

## RESOLUTIONS

PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION  
OF THE COMMONWEALTH

(These Resolutions were passed at the Legislative Sessions of 1923 and 1925 and the questions on their adoption will be printed on the official ballot for the November election in 1928, in the numerical order here given.)

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 No. 1

## A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section twelve 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 Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section twelve of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

“Section 12. All stationery, printing, paper, and fuel used in the legislative and other departments of Government shall be furnished, and the printing, binding, and distributing of the laws, journals, department reports, and all other printing and binding, and the repairing and furnishing the halls and rooms used for the meetings of the General Assembly and its committees, shall be performed under contract to be given to the lowest responsible bidder below such maximum price and under such regulations as shall be prescribed by law; no member or officer of any department of the Government shall be in any way interested in such contracts, and all such contracts shall be subject to the approval of the Governor, Auditor General, and State Treasurer,” be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 12. The printing and binding for the State Government shall be done under contract or by the State Government. The furnishings and fuel for the Capitol buildings, and paper and stationery for the State Government, shall be made or produced by the State Government or produced under contract. Contracts for work or material designated in this section shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, subject to the approval of the Auditor General and of the State Treasurer. No member of the General

Assembly, or officer of any department of the State Government, shall be in any way interested in such contracts.

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

THOMAS BLUETT,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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No. 2

A JOINT RESOLUTION

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

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 18. Provided, That the General Assembly, irrespective of any debt, may authorize the State to issue bonds, to the amount of eight million dollars (\$8,000,000), for the erection and equipment at the Pennsylvania State College of buildings necessary for the uses and purposes of the institution as defined in its charter.

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

THOMAS BLUETT,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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No. 3

A JOINT RESOLUTION

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

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 be amended by adding thereto the following section:

Section 16. In addition to the purposes stated in