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Senate Joint Resolution No. 4.

By: Chamberlin, Commons, Garvin,
Willis, Curnutt, Whitaker,
Stewart, Wright, Pugh,
Dwight, Burns, Housley, Briggs,
Fischl, Hance, Carlile, Johnston,
Rorschach, Logan, Nichols,
Paul and Tommons.

A Joint Resolution Directing The Secretary Of
State To Refer To The People For Their Approval
Or Rejection A Proposed Amendment To Section
32, Article 6, Of The Constitution Of The State
Of Oklahoma.

Be It Resolved By The Senate And The House Of Representatives
Of The Fifteenth Legislature Of The State Of Oklahoma:

Section 1. The secretary of state shall refer to the people for their approval or
rejection, as and in the manner provided by law, the following proposed amendment to
Section 32, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

Section 32. The office of the Commissioners of the Land Office is hereby created
to be composed of three members, who shall be selected in the manner prescribed by law.
Until said law is enacted and commissioners selected, said Commissioners shall be ap-
pointed by the Governor. The Commissioners of the Land Office shall have charge of the
sale, rental, disposal and managing of the school lands and other public lands of
the state, and of the funds and proceeds derived therefrom, under rules and regula-
tions prescribed by the Legislature.

Section 2. The ballot title for said proposed amendment shall be in
the following form:

"Ballot Title"

Legislative Referendum No.

State Question No.

The gist of the proposition is as follows:

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Chairman
Committee
By
Engineering
And
Enrolling

To Amend Section 32, Article 6, Of The Constitution Of
 Oklahoma So As To Abolish The Board Known As
 "Commissioners Of The Land Office" And To Create In Lieu
 Thereof The Office Of "The Commissioner Of The Land Office"
 Same To Be Selected In The Manner Provided By Law,
 The Governor To Fill Said Office By Appointment Until
 Said Law Is Enacted And Commissioner Selected,
 Said Commissioner To Have Charge Of The Sale,
 Rental, Disposal And Managing Of The School And
 Other Public Lands Of The State And Of The Funds
 And Proceeds Derived Therefrom, Under Rules And
 Regulations Prescribed By Such Legislature.

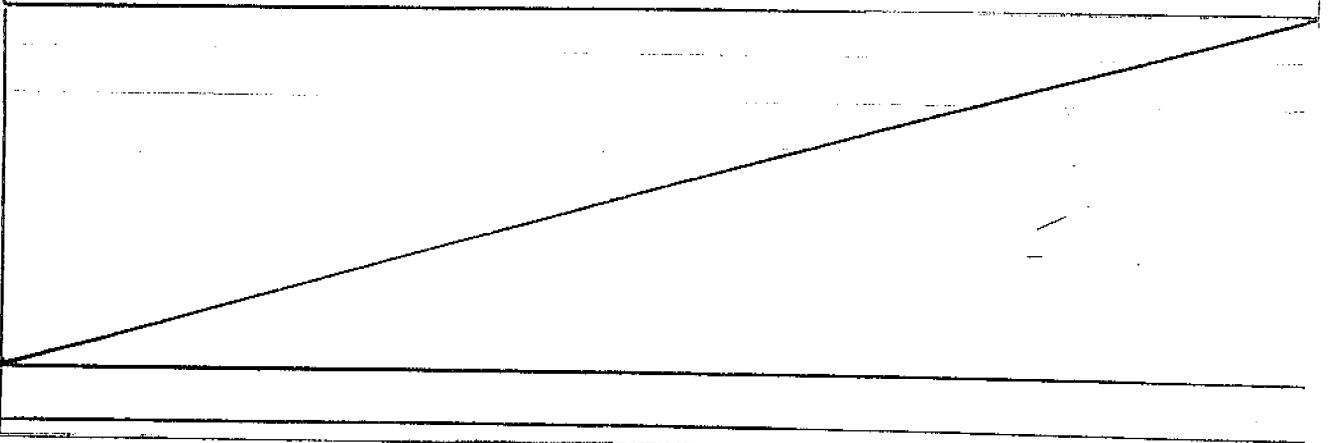
Shall The Proposed Amendment Be Adopted?

Yes

No.

