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The Only Lover.

He is only the lover who seeks what is profitable to the beloved; so that if any pursue not this, even what is right and good, though he made ten thousand professions of love he is more hostile than any enemy.—St. Chrysostom.

Certain of its Reward.

There never was a great institution or a great man that did not sooner or later receive the reverence of mankind.—Theodore Parker.

Constitutional Amendments

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to section one, article eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:

That section one of article eight, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject, however, to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact:

"First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

"Second. He shall have resided in the State one year (or, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

"Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he offers to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

"Fourth. If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election; or he shall have paid the same shall read as follows:

Section 1. Every citizen, male or female, of twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject, however, to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact:

First. He or she shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He or she shall have resided in the State one year (or, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he or she shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He or she shall have resided in the election district where he or she shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he or she shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election.

Fifth. Whether the words "he," "his," "him," and "himself" occur in any section of article VIII of this Constitution the same shall be construed as if written, respectively, "he or she," "his or her," "him or her," and "himself or herself."

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.
ROBERT MCAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to section eight of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

Amend section eight, article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation, except that any debt or debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the construction of wharves and docks, or the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owned or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenues in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted; Provided, That a sinking-fund for their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so that it shall read as follows:

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the consent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, exceeded seven per centum of such assessed valuation, and has not since been reduced to less

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than such per centum, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation. The city of Philadelphia, upon the conditions hereinafter set forth, may increase its indebtedness to the extent of three per centum in excess of seven per centum upon such assessed valuation for the specific purpose of providing for all or any of the following purposes,—to fund the construction and improvement of subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways, and other transit facilities; for the construction and improvement of wharves and docks and for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of wharves and docks, owned or to be owned by said city. Such increase, however, shall only be made with the assent of the electors thereof at a public election, to be held in such manner as shall be provided by law. In ascertaining the borrowing capacity of said city of Philadelphia, at any time, there shall be excluded from the calculation of credit, where the work resulting from any previous expenditure, for any one or more of the specific purposes hereinafter enumerated shall be yielding to said city an annual current net revenue; the amount of which credit shall be ascertained by capitalizing the annual net revenue during the year immediately preceding the time of such ascertainment. Such capitalization shall be accomplished by ascertaining the principal amount which would yield such annual, current net revenue, at the average rate of interest, and sinking-fund charges payable upon the indebtedness incurred by said city for such purposes, up to the time of such ascertainment. The method of determining such amount, so to be excluded or allowed as a credit, may be prescribed by the General Assembly.

In incurring indebtedness, for any one, or more of said purposes of construction, improvement or reclamation, the city of Philadelphia may issue its obligations maturing not later than fifty years from the date thereof, with provision for a sinking-fund sufficient to retire said obligations at maturity, the payments to such sinking-fund to be in equal or graded annual installments. Such obligations may be in an amount sufficient to provide for the amount of the interest and sinking-fund charges accruing and which may accrue thereon throughout the period of construction and until the completion of one year after the completion of the work for which said indebtedness shall have been incurred; and said city shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges, as required by section ten of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until the expiration of said period of one year after the completion of such work.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.
ROBERT MCAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to section twenty-one of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:

Amend section twenty-one, article three of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"No act of the General Assembly shall limit the amount to be recovered for injuries resulting in death, or for injuries to persons or property, and in case of death from such injuries, the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for whose benefit such actions shall be prosecuted. No act shall prescribe any limitations of time within which suits may be brought against corporations for injuries to persons or property, or for other causes different from those fixed by general laws regulating actions against natural persons, and such acts now existing are avoided; so that it shall read as follows:

The General Assembly may enact laws requiring the payment by employers, or employers and employees jointly, of reasonable compensation for injuries to persons or property, and in case of death from such injuries, the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for whose benefit such actions shall be prosecuted. No act shall prescribe any limitations of time within which suits may be brought against corporations for injuries to persons or property, or for other causes, different from those fixed by general laws regulating actions against natural persons, and such acts now existing are avoided.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 3.
ROBERT MCAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Four.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania abolishing the office of Secretary of Internal Affairs.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That article four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania shall be amended by adding thereto section twenty-three, which shall read as follows:

The office of Secretary of Internal Affairs be, and the same is hereby, abolished; and the powers and duties now vested in, or appertaining or belonging to, that branch of the executive department, office, or officer, shall be transferred to such other departments, offices, or officers of the State, now or hereafter created, as may be directed by law.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 4.
ROBERT MCAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Five.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth in accordance with provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof:

AMENDMENT.
Laws may be passed providing for a system of registering, transferring, insuring and guaranteeing land titles by the State, or by the counties thereof, and for settling and determining adverse or other claims to and interests in lands the titles to which are so registered, transferred, insured, and guaranteed; and for

