CHAP. 315. An Act extending the Historic Beacon Hill District in the City of Boston.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 616 of the acts of 1955 is hereby amended by inserting after section 1 the following section: — Section 1A. The Historic Beacon Hill District created by section one is hereby enlarged and extended to include an area contiguous thereto, bounded as follows: — southerly by Byron street; westerly by Brimmer street; southerly again by Beaver place; westerly again by Embankment road; northerly by Pinckney street; and easterly by a line parallel with, and eighty feet distant westerly from, the westerly line of Charles street.

Section 2. Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent or affect the construction, reconstruction, alteration or demolition of any structure within the area defined in section one under a permit issued prior to the effective date of this act by the building commissioner of the city of Boston whether or not an exterior architectural feature is involved.

Approved May 7, 1958.

CHAP. 316. An Act Designating the Treatment Center of the Foxborough State Hospital as the Dr. Roderick B. Dexter Treatment Center.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 1. The treatment center of the Foxborough state hospital shall be designated and known as the Dr. Roderick B. Dexter Treatment Center in lasting recognition of Dr. Dexter’s great service to the public as a humanitarian and public-spirited citizen. The department of mental health is hereby authorized and directed to erect in an appropriate location a suitable plaque bearing said designation.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved May 12, 1958.


Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 1. Section 1 of chapter 416 of the acts of 1954 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 14, the word “fifty-nine” and inserting in place thereof the word: — sixty-four, — so as to read as follows: — Section 1. The commissioner of mental health, in the name and on behalf of the commonwealth, is hereby authorized, subject to the approval of the governor and council, to convey for a nominal consideration to Boston Police Post, No. 1018, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Inc. all the right, title and interest of the commonwealth in and to a triangular parcel of land at the Boston state hospital, bounded as follows: — Southerly by the American Legion Highway; westerly by Morton street; and northerly by Canterbury street. In the event that a structure, such as a club house to be used as a recreational or educa-