

RESOLUTIONS

Adopted by the General Assembly of the

STATE OF MISSOURI,

On the subject of amending the

CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, That it is expedient to amend the Constitution of the United States, so as to provide a uniform mode of electing the President and Vice President throughout the several States; and to give to the people of the United States the privilege of voting directly for the President and Vice President, without the intervention of electors, reserving to the States respectively, their due weight in relation to the said election, as is now guaranteed to them by the constitution of the United States; and that the election of President and Vice President should, in no case whatever, be submitted to the decision of the House of Representatives of the United States.

And be it further resolved, That a copy of the above resolution be forwarded to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, and they are hereby requested to make use of their best endeavors to procure an amendment to the constitution of the United States, which will embrace principles contained in the foregoing resolutions. And that the Executive of this State be requested to forward a copy of the foregoing resolutions to the Executive of each State, with a request that they lay them before their respective Legislatures.

JOHN THORNTON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DAN'L. DUNKLIN,

President of the Senate.

Approved January 23^d, 1829.**JOHN MILLER,**

Officer of Secretary of State,

City of Jefferson, February 3, 1829.

I Priestly H. McBride, Secretary of State of the State of Missouri, do certify that the foregoing resolution is truly transcribed from the original roll now on file in my office.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and affix the seal of my office, the day and date
L. s.] above.

P. H. McBRIDE.