

WHEREAS, Article V of the constitution of the United States reads as follows: "The Congress, whenever two-thirds of both Houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose Amendments to this Constitution, or, on the application of the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States, shall call a Convention for proposing Amendments, which, in either Case, shall be valid to all Intents and Purposes, as part of this Constitution, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States, or by Conventions in three-fourths thereof, as the one or the other Mode of Ratification may be proposed by the Congress; Provided that no Amendment which may be made prior to the Year One thousand eight hundred and eight shall in any Manner affect the first and fourth Clauses in the Ninth Section of the first Article; and that no State, without its Consent, shall be deprived of its equal suffrage in the Senate." And

WHEREAS, This Article makes it mandatory upon the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to the constitution whenever two-thirds of the states shall have made application therefor; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the legislature of the State of Wisconsin respectfully requests that the Congress of the United States perform the mandatory duty imposed upon it by the above quoted Article V and forthwith call a convention to propose amendments to the constitution of the United States. Be it further

Resolved, That properly attested copies of this resolution be transmitted to the presiding officers of both houses of the Congress of the United States and to each Wisconsin member thereof.

[Jt. Res. No. 66, S.]

[Deposited June 4, 1929.]

No. 53, 1929.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to the authorization of the regents of the university of Wisconsin to accept grants of money from the federal government under the so-called Capper-Ketcham Act.

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States has passed an act approved by the President, May 22, 1928, entitled, "An Act to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several states receiving the benefits of the Act entitled 'An Act donating public lands of the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts' approved July 2, 1862, and all Acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture," and,

WHEREAS, It is provided in section 1 of the act aforesaid, that the grants of money authorized by this act shall be paid annually "to each State which shall by action of its legislature assent to the provisions of this Act;" therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the assent of the Legislature of the State of Wisconsin be and is hereby given to the provisions and requirements of said act, and that the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to receive the grants of money appropriated under said act, and to organize and conduct agricultural extension work which shall be carried on in connection with the college of agriculture of said university, in accordance with the terms and conditions expressed in the act of congress aforesaid.

[Jt. Res. No. 65, S.]

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No. 54, 1929.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Memorializing the congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to the United States constitution.

WHEREAS, Article V of the United States constitution provides for the calling of a convention to propose amendments to such constitution; and

WHEREAS, Other states have in the past asked that such a convention be called; and

WHEREAS, There are sections of the United States constitution that should be amended; therefore be it