The President of the Senate shall, immediately after the effective date of this resolution, prepare and file one copy thereof, including said Ballot title, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

Section 3. A special election is hereby ordered to be held throughout the State on the 24th day of September, 1935, at which the proposed amendment of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma set forth in Section 1 of this Resolution, shall be submitted to the people of Oklahoma for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law.



Passed
 Approved
 Committee on Education and Pensions

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Council

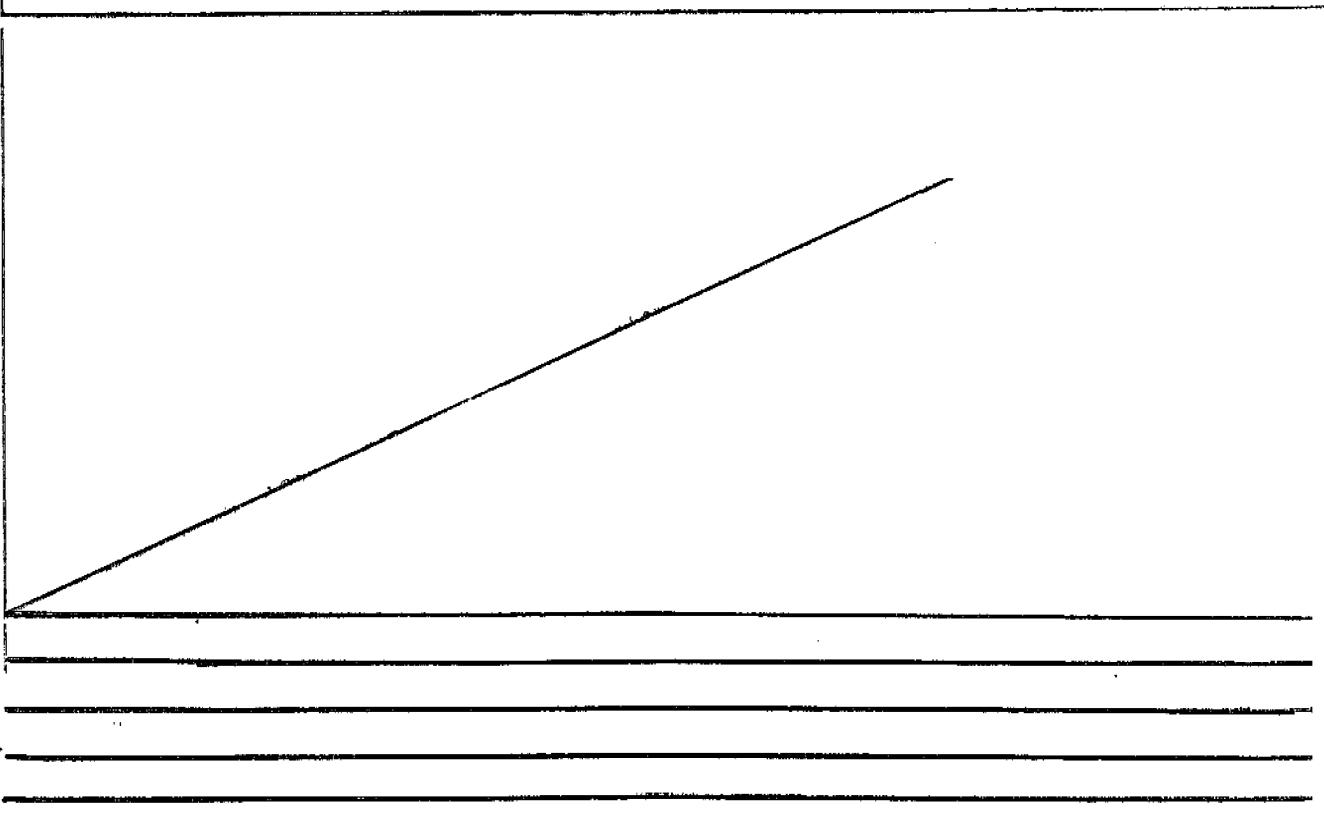
~~William C. Lawrence~~

Chairman

Committee

on Engineering

and Building



Passed the Senate the 30th day of April, 1935

Passed the House of Representatives the 30th day of April, 1935

Acting President J C Nance of the Senate

Speaker Leon Phillips of the House of Representatives

Approved the _____ day of _____, 1935, by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma

