

HOUSE No. 358

By Mr. Desrocher of Nantucket, petition of Arthur L. Desrocher for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) of the Division of Fairs in the Department of Agriculture and the distribution of the Agricultural Purposes Fund. Natural Resources and Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Nine.

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION AND STUDY BY A SPECIAL COMMISSION OF THE DIVISION OF FAIRS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES FUND.

1 *Resolved*, That a special commission, to consist of two mem-
2 bers of the senate, three members of the house of representatives,
3 and two persons to be appointed by the governor, is hereby
4 established for the purpose of making an investigation and
5 study of the division of fairs of the department of agriculture
6 and the distribution of the agricultural purposes fund.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

in the Town of Lowell and the County of Middlesex

Be it remembered that an act was passed and approved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in and to the effect following, to-wit:

1. That a special commission be appointed by the Governor and Council to inquire into the condition of the State of Massachusetts, and to report thereon to the next session of the General Court.
2. That the said commission be composed of the following members, to-wit: the Governor, the Lieutenant-Governor, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, the Attorney-General, the Secretary of the Commonwealth, the Auditor-General, the Registrar-General, the Commissioner of the State Police, the Commissioner of the State Prison, the Commissioner of the State Board of Health, the Commissioner of the State Board of Education, the Commissioner of the State Board of Agriculture, and the Commissioner of the State Board of Fisheries.
3. That the said commission be authorized to hold public hearings and to receive evidence from any person who may desire to give evidence in relation to the condition of the State of Massachusetts.
4. That the said commission be authorized to employ such assistants and counsel as it may deem proper, and to receive such compensation and allowances as the Governor and Council may determine.
5. That the said commission be authorized to make such investigations and reports as it may deem proper, and to submit the same to the Governor and Council.
6. That the said commission be authorized to make such recommendations as it may deem proper, and to submit the same to the Governor and Council.