS BAY UNITED FUND CAMPAIGN - 1970

1. His Honor, Mayor Kevin H. White, has called attention to the Annual United Fund Campaign for 1970, which is now under way. The Mayor hopes that the customary generosity of the Fire Department employees will be repeated again this year.
2. Pledge cards and literature concerning the United Fund Campaign are being distributed to the Department today. Each member will receive the card upon which his name has already been inscribed.
3. Company commanders and heads of branch divisions are requested to interview each member of their commands, including employees on sick and injured leave, and ask them to make a contribution. All pledge cards are to be completed and returned to Headquarters on or before October 27, 1969. However,

completed cards with initial donations should be sent to Headquarters as soon as possible before the above date. Company commanders are requested not to hold a number of completed cards while awaiting receipt of others.

Cards of members who request that payroll deductions be made should be separated from cards accompanied by donations. Both groups of cards should be forwarded to Headquarters by October 24, 1969, if possible.

All pledge cards and currency will be received at Headquarters by Principal Clerk Marie Forsyth on or before October 29, 1969. Cards pledging donations through payroll deductions should also be forwarded to her. Delivery of pledge cards and money can be made on any weekday, except Saturday, between 9 A.M. and 3 P.M.

A member may pledge a sum of money and have it deducted on the Department payroll in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 180, Section 17B, of the General Laws. However, deductions can be made on the payroll only four times a year, during the weeks in which there will be no Blue Cross deductions, as follows:

Weeks ending March 31, June 30, September 29, and December 29, 1970

Deductions of less than \$1.00 cannot be made on the payroll. There is a space on each card for a member who desires to pledge a certain amount to make a down payment and have the United Fund bill him for the balance in four payments as indicated on the card, or on some particular date to be inserted on the card by the member.

Additional pledge cards and envelopes may be obtained at Headquarters.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

George Paul
Acting Chief of Department

I. FIRE FIGHTER PAUL C. CONNORS

1. It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death on October 18, 1969 of Fire Fighter Paul C. Connors of the Headquarters Division. Fire Fighter Connors was appointed to the Department January 22, 1947.
2. The funeral was held from the John J. O'Connor Funeral Home, 740 Adams Street, Dorchester at 10 a. m., Wednesday, October 22, 1969, followed by a Solemn High Funeral Mass in St. Gregory's Church, Dorchester at 11 a. m.
3. The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Engine Co. 3 and Ladder Co. 3 were excused to attend the services.

II. FIRE FIGHTER JAMES H. CONWAY

1. It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death on October 26, 1969 of Fire Fighter James H. Conway of the Headquarters Division. Fire Fighter Conway was appointed to the department August 24, 1928.
2. The funeral was held from the Kelley Funeral Home, 8 Church Street, Dorchester at 8 a. m., Thurs., October 30, 1969, followed by a Solemn High Mass of Requiem in St. Ann's Church at 9 a. m.
3. The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Headquarters and Maintenance Divisions were excused to attend the services.

III. TRANSFER CANCELLED

The Transfer of Fire Fighter Harvey Campbell from Ladder Co. 8 to Engine Co. 50 was cancelled at 8 a. m., October 22, 1969.

IV. ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, November 5, 1969:

Boxes 7113, 7117, 7122, 7127, 7128

V. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF FIRE ALARM BOX

1. The designation of fire alarm Box 13-2332 has been changed to read:

13-2332 Frank Palmer Speare Hall, 10 Spear Place
2. Company commanders will make the above change in designation on assignment cards.

VI. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED

1. In the near future the following fire alarm boxes will be installed:

13-1367 Mass. Teachers' Assoc. Bldg., 20 Ashburton Place
(add to assignment card for Box 1367)

13-2547 Jamaica Towers Nursing Home, 174 Forest Hills Street
(add to assignment card for Box 2547)
2. Circuit numbers will be announced when the boxes are installed.

VII. CALL'S DATA

1. Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to Call's running cards in this Department:

Signal 485 - Summerfield's Furniture, 17-19 Farnsworth St. Flrs. 1, 2, 3
(Dry Water Flow System)
Signal 486 - Summerfield's Furniture, 17-19 Farnsworth St. Flrs. 4, 5, 6
(Dry Water Flow System)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 39, Lad. 18, Dist. 6
Nearest box is 7112

Signal 487 - Saxon Paper Corp. of New England, 342 Western Ave.
(2 Wet Water Flow Systems)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 34, Lad. 14, Dist. 11
Nearest box is 5271
2. The response to Call's Signal 353 will be changed to read, "Eng. 56, Lad. 21, Dist. Chief 1. The nearest box will be 6229."
4. The nearest box for Call's Signal 435 will be changed to read, "728."