WASHINGTON, D.C.
BILL NO. 4
Received in the office of Secretary of State
at 5:00 o'clock P M. 515 1935
F. C. Carter
Secretary of State
OK



SENATE CHAMBER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

CLAUDE BRIGGS
PRESIDENT PRO-TEMPORE
WILBURTON

June 4, 1935

Hon. Frank C. Carter,
Secretary of State,
B u i l d i n g.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to directions contained in Senate Joint Resolution
No. 4:

"A JOINT RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SECRETARY OF
STATE TO REFER TO THE PEOPLE FOR THEIR APPROVAL
OR REJECTION A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO SECTION
32, ARTICLE 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE
OF OKLAHOMA"

as passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives, at the Regular
Session of the Fifteenth Legislature, I herewith submit and file with
you, as Secretary of State of the State of Oklahoma, one copy of Senate
Joint Resolution No. 4, including the ballot title contained in said
Resolution.

Yours very truly,


President Pro Tempore, State Senate,
Fifteenth Legislature.

CB:H

E N R O L L E D

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4.

BY: CHAMBERLIN, COMMONS,
GARVIN, WILLIS, CURNUTT,
WHITAKER, STEWART, WRIGHT,
PUGH, IVESTER, BURNS,
HOUSLEY, BRIGGS, FISCHL,
NANCE, CARLILE, JOHNSTON,
RARSCHACH, LOGAN, NICHOLS,
PAUL AND TIMMONS.

A JOINT RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE SECRETARY
OF STATE TO REFER TO THE PEOPLE FOR THEIR
APPROVAL OR REJECTION A PROPOSED AMENDMENT
TO SECTION 32, ARTICLE 6, OF THE CONSTITUTION
OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
OF THE FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people
for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by
law, the following proposed amendment to Section 32, Article 6, of
the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

"SECTION 32. The office of the Commissioners of the Land
Office is hereby created to be composed of three members, who shall
be selected in the manner prescribed by law. Until said law is
enacted and commissioners selected, said Commissioners shall be
appointed by the Governor. The Commissioners of the Land Office
shall have charge of the sale, rental, disposal and managing of
the school lands and other public lands of the State, and of the
funds and proceeds derived therefrom, under rules and regulations
prescribed by the Legislature."

SECTION 2. The ballot title for said proposed amendment shall
be in the following form:

"BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No.

State Question No.

The gist of the proposition is as follows:

TO AMEND SECTION 32. ARTICLE 6, OF THE
CONSTITUTION OF OKLAHOMA SO AS TO ABOLISH
THE BOARD KNOWN AS "COMMISSIONERS OF THE
LAND OFFICE" AND TO CREATE IN LIEU THERE-
OF THE OFFICE OF "THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE
LAND OFFICE." SAME TO BE SELECTED IN THE
MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW, THE GOVERNOR TO FILL
SAID OFFICE BY APPOINTMENT UNTIL SAID LAW IS
ENACTED AND COMMISSIONER SELECTED, SAID
COMMISSIONERS TO HAVE CHARGE OF THE SALE,
RENTAL, DISPOSAL AND MANAGING OF THE SCHOOL
AND OTHER PUBLIC LANDS OF THE STATE AND OF
THE FUNDS AND PROCEEDS DERIVED THEREFROM,
UNDER RULES AND REGULATIONS PRESCRIBED BY
SUCH LEGISLATURE.

SHALL THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

() Yes

() No."

The President of the Senate shall, immediately after the effective date of this resolution, prepare and file one copy thereof, including said Ballot Title, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the Attorney General.

SECTION 3. A special election is hereby ordered to be held throughout the State on the 24th day of September, 1935, at which the proposed amendment of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma set forth in Section 1 of this Resolution, shall be submitted to the people of Oklahoma for their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law.

PASSED the Senate the 30th day of April, 1935.

PASSED the House of Representatives the 30th day of April, 1935.

J C NANCE

ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.

