

ated by the general court, in the course of his official duties executes, files or publishes any false written report, minutes or statement, knowing the same to be false in a material matter, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Approved May 29, 1964.

Chap. 445. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF FISHERIES AND GAME TO SELL AND CONVEY CERTAIN PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF MARSHFIELD.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

The director of the division of fisheries and game, with the approval of the fish and game board, is hereby authorized to sell and convey, subject to the approval of the governor and council, the land with buildings thereon known as the Marshfield State Game Farm, located in said town, as described in a deed recorded with the Plymouth County Registry of Deeds Book 1417, pages 285 and 286, exempting one thousand three hundred and six square feet conveyed under the provisions of chapter two hundred and ninety-seven of the acts of nineteen hundred and thirty-three to one Lysander B. Sherman. The town of Marshfield shall be given the first option to purchase said property and shall have sixty days to exercise this option after a selling price is established.

Approved May 29, 1964.

Chap. 446. AN ACT INCREASING BENEFITS TO WIDOWS AND CHILDREN OF EMPLOYEES KILLED IN INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 31 of chapter 152 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the second paragraph, as most recently amended by chapter 541 of the acts of 1961, and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph:—

To the widow or widower, so long as she or he remains unmarried, forty dollars a week if and so long as there is no child of the employee, who is under the age of eighteen, or over said age and physically or mentally incapacitated from earning; to or for the use of the widow or widower and for the benefit of all children of the employee, forty-six dollars a week if and so long as there is one such child, and six dollars more a week for each such additional child; provided, that in case any such child is a child by a former wife or husband, the death benefit shall be divided between the surviving wife or husband and all living children of the deceased employee in equal shares, the surviving wife or husband taking the same share as a child. If the widow or widower dies, such amount or amounts as would have been payable to or for her or his own use and for the benefit of all children of the employee shall be paid in equal shares to all the surviving children of the employee. If the widow or widower remarries, all payments under the foregoing provisions shall terminate and the insurer shall pay each week to each of such children of the employee fifteen dollars a week. If there is no surviving wife or