

CHAPTER 186.

[Published March 16, 1869.]

A BILL [AN ACT] to submit to the people amendments to sections five and nine of article five of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin.

PREAMBLE :

Preamble and resolutions.

WHEREAS, The legislatute of 1868, by a joint resolution of the senate and assembly, proposed and adopted amendments to the constitution of this state in the following words:

“Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That section five of article five of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin is amended to read as follows: Section 5. The governor shall receive during his continuance in office an annual compensation of five thousand dollars, which shall be in full for all traveling or other expenses incident to his duties; and,

“Be it further resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That section nine of article five of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin is amended to read as follows: Section 9. The lieutenant governor shall receive during his continuance in office an annual compensation of one thousand dollars, approved February 28, 1868;” and,

WHEREAS, The foregoing proposed amendments to the constitution of the state were duly ratified and agreed to by the legislature of 1869, and approved February 20, 1869; therefore,

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows :

When amendments shall be submitted.

SECTION 1. The foregoing proposed amendments to the constitution of this state shall be submitted to the people at a general election to be held on Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, 1869; and if the people shall approve and ratify said amendments by a majority of the electors voting thereon, said amendments shall become a part of the constitution of this state.

SECTION 2. The form of the ballot to be used in voting to approve and ratify said amendments shall be, "for amendments to the constitution," and against the same, "for amendments to the constitution, no," which shall be on the general ballot used at said election and deposited in the same box, and all persons qualified to vote at any election in this state shall be deemed voters on this question. Form of ballot.

SECTION 3. The votes cast approving and ratifying or disapproving said amendments shall be counted and returned by the inspectors of the election in all respects as votes for state officers are counted and returned, and the officers now designated by law to canvass the returns of votes for state officers shall canvass the returns on this question, at the same time and place and under the same regulations and restrictions now provided by law for canvassing and declaring the returns of elections for state officers. How votes canvassed and returned.

SECTION 4. Within three days after the determination of said canvass, it shall be the duty of the canvassers to certify the result of the said canvass to the governor, who shall thereupon, without delay, make proclamation of the result. Canvassers shall certify.

SECTION 5. The secretary of state is hereby required to include the substance of this act in the notice of the general election for the year 1869. Secretary of state to give notice.

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 11, 1869.

CHAPTER 187.

[Published March 23, 1869.]

AN ACT to provide for the distribution of school moneys in certain cases.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Where the county board of supervisors of any county have at their annual meeting in 1868, State superintendent shall apportion school moneys.