LEON C. PHILLIPS

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED the _____ day of _____, 1935, by the Governor of the State of Oklahoma

CORRECTLY ENROLLED

WILLARD SOWARDS

CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE ON ENGRASSING AND ENROLLING

MAC Q. WILLIAMSON
ATTORNEY GENERAL



STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
OKLAHOMA CITY

June 5, 1935

Honorable Frank C. Carter,
Secretary of State,
B u i l d i n g

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that, pursuant to the direction and duty lodged in and imposed upon the Attorney General by Section 5875, Oklahoma Statutes 1931, he has examined the proposed ballot title for Legislative Referendum No. 70, Question No. 212, as set forth in Section 2 of Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 of the Fifteenth Legislature of Oklahoma, which resolution including said ballot title was delivered to him on June 4, 1935, by the Honorable Claud Briggs, President Pro Tempore of the Senate of said Legislature, pursuant to the provisions of said Section 2, and finds that said ballot title is in legal form and in harmony with the law, same being as follows:

"BALLOT TITLE

Legislative Referendum No. 70 State Question No. 212

The gist of the proposition is as follows:

To amend Section 32, Article 6, of the Constitution of Oklahoma so as to abolish the board known as "Commissioners of the Land Office" and to create in lieu thereof the office of "The Commissioners of the Land Office." Same to be selected in the manner provided by law, the Governor to fill said office by appointment until said law is enacted and commissioners selected, said commissioners to have charge of the sale, rental, disposal and managing of the school and other public lands of the state and of the funds and proceeds derived therefrom, under rules and regulations prescribed by such Legislature.

No. 2. Honorable Frank C. Carter, 6-5-35

SHALL THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

(x) YES

() NO"

Very truly yours,

FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL,


Fred Hansen,
Assistant Attorney General.

FH:HT

Mac Q. Williamson
Attorney General

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
OKLAHOMA CITY

June 5, 1935

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"BALLOT TITLE

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SHALL THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

() YES

() NO"

Very truly yours,

FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL,

FRED HANSEN
Fred Hansen,
Assistant Attorney General.

FH:HT



DEPARTMENT OF STATE
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OKLAHOMA CITY

June 8, 1935.

In the Matter of
State Question No. 212
Legislative Referendum No. 70

To Honorable J. Wm. Cordell,
Secretary, State Election Board.

I, F. C. Carter, Secretary of State of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1935, there was filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Oklahoma, Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, providing for the submission of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, Amending Section 32, Article 6, of the Oklahoma Constitution.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that under date of June 6th, the Attorney General of the State of Oklahoma, filed in my office the attached Ballot Title, as approved by him, of the said Legislative Referendum No. 70, State Question No. 212. This Ballot Title is made a part of this certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be attached this 8th day of June, A. D. 1935.

F. C. Carter
SECRETARY OF STATE

BY *Katherine Manton*
ASST. SECRETARY OF STATE

RECEIVED THIS
8th DAY OF JUNE, 1935

STATE ELECTION BOARD

BY *[Signature]*
[Signature]



DEPARTMENT OF STATE
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OKLAHOMA CITY

June 8, 1935.

His Excellency, E. W. Marland
State House
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Your Excellency:

I, F. C. Carter, Secretary of State of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1935, there was filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Oklahoma, Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, providing for the submission of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, amending Section 32, Article 6, of the Oklahoma Constitution.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that under date of June 6th, the Attorney General of the State of Oklahoma, filed in my office the attached Ballot Title, as approved by him, of the said Legislative Referendum No. 70, State Question No. 212. This Ballot Title is made a part of this certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be attached, this 8th day of June, A. D. 1935.

SECRETARY OF STATE

BY
ASST. SECRETARY OF STATE

Received this 8th
day of June 1935.

By Harve D. Milton

FRANK C. CARTER
SECRETARY
KATHERINE MANTON
ASSISTANT

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OKLAHOMA CITY

September 11, 1935.

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed are five ballot titles which are to be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at an election called for September 24, 1935.

