

be properly represented at the opening ceremonies of the world's Columbian exposition, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, in the month of October in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two, through the following officials of the state government: his excellency the governor and ten members of his staff, the lieutenant governor and the executive council, the secretary of the Commonwealth, treasurer and receiver general, the auditor of accounts, the attorney-general, the brigade and battalion commanders of the Massachusetts volunteer militia, the president of the senate, the speaker of the house, the joint committee on federal relations, a special committee of nine members of the senate and twenty-two members of the house, to be appointed by the presiding officers of the two branches, the clerk and the assistant clerk of the senate, the clerk and the assistant clerk of the house, the clerk of the executive council, and the sergeant at arms. Any vacancies occurring in said joint committee on federal relations or joint special committee may be filled by the presiding officer of the branch in the representation of which such vacancies occur.

Approved May 18, 1892.

Chap. 80 RESOLVE PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT OF EXPENSES IN CONNECTION WITH THE DISAPPEARANCE AND FUNERAL OF THE LATE STILLMAN W. EDGELL.

Stillman W.
Edgell.

Resolved, That the sergeant-at-arms be and he is hereby directed to pay the funeral expenses of the late Stillman W. Edgell who for the past twenty-seven years has been in the employ of the Commonwealth, as messenger to the house of representatives, assistant doorkeeper to the senate, and for the past sixteen years its doorkeeper; also all expenses incurred in the search made for his person, since his disappearance on the twenty-fourth day of January in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two, including the reward offered for information concerning him. To carry out the provisions of this resolve there shall be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars.

Approved May 19, 1892.

Chap. 81 RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF HARRY W. WELCH.

Harry W.
Welch.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth to Harry W. Welch of Cambridge, an annuity of two hundred dollars for five

years, to be so allowed from the first day of January in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two; said sum to be full compensation for loss of time and expenses in consequence of disabilities incurred while on duty as a member of company B, first regiment, infantry, Massachusetts volunteer militia, at the annual muster of the regiment in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight; said disability being the result of a cold which settled in his eyes and which became so serious that he was discharged from the militia service for disability, on the twenty-second day of September in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and since that time has been unable to obtain a livelihood, having become totally blind.

Approved May 31, 1892.

RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF WILLIAM H. ROBISON.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth to William H. Robison of Amherst, the sum of five hundred dollars in full compensation for injuries received by said Robison while in the discharge of his duties as an employee of the Commonwealth at the state primary school at Monson, whereby one of his legs became disabled. *Approved June 2, 1892.*

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William H.
Robison.

RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AT WESTFIELD.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth, to be expended under the direction of the board of education, the sum of five hundred and fifty-four dollars and fifty cents, for the purposes of filling and grading the lot upon which the new normal school building in Westfield stands, and for laying walks thereon, said sum being the aggregate sums received and paid into the treasury of the Commonwealth by the board of education, as proceeds from the sale of a small portion of land and a dwelling house sold under the authority of chapter one hundred and four of the resolves of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and for rent of said dwelling house. *Approved June 2, 1892.*

Chap. 83

Normal school
at Westfield.

RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF THE OFFICERS, SAILORS AND MARINES WHO SERVED IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY DURING THE WAR OF THE REBELLION, AND WERE RESIDENTS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH AT THE TIME OF THEIR ENLISTMENT.

Resolved, That the persons included in the list of officers, sailors and marines, prepared by the adjutant general

Chap. 84

Officers, sailors
and marines.