VIII. AFA PROTECTIVE SYSTEMS DATA

1. Notice has been received from AFA Protective Systems that the following signals have been discontinued

Signal 23	52-55 Front St.
24	47-51 Front St.
25	39-46 Front St.
34	Rutherford Ave., Freight House 24
54	Morrissey Blvd., No. 40
84	132-134 Tremont St.
242	43-45 West Street
279	10-20 Atlantic Ave.
381	13-18 Front St.
382	6-12 Front St.
383	1-5 Front St.

(Discontinuance of AFA Signals) continued

Signal 1434	Rear, 100 Arlington Ave.
1435	100 Arlington Ave.
1438	92-94 Arlington Ave.
2599	1310 Columbus Ave.
2643	25 Williams St.
2748	Rear, 300 Rutherford Ave.
2756	853 Albany Street

2. In connection with the AFA Signals shown below, the following changes will be made:

Signal 1613 Add "S"
Signal 1432 Add "M"
Signal 1433 Add "M", drop "A"
Signal 1437 Add "M", drop "A"

3. The nearest box for AFA Signal 343 will be changed to "7117."

IX. CHAPTER 544, G. L.

Chapter 544 is hereby published for the information of the department.

"Chapter 544. AN ACT FURTHER DEFINING THE TERM "FIRE FIGHTER" SO AS TO INCLUDE THE CHIEF AND ALL OTHER FIRE OFFICERS OF A FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows: SECTION 1. Section 7 of chapter 4 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding after clause Forty-sixth the following clause:-

Forty-seventh, "Fire fighter", "fireman" or "permanent member of a fire department", shall include the chief or other uniformed officer performing similar duties, however entitled, and all other fire officers of a fire department.

SECTION 2. Section 58C of chapter 48 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by chapter 62 of the acts of 1969, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "member", in line 1, the words:- , other than the chief, .

Approved July 17, 1969

X. GASOLINE AND OIL REPORT

Effective November 1, 1969, a report on the use and storage of gasoline and diesel oil shall be submitted monthly with the company monthly reports. One report from each fire station, as follows:

Used by apparatus, Serial No. _____ Co. Number _____
Other _____
Fuel in storage _____

XI. LETTER OF THANKS

The following letter received by the Fire Commissioner is published for the information of the department:

"Dear Commissioner Kelly,

"I am writing to express the appreciation of the officers and men of the USS LEXINGTON to the men of the Boston Fire Department for their response to the call for assistance during the fire aboard LEXINGTON at the Boston Naval Shipyard on the night of 7 September 1969.

"Please convey my personal thanks to Acting Chief Paul, Deputy Chief O'Mara, and District Chief Murphy for their cooperation and able assistance in successfully combating a difficult fire.

"I would also like to pay tribute to the dedicated firemen of the following companies, not in the order of their contribution to the fire fighting effort, but as I understand, the order of response to the three alarms: (read left to right)

Engine Company 2
Ladder Company 18
Fireboat Engine 31
Engine Company 3
Ladder Company 20
Engine Company 28
Engine Company 8

Engine Company 1
Ladder Company 19
Engine Company 25
Engine Company 43
Fireboat Engine 47
Engine Company 5

Engine Company 39
Rescue Company
Engine Company 7
Ladder Company 8
Lighting Plant 1
Engine Company 10

"It is always comforting to know that such capable and dedicated men are standing by to render assistance during an emergency.

Sincerely,
Signed/ Wayne E. Hammett
Captain, U. S. Navy"

XII. REINSTATEMENT

The following member will be reinstated in the Boston Fire Department, effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, November 5, 1969:

Fire Fighter on Probation Stephen T. Langone

XIII. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, November 5, 1969:

F. F. O. P. Stephen T. Langone	from Headquarters	to Engine Co. 33
Fire Fighter Jerry E. Smith, Jr.	from Engine Co. 33	to Ladder Co. 15

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff, Chief of Department

GENERAL ORDERS
NO. 44

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOSTON, NOVEMBER 7, 1969

I. RETIREMENT

1. The following retirement, in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 32, G. L., which became effective at 8 a. m., November 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Everett A. Flaherty Headquarters Division

2. Fire Fighter Flaherty was appointed to the department May 31, 1929, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

II. RESIGNATION

1. The following resignation, which will become effective at 8 a. m., Monday, November 10, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Richard Kelley, III Engine Company 52

III. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

1. In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

14-3542 - Roger Wolcott Annex, 800 Morton Street

2. Company commanders will add this box to assignment card for Box 3542. The circuit number will be announced when the box is installed.

