computed at the same rate as for a regular session. No stationery, newspapers, postage or other perquisite except the salary and mileage above provided shall be received from the state by any member of the legislature for his services, or in any other manner, as such member.

## No. 12, A.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 1 of article 3 of the constitution of Wisconsin relating to suffrage.

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That section 1 of article 3 of the constitution of Wisconsin, be amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 1. Every person of the age of twenty-one years or upwards, belonging to either of the following classes who shall have resided in this state for one year, and in the town, ward, or election precinct for ten days next preceding any election, shall be deemed a qualified elector at such election.

1. Citizens of the United States.

2. Persons of foreign birth who shall have declared their intentions to become citizens conformably to the laws of the United States on the subject of naturalization, and the wives or widows of such persons.

3. Persons of Indian blood who have once been declared by law of congress to be citizens of the United States, any subse-

quent law of congress to the contrary notwithstanding.

4. Civilized persons of Indian descent not members of any tribe: provided, that the legislature may at any time extend by law the right of suffrage to persons not herein enumerated, but no such law shall be in force until the same shall have been submitted to a vote of the people at a general election and approved by a majority of all the votes cast at such election.

5. The legislature may prescribe appropriate rules and regulations for determining the qualifications of electors under this

article and to prevent abuse of the elective franchise.

## CERTIFICATE.

## STATE OF WISCONSIN, DEPARTMENT OF STATE. Ss.

I, HANS B. WARNER, Secretary of State, of the state of Wisconsin, do hereby certify, that the foregoing printed copies of laws and joint resolutions have been compared by me with the original enrolled acts and joint resolutions deposited in this office, and that they appear correctly printed.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the lesser seal of the state, at the capitol, in the city of

[L. S.] Madison, this fourth day of May, A. D. 1880.

HANS B. WARNER, Secretary of State.