

state secretary a fee of one dollar as required by section thirteen of chapter thirty of the General Laws, are hereby confirmed and made valid.

*Approved February 13, 1952.*

RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF ERNEST BOWLER OF WESTBOROUGH. *Chap. 12*

*Resolved,* That, for the purpose of discharging a moral obligation of the commonwealth, and after an appropriation has been made therefor, there shall be allowed and paid out of the state treasury to Ernest Bowler, an instructor at the Lyman school for boys, the sum of six hundred and sixty-six dollars in full compensation for the loss of personal property owned by him which was destroyed by an inmate of said school who escaped therefrom and entered the home of said Bowler located on state-owned property at said school.

*Approved February 15, 1952.*

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION BY THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL RELATIVE TO PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION CASES. *Chap. 13*

*Resolved,* That the judicial council be requested to investigate the subject matter of current house document numbered five hundred and fifty-eight, relative to providing for the payment of interest in workmen's compensation cases, and to include its conclusions and its recommendations, if any, in relation thereto, together with drafts of such legislation as may be necessary to give effect to the same, in its annual report for the year nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

*Approved February 20, 1952.*

RESOLVE INCREASING THE SCOPE OF THE STUDY OF THE SPECIAL COMMISSION ESTABLISHED TO STUDY AND REVISE THE LAWS RELATING TO PUBLIC WELFARE. *Chap. 14*

*Resolved,* That the special commission established by chapter fifty-seven of the resolves of nineteen hundred and forty-seven, and most recently revived and continued by chapter fifty-seven of the resolves of nineteen hundred and fifty-one, to study and revise the laws relating to public welfare, in making its study, shall consider the subject matter of current house document numbered 949, relative to the commitment and custody of certain neglected children.

*Approved February 20, 1952.*

RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR AN INVESTIGATION BY THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL RELATIVE TO THE ADVISABILITY OF ESTABLISHING A COURT OF CLAIMS WITH JURISDICTION OVER CERTAIN CLAIMS AGAINST THE COMMONWEALTH. *Chap. 15*

*Resolved,* That the judicial council be requested to investigate the subject matter of the investigation and study