IV. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, November 12, 1969:

Boxes 211, 2112, 2113, 2115, 2121, 2122

V. AFA PROTECTIVE SYSTEMS, INC.

1. Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of AFA Protective Systems in this department:

Signal 34 - 96-104 Arlington Ave., Paule Chemical Co. (Sprinkler)
Signal 381 - 92 Arlington Ave., Cork Engineering Co. 1st floor, (Aero)
Signal 382 - 92 Arlington Ave., Cork Engineering Co., 2nd floor, (Aero)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 32, Lad. 9, Dist. 2
Nearest box is 4183

Signal 346 - 60 Batterymarch St. 9th flr. Room 928 (Smoke Detector)
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 25, Lad. 8, Dist. 3
Nearest box is 1283

AFA Signal 2257 - 101-111 Causeway St. & 276-86 Friend St. (Sprinkler)
Enter 105 Causeway St.

Apparatus to respond: Eng. 4, Lad. 24, Dist. 3
Nearest box is 1315

Signal 2322 - 600 Albany St., Florist Supply Co. (Sprinkler)

Apparatus to respond: Eng. 3, Lad. 3, Dist. 4
Nearest box is 1646

2. In AFA Protective Systems data in Section VIII of G. O. 43, Oct. 31, 1969, the following signal was discontinued: Signal 54 - 40 Morrissey Blvd. This department was notified by AFA Protective Systems in their letter of October 29, 1969 to the Fire Commissioner that Signal 54 was discontinued. However, this was an error, and the signal is still in service.

VI. CALL'S ASSIGNMENT

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to Call's running cards in this department:

Signal 484 - Mutual Paper Co., 266 Border St. (Dry Waterflow System)

Apparatus to respond: Eng. 9, Lad. 2, Dist. 1
Nearest box is 6174

VII. COMMENDATIONS

1. Fire Fighter Frank C. LaCortiglia of Engine Company 9 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 6178 at 3:13 p. m., October 29, 1969, while he was off duty.

2. The following Fire Fighters on Probation are hereby commended for their zeal and devotion to duty in responding to and working at fire, Box 231 on October 23, 1969, while they were off duty:

John J. Evans	Ladder Co. 26
Paul D. Hurley	Ladder Co. 26
James D. Mullen	Ladder Co. 26

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

I. FIRE FIGHTER FRANCIS H. CORWIN

1. It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death on November 6, 1969 of Fire Fighter Francis H. Corwin of Engine Company 36. Fire Fighter Corwin was appointed to the department on June 16, 1943.
2. The funeral was held from the Daniel F. O'Brien Funeral Home, Two Benton Road, Somerville, at 11 a. m., Monday, November 10, 1969.
3. The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Engine 36 were excused to attend the services.

II. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, November 19, 1969:

Boxes 212, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2133

III. FIRE ALARM BOX INSTALLED

The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into circuit #47, and company commanders shall add this to respective circuit card:

13-1367 Mass. Teachers Assn. Bldg., 20 Ashburton Place

IV. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed; the response will be the same as for Box 1433 and circuit number will be announced when the box is installed:

1472 Harrison Avenue and Essex Street

V. A. D. T. DATA

1. Notice has been received from the ADT Company of the discontinuance of the following signal:

Signal 3354 - Bakeries, Inc., 226 Causeway Street

2. The following correction shall be made on the ADT running cards:

Signal 3368 - Stop & Shop, 940 Bennington St.

First due engine company should read Engine 56

VI. CALL'S DATA

1. Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to Call's running cards in this department:

Signal 488 Court Sq. Press, 14 Greenbaum St. Wet waterflow system, Bldg. B
Signal 489 Court Sq. Press, 14 Greenbaum St. " Bldg. E
Signal 491 Court Sq. Press, 14 Greenbaum St. " Bldgs. C, D, F, Fa
Apparatus to respond: Eng. 1, Lad. 17, Dist. 6
Nearest box is 7138

2. The designation of Call's Signal 474 should be changed to read as follows:
474- Court Sq. Press, 14 Greenbaum St. Wet waterflow system,
Bldg. A - (Originally announced in G. O. 18, April 19, 1969)
3. The nearest box to Signal 474 should be changed to read: "7138."
4. Notice has been received of the discontinuance of the following Call's signals:

Signal 294 Spaulding Moss Co., 415 Summer St.
Signal 449 H. F. A. W. Trust, 101-111 Causeway St.

