

No. C-4

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, by adding thereto section sixteen.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That article nine be amended by adding thereto the following section:

Section 16. In addition to the purposes stated in article nine, section four, of this Constitution, the General Assembly may provide, by law, for the issue of bonds, to the amount of ten millions of dollars, for the purpose of acquiring toll bridges, and may, by law, provide that, upon the acquisition of any such bridge, tolls may be charged for the use thereof, sufficient to pay the interest and sinking fund charges on such bonds and the cost of the maintenance of such bridges, until the bonds issued have been retired and such bridges are freed of tolls.

C. J. GOODNOUGH

Speaker of the House of Representatives

AUGUSTUS F. DAIX, JR.

President pro tempore of the Senate

No. C-5

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article fifteen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, by adding thereto section five.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to article fifteen of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That article fifteen be amended by adding thereto section five, as follows:

Section 5. The General Assembly may authorize cities to take more land and property than is needed for actual construction in the laying out, widening, extending or relocating highways or streets connecting with bridges crossing streams or tunnels under streams which form boundaries between this and any other state. but the additional land and property, so author-

ized to be taken, shall not be more than sufficient to form suitable building sites on such highways or streets. Nor shall the authority hereby conferred be exercised in connection with the laying out, widening, extending or relocating of any highway or street at a point more than three miles distant from the approach to any such bridge or tunnel. After so much of the land and property has been appropriated for such highways or streets as is needed therefor, the remainder may be sold or leased and any restrictions imposed thereupon which will preserve or enhance the benefit to the public of the property actually needed for the aforesaid public use.

C. J. GOODNOUGH

Speaker of the House of Representatives

E. C. SHANNON

President of the Senate

No. C-6

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section seven, article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section seven of article nine is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 7. The General Assembly shall not authorize any county, city, borough, township or incorporated district to become a stockholder in any company, association or corporation, or to obtain or appropriate money for, or to loan its credit to, any corporation, association, institution or individual: Provided, That the General Assembly may authorize any county, city, borough, township or incorporated district to appropriate money for assistance to mothers having dependent children and to aged persons without adequate means of support by reason of indigency, disease, infirmity or other disability.

E. C. SHANNON

President of the Senate

C. J. GOODNOUGH

Speaker of the House of Representatives