They are as follows:

State Question No. 201, Initiative Petition No. 138
State Question No. 208, Referendum Petition No. 66
State Question No. 209, Referendum Petition No. 67
State Question No. 211, Referendum Petition No. 69
State Question No. 212, Referendum Petition No. 70

The ballot titles, followed by an explanation of how to vote thereon, must be published in two newspapers in each county, at least five days before the election on September 24, 1935. Said ballot titles are to be published one time only at the legal rate provided in Section 1065, Compiled Oklahoma Statutes, 1931. (The legal rate not to exceed \$1.00 per square, ten (10) lines of NONPARIEL TYPE). In making your publication, do not leave spaces between the lines.

In Senate Bill No. 246, of the Fifteenth Legislature, an appropriation was made for the payment of these publications, and they are sent to you with the understanding that the charges will not be in excess of \$1.00 per square, NONPARIEL TYPE, WHICH WOULD AMOUNT TO \$3.00 for each proposition, or a total of \$15.00 for five propositions. Please fill out the enclosed claim blank for no more than \$15.00, and attach thereto proof of publication properly executed so that the claim may be paid.

Attached to this letter are copies of the ballot titles as they should appear in your newspaper.

Yours very truly,



SECRETARY OF STATE

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"BALLOT TITLE

STATE QUESTION NO. 201

INITIATIVE PETITION NO. 138

The gist of the proposition is:

A proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, providing that all homesteads within said state may be exempted from ad valorem taxation by the legislature, excepting all assessments, levies, encumbrances and contract obligations made previous to such act of the Legislature and providing that such act of the Legislature shall remain in force for a period of not less than twenty years in which time the amount of homestead exemption may be increased but not diminished.

SHALL THE AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

YES

NO"

(Explanation of Ballot: The voter who desires to vote for the adoption of the proposed measure should place an "X" in the space provided before the word "Yes". Those who desire to vote against the measure should place an "X" in the space before the word "No").

"BALLOT TITLE

STATE QUESTION NO. 208

LEGISLATIVE REFERENDUM NO. 66

The gist of the proposition is:

SHALL Article 10, of Oklahoma Constitution be amended by adding section designated 6-A, providing for exemption from ad valorem taxation of homesteads in amount to be fixed by Legislature, not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars; provided, amendment shall not apply to indebtedness or other valid outstanding obligations heretofore incurred, or to special benefit assessments already or hereafter levied; provided, nothing contained in amendment shall exempt any homestead or valuation thereof from levy of ad valorem taxes now authorized for support and maintenance of common schools, including special ten mill levy now provided by constitution and law.

SHALL THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED:

YES

NO"

(Explanation of Ballot: The voter who desires to vote for the adoption of the proposed measure should place an "X" in the space provided before the word "Yes". Those who desire to vote against the measure should place an "X" in the space before the word "No").

"BALLOT TITLE

STATE QUESTION NO. 209

LEGISLATIVE REFERENDUM NO. 67

The gist of the proposition is:

To amend Oklahoma Constitution to authorize Legislature to provide pensions, payable solely from cash raised from special excise or license taxes, for indigent, aged Oklahoma citizens who when pension application is filed will have continuously resided in Oklahoma fifteen years and for future such citizens who when pension application is filed shall have so resided twenty years; pensions not to exceed fifteen dollars monthly to any person or twenty dollars to family; any pension granted by Federal Government considered part of said amounts; defining aged dependent citizens and prescribing certain requirements and restrictions as to payment of pensions.

SHALL THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED:

YES

NO"

(Explanation of Ballot: The voter who desires to vote for the adoption of the proposed measure should place an "X" in the space provided before the word "Yes". Those who desire to vote against the measure should place an "X" in the space before the word "No").

"BALLOT TITLE

STATE QUESTION NO. 211

LEGISLATIVE REFERENDUM NO. 69

The gist of the proposition is:

To amend Section 3, Article 6, of the Constitution of Oklahoma, so that women, as well as men, shall be eligible to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Auditor, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and State Examiner and Inspector.

SHALL THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT BE ADOPTED?

YES

NO"

(Explanation of Ballot: The voter who desires to vote for the adoption of the proposed measure should place an "X" in the space provided before the word "Yes". Those who desire to vote against the measure should place an "X" in the space before the word "No").

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STATE QUESTION NO. 212

LEGISLATIVE REFERENDUM NO. 70

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YES

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