VII. A. F. A. DATA

Notice has been received from the Superintendent of Fire Alarm of the following changes in AFA assignments:

Signal 174 Nearest city box shall be changed to read 7117
Signal 175 Nearest city box shall be changed to read 7117

VIII. CHANGES IN RESPONSE

Company commanders shall make the following changes on assignment cards:

Boxes 6218, 6219, 6224, 6225 - Drop Eng. 11 as first due engine company;
Add Eng. 56 as first due eng. co.; Add Eng. 11 as second due eng. co.

IX. BRIDGE CLOSED

The Chelsea Street Bridge will be closed between the hours of 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. on the following dates:

Nov. 15 & 16, Nov. 22 & 23, Nov. 29 and 30

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

I. RETIREMENTS

1. The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of Section 6, Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which became effective at 8 a. m., July 8, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Thomas J. Kerwin Engine Co. 51

2. The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of Section 5, Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which will become effective at 8 a. m., Dec. 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Thomas G. Sullivan Lighting Plant 1

3. Fire Fighter Kerwin was appointed to the department June 11, 1952, and Fire Fighter Sullivan was appointed July 16, 1937. Both of these members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., November 26, 1969:

BOXES 2135, 2136, 2147, 2149, 2152, 2153

III. FIRE ALARM BOX INSTALLED

The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into circuit #72; company commanders shall add this box to the respective circuit card:

13-2547 Jamaica Towers Nursing Home, 174 Forest Hills Street

IV. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF F. A. BOX

The designation of fire alarm Box 12-1655 has been changed to read:

12-1655 B U School of Graduate Dentistry, 100 East Newton Street

Company commanders will make the above change on the assignment cards.

V. CALL'S DATA

Notice has been received from Call's Central Station Alarms that the following signal has been discontinued:

Signal 395 - New England Doll & Novelty, 53 Edgerly Road

VI. ANNIVERSARY MASS

An Anniversary Mass will be celebrated in St. Ann's Church, Neponset Ave. Dorchester at 5:30 p. m., Monday, November 24, 1969 for the late Fire Lieut. Warren T. Lynch of Engine Company 18.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff, Chief of Department

I. FIRE FIGHTER WILLIAM C. BROWN

1. It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death on November 28, 1969, of Fire Fighter William C. Brown of Ladder Company 13. Fire Fighter Brown was appointed to the department February 3, 1947.
2. The funeral was held from the John C. Mulry Funeral Home, 223 Neponset Ave., Dorchester on Monday, December 1, 1969, at 9 a. m., followed by a Solemn High Mass of Requiem in St. Ambrose Church, Dorchester, at 10 a. m.
3. The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Ladder 13 were excused to attend the services.

II. RETIREMENTS

1. The following retirement, in accordance with Sections 7 and 94 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which became effective at 8 a. m., December 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Canice J. Fennelly Engine Company 20

2. The following retirement, in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which became effective at 8 a. m., December 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter John F. P. Harris Ladder Company 31

3. The following retirement, in accordance with Section 7 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which became effective at 8 a. m., December 1, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Harry C. Shea Engine Company 52

4. Fire Fighter Fennelly was appointed to the department December 8, 1943; Fire Fighter Harris was appointed July 16, 1937; Fire Fighter Shea was appointed February 3, 1947.

5. All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. RESIGNATION

Mr. Peter C. Siragusa, Director of the Department of Music Education in the Boston Public Schools has tendered his resignation as Musical Director of the Boston Fire Department Band.

The Boston Fire Department wishes to thank Mr. Siragusa for his dedicated service for the past sixteen years and hopes for his continued success in all future endeavors.

IV. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this order and will become effective at 8 a. m., December 8, 1969:

BOXES 2156, 2165, 2168, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2187

V. FIRE ALARM BOX RENUMBERED

Effective at 12 Noon, December 10, 1969, the following fire alarm box will be renumbered, and company commanders shall make the change on assignment and circuit cards:

Old No. 365 changed to 3652 - Almont St. & Colorado St. - circuit #31

VI. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed, and company commanders shall add it to assignment card for Box 1656; the circuit number will be announced when the box is installed:

12-1656 B. U. Instructional Bldg., 70 East Concord Street

VII. CALL'S DATA

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to Call's running cards in this department - all signals located at - Morton Shoe Store, Inc., 647 Summer Street:

