

179 "Sec. 4. Any law adopted by the general assembly authorizing
 180 the issuance of bonds under this Article XIII shall provide that the
 181 principal of all county primary road bonds and bonds issued to re-
 182 fund county primary road bonds, outstanding when said law becomes
 183 effective, shall be paid, as such bonds mature or become subject to
 184 call, from the proceeds of the state bonds. Upon the issuance of the
 185 first state bonds under such law the authority of the counties to issue
 186 county primary road bonds shall cease."
 187 be and the same is hereby agreed to, enacted, and adopted by the
 188 forty-fourth (44th) general assembly.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1.

CHAPTER 334

SPECIAL ELECTION

A JOINT RESOLUTION calling a special election for the submission to the people of the question of the adoption of a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa.

WHEREAS, by House Joint Resolution number six (6) of the resolutions of the 43rd general assembly, which resolution was approved April 11, 1929, an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa was proposed; and

WHEREAS, said resolution proposed to amend the constitution of the state of Iowa by adding thereto an "Article XIII" relating to the improvement of highways and the issuance of bonds therefor; and

WHEREAS, the said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the house of representatives of the 43rd general assembly and entered upon its official journal at pages eleven hundred four to eleven hundred eight (1104 to 1108) both inclusive, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the senate of said 43rd general assembly, and entered upon its official journal at pages thirteen hundred twenty-five to thirteen hundred twenty-nine (1325 to 1329) both inclusive, with the yeas and nays taken thereon; and

WHEREAS, the said resolution and proposed amendment had been published as provided by law and has been referred to this the 44th general assembly for action thereon, and

WHEREAS, by senate joint resolution number one (1) of the resolutions of the 44th general assembly the said proposed amendment to the constitution of Iowa proposed in and by house joint resolution number six (6) of the resolutions of the 43rd general assembly as aforesaid has been agreed to, enacted and adopted by a majority of all the members elected to each house of the 44th general assembly; and

WHEREAS, it is important that the question of the adoption of the said proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa be submitted to the people at the earliest practical date, now therefore,

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the question of the adoption of the proposed
- 2 amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the
- 3 improvement of highways and making provision for the payment

4 of the cost thereof as proposed by house joint resolution number six
5 (6) of the 43rd general assembly in senate joint resolution number
6 one (1), be and the same is hereby ordered submitted to the entire
7 people at a special election to be held on June 16, 1931, in the manner
8 provided by law.

1 SEC. 2. The governor shall at least thirty days before said election
2 issue his proclamation in relation to said election and shall transmit
3 a copy of said proclamation to the sheriff of each county. The secre-
4 tary of state shall not less than twenty days preceding said election
5 transmit to the auditor of each county a certified copy of said pro-
6 posed amendment to the constitution and a sample of the ballot to be
7 used at said election. The sheriff of each county shall give at least
8 ten days notice of said election by causing a copy of such proclama-
9 tion to be published in a newspaper of general circulation printed
10 in the county.

1 SEC. 3. That the governor, the secretary of state and all other
2 state, county and local officials are authorized, empowered and di-
3 rected to call and conduct said special election in the manner and form
4 as provided by the law relating to special elections. Said special
5 election to be held on the date herein provided.

1 SEC. 4. This joint resolution being deemed of immediate impor-
2 tance shall be in full force and effect from and after its publication
3 in two newspapers of the state as provided by law.

House Joint Resolution No. 4.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was published in the Newton Daily News February 21, 1931, and the Des Moines Daily Record February 21, 1931.
G. C. GREENWALT, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 335

SPECIAL CORPORATION COMMITTEE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION providing for the appointment of a special corporation committee for the purpose of proposing legislation to make the corporation laws of Iowa comprehensive, adequate, modern and harmonious with present business conditions and requirements, and to report to the next regular session of the general assembly of the state of Iowa, and providing an appropriation therefor.

WHEREAS, there has been no general revision of the corporation laws of this state since their adoption in 1851, and said laws have been amended in a piecemeal way from time to time and fail to meet the needs of modern business and operate against the citizens of our own state, and the present laws are in some particulars inadequate and contain inaccuracies and inconsistent provisions and do not constitute a complete, comprehensive and harmonious body of corporation laws, with the result that many corporations that naturally should be formed in Iowa are organized in other states, depriving our state of such business extension and of revenue that should inure to it, and

WHEREAS, the national conference of commissioners on uniform laws, appointed by the American bar association, as the result of years of labor, has drafted and recommended the adoption of a proposed uniform business