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the creation and collection of indemnity funds; and for carrying the system and powers hereby provided for into effect by such existing courts as may be designated by the Legislature, and by the establishment of such new courts as may be deemed necessary. In matters arising in and under the operation of such system, judicial powers, with right of appeal, may be conferred by the Legislature upon county recorders and upon other officers by it designated; and any laws may be provided for continuing the registering, transferring, insuring, and guaranteeing such titles after the first or original registration has been effected by the court, and provision may be made for raising the necessary funds for expenses and salaries of officers, which shall be paid out of the treasury of the State.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 5.
ROBERT MCAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Six.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

Amendment to Article Nine, Section Eight.
Section 2. Amend section eight, article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation, except that any debt or debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the construction of wharves and docks, or the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owned or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenue in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted; Provided, That a sinking-fund for their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so as to read as follows:

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DEALER IN HIGH GRADE

ANTHRACITE, BITUMINOUS AND CANNEL

COAL

Wood, Grain, Hay, Straw and Sand.

ALSO FEDERAL

STOCK AND POULTRY FOOD

BOTH PHONES.

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LIME AND LIMESTONE.

LIME.

Lime and Limestone for all purposes.

H-O Lime Put up in 40 to 50 Pound Paper Bags.

for use with drills or spreader, is the economical form most careful farmers are using.

High Calcium Central Pennsylvania Lime

American Lime & Stone Company.,
58-28-6m General Office: TYRONE, PA.
Operations at Bellefonte, Tyrone, Union Furnace, Frankstown and Spring Meadows, Pa

Groceries.

Fruits, Confectionery and FINE GROCERIES.

The Finest Meadow Gold Brand Creamery Butter at 40c per pound.
Large Spanish and home-grown Onions, sound and in good order.
If you want a fine, sweet, juicy Ham, let us supply you.
Oranges are a standard fruit for all seasons. The goods we are now receiving are the California Valencia variety, of excellent quality at 25c, 30c and 40c per dozen. Extra fancy large fruit at 50c and 60c per dozen.

Bananas are also an all-year-round fruit. We give careful attention to having nice, clean yellow fruit. When you want some nice, clean fruit send us your order and you will be pleased.
Our Olives are large and of the very finest flavor at 40c per quart.
Barnett's and Knight's Extracts, Crosse & Blackwell's Table Vinegar in bottles. Durkee's Salad Dressing.

Buy some of our fine cheese and compare it with other goods.
We have a fine grade of Olive Oil in tins of half pint, one pint and one quart size. But none of the oils in tin will compare in quality or body with our high grade Rae's Whicela Oil which comes only in glass of three sizes, at 30c, 50c and 90c per bottle.

STILL IN THE PRESERVING SEASON.
We sell pure Spices by weight only—we keep no package Spices. We have a full strength pure Cider Vinegar and a White Vinegar of high grade, each one at 25c per gallon. You can depend on these goods being just what you want.
New Evaporated Peaches, Apples and prunes are just now arriving. We are up-to-date on all these items. Let us have your orders.

SECHLER & COMPANY,
Bush House Block, 57-1 Bellefonte, Pa.

Farm Implements.

Farmers' Supply Store,
BELLEFONTE, PA.

The Cow and Hen are Money Earners.

The American Cow and Hen are money earners and the question is all in the balanced rations, that are required to bring out their productiveness.
FEED THE COW ENSILAGE
and use the Blizzard Ensilage Cutter for Silo filling. All Experimental Stations use the Blizzard. Easy to operate and has a self feeder, making it absolutely safe for the operator. We have one here on our floor. Come in and look it over—price is right.
THE NEW IDEA MANURE SPREADER
is second to none and will do the work to your satisfaction. Wiard Walking and Sulkey Plows, Spring and Spike tooth Harrows, Single and Double Disc Harrows, Steel Land Rollers, Grain Drills, Galvanized Water Troughs, Cast Iron Hog Troughs—rat proof, any length, Galvanized Chain Pumps—good for all time, force and lift easy. Running Pumps carried in stock—put in the well and guaranteed. Cutting Boxes and Corn Crackers, Corn Shellers—both hand and power, Poultry Netting, Poultry Grit, Oyster Shells, Beef Scrap, Alfalfa Meal and Charcoal—everything to make the hen profitable.

BROOKVILLE WAGONS A SPECIALTY.
Ladders—both single and extension, up to 40 feet, for apple picking. All kind of field SEED at the right price and will stand up to the State's Test. Don't worry about Fertilizers, we carry 5 to 6 grades in stock to suit all customers and at prices as low as any tramp agent offers you as he says at cost. Look out for the runners who are selling