- Signal 492 - System #1, back left section of building
- 493 - System #2, back half of warehouse in receiving area
- 494 - System #3, front left section of the building
- 495 - System #4, front half of warehouse in receiving area
- 496 - System #5, middle of warehouse, front to back
- 497 - System #6, middle of warehouse, front to back
- 498 - System #7, office area
- 499 - System #8, front half of warehouse, right side of building
- 511 - System #9, front half of warehouse, behind the office
- 512 - System #10, back half of warehouse, behind the office
- 513 - System #11, back half of warehouse, right side of building

Apparatus to respond: Eng. 2, Lad. 19, Dist. 6
Nearest box is 7123

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department

I. PROMOTIONS

1. The following promotions which become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 17, 1969, are hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Henry D. Sacco, Engine Co. 48	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter (Medal) William E. Pero, Ladder Co. 4	to Fire Lieutenant (Medal)
Fire Fighter William E. Foley, Engine Co. 7	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter (Medal) William J. Fleming, Ladder Co. 4	to Fire Lieutenant (Medal)
Fire Fighter James R. Delaney, Engine Co. 5	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter John E. Driscoll, Fire Prevention Div.	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter George F. Bacigalupo, Engine Co. 5	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Edward V. Kelly, Rescue Co.	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Ralph N. Dean, Engine Co. 7	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Peter J. Anastasia, Engine Co. 8	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter John J. McCloud, Jr., Engine Co. 42	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter George H. Rushton, Engine Co. 3	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Leonard C. Johnson, Engine Co. 20	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter John F. McGuire, Ladder Co. 14	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Thomas B. Lennon, Jr., Engine Co. 41	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Daniel T. McInness, Engine Co. 4	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter James M. Ryan, Engine Co. 28	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter John R. Howard, Lighting Plant 1	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Joseph J. Downing, Engine Co. 43	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Thomas R. Shea, Engine Co. 11	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter (Aide to Fire Commissioner) Edward F. McMillan, Headquarters Div.	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter William J. O'Brien, Ladder Co. 26	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter John F. McGrath, Engine Co. 21	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter Gerard P. Lynch, Engine Co. 24	to Fire Lieutenant
Fire Fighter John J. Force, Engine Co. 52	to Fire Lieutenant

2. The foregoing-named members will report to Memorial Hall, December 16, 1969, at 7 P.M. for Swearing-In Ceremonies, in uniform with sack coats.

II. ASSIGNMENTS AS AIDES

1. The following assignments which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 17, 1969, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieutenant Edward F. McMillan, Headquarters Div., to Fire Lieutenant (Aide to Fire Commissioner)
Fire Fighter (Aide to Chief of Department) Richard C. Lawler, Headquarters Div., to Fire Fighter (Aide to Fire Commissioner)
Fire Fighter William F. Kelleher, Engine Co. 55, to Fire Fighter (Aide to Chief of Department)

III. CHANGE IN ASSIGNMENTS OF FIRE FIGHTERS

1. The following changes which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 17, 1969, are hereby announced:

Fire Fighter (Arson Inspector) John P. Fleming, Jr., Fire Prevention Div., to Fire Fighter
Fire Fighter (Aide to Fire Commissioner) John J. Handren, Headquarters Div., to Fire Fighter

IV. TRANSFERS

1. The following transfers which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 17, 1969, are hereby announced:

	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
Fire Lieutenant Henry D. Sacco	Engine Co. 48	Engine Co. 16
Fire Lieutenant William E. Pero	Ladder Co. 4	Engine Co. 22
Fire Lieutenant William E. Foley	Engine Co. 7	Engine Co. 37
Fire Lieutenant William J. Fleming	Ladder Co. 4	Ladder Co. 23
Fire Lieutenant James R. Delaney	Engine Co. 5	Engine Co. 56
Fire Lieutenant John E. Driscoll	Fire Prev. Div.	Engine Co. 21
Fire Lieutenant George F. Bacigalupo	Engine Co. 5	Engine Co. 56
Fire Lieutenant Edward V. Kelly	Rescue Co.	Engine Co. 20
Fire Lieutenant Ralph N. Dean	Engine Co. 7	Engine Co. 33
Fire Lieutenant Peter J. Anastasia	Engine Co. 8	Engine Co. 50
Fire Lieutenant John J. McCloud, Jr.	Engine Co. 42	Ladder Co. 17
Fire Lieutenant George H. Rushton	Engine Co. 3	Engine Co. 12
Fire Lieutenant Leonard C. Johnson	Engine Co. 20	Engine Co. 45
Fire Lieutenant John F. McGuire	Ladder Co. 14	Ladder Co. 22
Fire Lieutenant Thomas B. Lennon, Jr.	Engine Co. 41	Engine Co. 34
Fire Lieutenant Daniel T. McInness	Engine Co. 4	Engine Co. 8
Fire Lieutenant James M. Ryan	Engine Co. 28	Ladder Co. 10
Fire Lieutenant John R. Howard	Light Plant 1	Engine Co. 50
Fire Lieutenant Joseph J. Downing	Engine Co. 43	Engine Co. 2
Fire Lieutenant Thomas R. Shea	Engine Co. 11	Engine Co. 5
Fire Lieutenant William J. O'Brien	Ladder Co. 26	Ladder Co. 10
Fire Lieutenant John F. McGrath	Engine Co. 21	Engine Co. 52 (Temp Assign.)
Fire Lieutenant Gerard F. Lynch	Engine Co. 24	Engine Co. 42 "
Fire Lieutenant John J. Force	Engine Co. 52	Ladder Co. 6 "

