Approval of title, etc.

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. The title to said real estate shall be taken in the name of the Commonwealth, and shall, before its acquisition, be approved by the Department of Justice. Section 3. The provisions of this act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED-The 19th day of August, A. D. 1953.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 299

AN ACT

Providing additional compensation for coroners in fifth class counties under certain circumstances.

Coroners—Fifth class counties.

Additional compensation.

Applicability of act. The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. In counties of the fifth class, the coroner shall receive the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25) for each inquest held by him after he has held one hundred inquests during each year. Such moneys shall be paid by the county and shall be in addition to the salary payable under existing law.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall be applicable to all coroners who begin a term of office on or after January first, one thousand nine hundred fifty-four.

APPROVED—The 19th day of August, A. D. 1953.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 300

AN ACT

To amend section 263 of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," by authorizing electors in certain cases to present petitions to the court for the submission to the electors of a question of merger of school districts.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 263 of the act, approved the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending,

"Public School Code of 1949."

Section 263, act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, amended.