Whereas, the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County felt that it could not order or allow counsel fees to exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), because the traversers were tried together in a joint indictment and, whereas, such an allowance was totally inadequate, and whereas the Court suggested a fee of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) each to George E. Rullman and Louis M. Strauss as just compensation to them for said services; now therefore be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Board of Public Works be and it is hereby requested in its discretion to pay to George E. Rullman and Louis M. Strauss the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) made up at the following:

The said sum to be paid out of the contingent fund appropriated to said Board of Public Works for the State Budget in the year Nineteen Hundred and Forty-nine (1949) to Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-one (1951).

Approved April 22, 1949.

## NO. 9

## (Senate Joint Resolution 8)

Joint Resolution requesting the Governor to continue the Special Commission to study the Workmen's Compensation Laws.

Whereas, the General Assembly, by Joint Resolution No. 10 at its 1947 regular session, requested the Governor to appoint a Special Commission to study and revise the Workmen's Compensation Laws and to submit its report, together with its revision of said law, to the Governor and the Legislative Council on or before October 1, 1948, and to the General Assembly when it convened in January, 1949; and

Whereas, a Special Commission was appointed pursuant to said Resolution and is now engaged in studying the Workmen's Compensation Laws; and

WHEREAS, because of the magnitude of the task with which the Special Commission is confronted, it has been unable to