V. RESIGNATION

1. The following resignation which will become effective at 6 P.M., Tuesday, December 16, 1969, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Francis C. McGerity, Ladder Co. 27

VI. NEW ASSIGNMENT CARDS

1. New assignment cards for the following boxes are being distributed with this Order and will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 17, 1969:

Boxes 2244, 2247, 2248, 2249, 228, 2283, 2284, 2285

VII. CHANGE IN ASSIGNMENT CARD

1. The following designation will be added to the assignment card for Box 2187:

"(Aux.) Williams School"

VIII. FIRE ALARM BOX INSTALLED

1. The following fire alarm box has been installed and connected into Circuit #20:
15-2332 - Northeastern University, BiPartite Bldg., 40 Forsyth Street
2. Company commanders will add the above box to the respective circuit card.

IX. CHANGES IN DESIGNATION OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

1. The designations of the following fire alarm boxes have been changed to read as follows:
1311 - Haverhill Street opposite Traverse Street
12-3244 - Hayden Inn for Boys, 21 Queens Street
2. Company commanders will make the above changes in designation on the respective assignment cards.

X. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

1. Notice has been received from the Director of Civil Service that an examination will be held for Promotion to the Position of Deputy Fire Chief in the Boston Fire Department on January 17, 1970.
2. SALARY: \$313.29 a week
3. ELIGIBILITY: This examination is open to permanent District Fire Chiefs in the Boston Fire Department who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least one year* prior to the date of examination.

*Including periods, if any, during which the applicant was provisionally promoted therefrom, or temporarily appointed, after certification, to a position in a higher grade (G.L. C.31, S.15F).
4. DUTIES: The regular duties of a Deputy Fire Chief.
5. SUBJECTS AND WEIGHTS: Experience, 1; Practical Questions, 4; Total, 5.
6. APPLICATIONS: Application blanks may be obtained from the Division of Civil Service, Rm. 148, State House, Boston, or from the office of Mr. James H. Kelly, Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton St., Boston.
7. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Rm. 148, State House, Boston. (In the space on the application provided for the "Exact Title of Position for which application is made", the word "Promotion" should be included.) Applications must be filed at the Division of Civil Service, Rm. 148, State House, Boston, no later than Monday, December 29, 1969.
8. Notice of the time and place of examination and any necessary instructions will be sent to those having applications on file within the required time.
9. MILITARY ABSENTEES: Under the provisions of Chapter 708 of the Acts of

1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in a competitive promotional examination because of absence in military or naval service* may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request in writing is made within six months after the termination of such service.

*Military or naval service refers to such service occurring between January 1, 1940 and the termination of the Selective Service Act of 1948; provided, however, that such service shall not be construed to include service for more than four years unless such further period of service in excess of four years was involuntary service required by the government of the United States, or unless such service in excess of four years was rendered prior to July 1, 1964, and such person was reinstated or re-employed on or before June 30, 1966.

10. The accompanying bulletins must be posted in conspicuous places in all fire stations and other Divisions of the Fire Department no later than Saturday, December 13, 1969.

XI. OFFICERS' INSTRUCTIONAL COURSE

1. The Fire Lieutenants promoted effective December 17, 1969 shall report to the Fire Academy at 9 A.M., December 17, for an Officers' Instructional Course.
2. The officers attending this class will not report to their assigned companies until 8 A.M., December 30, 1969.

