

shall hold office for three years unless sooner removed by the judges. They shall be subject to the laws relative to assistant registers.

*Approved May 6, 1947.*

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A FIFTH ASSISTANT REGISTER OF PROBATE FOR THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

*Chap. 348*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Chapter 217 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 24A, as amended by chapter 392 of the acts of 1939, and inserting in place thereof the following section:— *Section 24A.* The judges of probate for the county of Suffolk may appoint a third, a fourth and a fifth assistant register for said county, who shall hold office for three years, unless sooner removed by the judges. They shall be subject to the laws relative to assistant registers.

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 217, § 24A, etc., amended.

Third, fourth and fifth assistant registers for Suffolk county.

*Approved May 6, 1947.*

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN STATE PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF WORCESTER TO THE ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF SPRINGFIELD.

*Chap. 349*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

The armory commission and the commission on administration and finance, acting as a joint board, are hereby authorized, subject to the approval of the governor and council, to sell and convey to the Roman Catholic Bishop of Springfield a parcel of land owned by the commonwealth and located at the junction of Mulberry and East Central streets in the city of Worcester, which land is no longer needed for military purposes.

*Approved May 6, 1947.*

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ASSIGNMENT OF QUARTERS IN THE STATE HOUSE FOR THE USE OF THE AMERICAN VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II, AMVETS.

*Chap. 350*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 17 of chapter 8 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by section 1 of chapter 199 of the acts of 1933, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "States" in line 8 the words:—, of the American Veterans of World War II, AMVETS,— and by striking out, in line 23, the word "war" the first time it appears and inserting in place thereof the word:— wars,— so as to read as follows:— *Section 17.* There shall be set apart and suitably furnished a room or rooms in the state house for the use of the Grand Army of the Republic of the department of Massachusetts, the Massachusetts department of The American Legion, of the United Spanish War Veterans, of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, of the

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 8, § 17, etc., amended.

Rooms in state house for use of war veteran organizations.