

and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:

That article nine be amended by adding thereto the following section:

Section 19. In addition to the purposes stated in article nine, section four, of this Constitution, the State may be authorized to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars (\$50,000,000), for the acquisition of lands and buildings and the construction and improvement of state-owned buildings and the equipment thereof, for the care and maintenance of penal offenders, delinquents, mental defectives, epileptics, and persons mentally diseased.

JOHN G. HOMSHER,
President pro tempore of the Senate.

THOMAS BLUETT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

No. 5-A

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by adding thereto a section.

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 Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:

That article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

Section 1. That the State may be authorized by law to create debt and to issue bonds not exceeding in the aggregate one hundred millions of dollars, for the construction of office buildings in and a Memorial Bridge in and adjacent to the Capital Park; for the acquisition of lands and the construction thereon of State buildings and State institutions; and for the enlargement of existing State buildings and State institutions.

JOHN G. HOMSHER,
President pro tempore of the Senate.

THOMAS BLUETT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.