XII. STREET CLOSED

1. Broadway, from Piedmont Street to Stuart Street, will be permanently closed Sunday, December 14, 1969. Companies shall make necessary adjustments in routes to compensate for this street closing.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff
Chief of Department

I. APPOINTMENTS OF FIRE FIGHTERS ON PROBATION

The following appointments of Fire Fighters on Probation are hereby announced to become effective at 8 a. m., Wednesday, December 24, 1969:

	<u>To</u>
Robert E. Felton	Ladder Co. 29
Matthew Delvental	Ladder Co. 10
Robert Graham	Engine Co. 24
Hector E. Medal	Engine Co. 4
Richard E. Jones	Engine Co. 3
Daniel F. Robishaw	Engine Co. 40
Robert J. Rosemond	Engine Co. 11
William D. Nelson	Engine Co. 21
Charles I. Bennett	Ladder Co. 1
John J. Simpson	Ladder Co. 24
Brian M. McEachern	Engine Co. 11
Edmond J. Daley	Ladder Co. 10
Francis L. Shaughnessey, Jr.	Engine Co. 17
John T. Brignoli	Engine Co. 4
John J. Flaherty	Engine Co. 5
Joseph I. Holland	Engine Co. 18
William E. Mulloy	Engine Co. 8
James H. Pyke	Engine Co. 17
Robert J. Counihan	Engine Co. 51
John F. Canavan	Engine Co. 52
Thomas J. Sullivan	Engine Co. 42
John J. Whooley	Engine Co. 29
Joseph F. Keif	Ladder Co. 11
Arthur J. Mellace	Engine Co. 21
Michael J. Ridini	Engine Co. 51 cancelled G.O. 1 - '70
Thomas C. Gunn	Engine Co. 45
Edward C. O'Brien	Engine Co. 11
Edward C. Dowd	Ladder Co. 29
Paul J. Spacco	Engine Co. 17
John F. O'Keefe, Jr.	Ladder Co. 27
Gerard J. Crowley -	Engine Co. 47
Vincent R. Scalli	Engine Co. 50
Thomas J. Fogel	Engine Co. 48
Patrick F. Keane	Engine Co. 56
Philip J. Jordan	Engine Co. 34
Thomas F. McGovern	Engine Co. 28

	<u>To</u>
Robert A. McGonagle	Engine Co. 4
Robert X. Dunkle	Ladder Co. 27
Roger J. Dunn	Engine Co. 51
Paul Gover	Engine Co. 52
Cornelius J. Walsh	Engine Co. 28
David Wadman	Engine Co. 29
William J. Maturo	Engine Co. 41
Charles J. Kelly	Engine Co. 42
Robert T. Kilduff	Engine Co. 28
John J. Farley	Engine Co. 5
Lawrence C. Holt	Engine Co. 25
James M. Solletti	Engine Co. 5

Richard Connelly	Engine Co. 29
Richard D. MacKinnon	Engine Co. 10
Francis Higgins	Engine Co. 52
Arthur Page	Engine Co. 3
Glenn J. Gilberg	Engine Co. 52
John P. Campbell	Ladder Co. 21
Leo Marino	Ladder Co. 30
Robert E. Habeeb	Engine Co. 28
Allan B. Llewellyn	Ladder Co. 11
Thomas F. Kennedy	Engine Co. 16
Brian J. Purcell	Engine Co. 45
Richard F. Berrio	Engine Co. 51

The above members will not report to their respective companies until 8 a. m., December 30, 1969.

II. TRANSFERS

The following transfers will become effective at 8 a. m., Tuesday, December 30, 1969:

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Deputy Fire Chief Frederick P. Clauss	Division 1	Headquarters
Deputy Fire Chief Leo D. Stapleton	Headquarters	Division 1
Deputy Fire Chief Leslie W. Magoon	Headquarters	Division 1
Dist. Fire Chief Edward D. Campbell	District 7	District 8
Dist. Fire Chief James J. Hartnett	Dists. 9 & 10	Dists. 10 & 11
Dist. Fire Chief James A. Donovan	S. S. U.	Dists. 8 & 9
Dist. Fire Chief John R. Harrison	District 5	S. S. U.
Dist. Fire Chief Michael A. Laurano	Headquarters	Dists. 2 & 3
Dist. Fire Chief William R. Lovett	Headquarters	District 7
Fire Lieut. Edmund J. Hagerty	Engine Co. 33	Fire Prev. Div.
Fire Lieut. William P. Donahue	Engine Co. 8	Engine Co. 31
Fire Lieut. Mark W. Murphy	Ladder Co. 17	Engine Co. 4
Fire Lieut. Raymond P. Morse	Ladder Co. 29	Ladder Co. 6
Fire Lieut. Alexander A. Campbell, Jr.	Engine Co. 28	Ladder Co. 29

