

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 170

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE proposing an amendment of the Constitution providing for the election of the Secretary of State, Treasurer and Attorney General by the qualified electors.

Resolved, That the following amendments to the constitution of this State, be proposed for the action of the legal voters of this State in the manner provided by the constitution, namely:

Section 1. Section one, Article V, part third of the constitution of this State, as amended by Article XXIII, is hereby amended, so that the same shall read as follows:

'Section 1. The Secretary of State shall be elected by the qualified electors, and shall hold his office two years from the first Wednesday of January next succeeding his election.'

Sect. 2. Section one, Article V, part fourth of the constitution of this State, as amended by Articles XXIII and XXVII, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

‘Section I. The Treasurer shall be elected by the qualified electors, and shall hold his office two years from the first Wednesday of January next succeeding his election, but shall not be eligible more than six years successively.’

Sect. 3. Section II of Article IX of the constitution of this State as amended by Article XXIII, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

‘Sect. II. The Attorney General shall be elected by the qualified electors and shall hold his office two years from the first Wednesday of January next succeeding his election. Vacancy in said office may be filled by the appointment of the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council.’

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, Feb. 11, 1909.

Reported by Mr. DAVIES and Mr. MONTGOMERY,
minority report of Committee on Judiciary, and ordered printed
under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*