	From	To
Fire Lieut. Frank W. Goyette	Engine Co. 50	Fire Prev. Div.
Fire Lieut. Edward W. Owens	Engine Co. 39	Headquarters
Fire Lieut. Francis M. Kennedy	Ladder Co. 18	Headquarters
F.F. Joseph L. Hurrie	Engine Co. 14	Headquarters
F.F. Terence J. McGonagle	Engine Co. 48	Fire Prev. Div.
F.F. William D. Manning	Engine Co. 9	Fire Prev. Div.
F.F. Paul V. Manning	Engine Co. 21	Headquarters
F.F. Joseph W. Murphy	Engine Co. 43	Headquarters
F.F. Robert F. Cullity	Ladder Co. 30	Fire Prev. Div.
F.F. Thomas J. Henry	Ladder Co. 18	Headquarters
F.F. George E. Stanton	Engine Co. 4	Headquarters
F.F. Francis A. Kane	Engine Co. 3	Engine Co. 31
F.F. Charles R. Dowd	Engine Co. 47	Headquarters
F.F. John M. Morrissey	Ladder Co. 3	Headquarters
F.F. George P. Hession	Engine Co. 52	Engine Co. 20
F.F. William F. Schneider	Ladder Co. 27	Engine Co. 20
F.F. Maurice W. Cunniff	Ladder Co. 13	Ladder Co. 8
F.F. William J. Hegarty	Engine Co. 7	Engine Co. 26
F.F. James F. Donovan	Ladder Co. 25	Fire Prev. Div.
F.F. Benjamin S. Roman	Ladder Co. 29	L. P. 1
F.F. John F. Casey	Engine Co. 22	L. P. 1
F.F. John J. Handren	Headquarters	Engine Co. 42
F.F. John P. Fleming	Headquarters	Engine Co. 55
F.F. Gerald M. Walsh	Engine Co. 56	Engine Co. 7
F.F. John J. Cunnally	Ladder Co. 21	Ladder Co. 16
F.F. Thomas F. Goodwin	Engine Co. 3	Engine Co. 32
F.F. Harold G. Magee	Engine Co. 51	Ladder Co. 14
F.F. James E. Downey	Engine Co. 25	Rescue Co.
F.F. William E. Oehlschlagel	Engine Co. 11	Engine Co. 28
FFOP Michael W. Foley	Engine Co. 42	Engine Co. 24
F.F. Stephen H. Olszewski	Engine Co. 28	Ladder Co. 10
F.F. Edwin T. Keenan	Engine Co. 39 ^{L18}	Ladder Co. 18 ^{E39}
F.F. Thomas F. Gorham	Engine Co. 43	Ladder Co. 20
F.F. Harry S. Huether	Engine Co. 45	Engine Co. 48
F.F. John J. Lydon	Ladder Co. 29	Ladder Co. 31
F.F. Edward J. Dempsey	Engine Co. 24	Ladder Co. 4
F.F. James J. Loftus	Ladder Co. 10	Ladder Co. 28
F.F. John J. Sheehan	Ladder Co. 30	Engine Co. 47
F.F. Anthony Cataldo	Engine Co. 52	Engine Co. 47
F.F. Frederick J. Grenier	Ladder Co. 28	Fire Prev. Div.
F.F. Edward J. Sweeney	Engine Co. 17	Engine Co. 16
F.F. Thomas J. Murphy	Engine Co. 33	Ladder Co. 14
F.F. Rodney W. Stratton	Engine Co. 30	Engine Co. 49

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
F. F. John R. Ward	Engine Co. 29	Engine Co. 56
F. F. Walter D. Holden, Jr.	Engine Co. 16	Engine Co. 20
F. F. James R. Munzert	Engine Co. 42	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. Robert B. MacDonald	Ladder Co. 27	Fire Prev. Div.
F. F. John E. Kelley	Engine Co. 52	Engine Co. 20
F. F. Michael J. Giunta	Engine Co. 28	Engine Co. 54
F. F. (Aide to Chief of Department)		
William F. Kelleher	Engine Co. 55	Headquarters
F. F. (Aide to Deputy) Edward H. Maloney	Headquarters	Ladder Co. 8

(For payroll purposes, transfers will be accomplished on December 31, 1969)

III. COMMENDATION

Fire Fighter Daniel F. Kent of Engine Company 32 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 4183, on December 9, 1969, while he was off duty.

BY ORDER OF FIRE COMMISSIONER JAMES H. KELLY

Joseph F. Kilduff

Chief of Department