

Headnotes	Present Constitution	Constitution of 1867	Constitution of 1864
Prohibition of monopolies	Art. 41. That monopolies are odious, contrary to the spirit of a free government and the principles of commerce, and ought not to be suffered.	Art. 41. That monopolies are odious, contrary to the spirit of a free government and the principles of commerce, and ought not to be suffered.	Art. 41. That monopolies are odious, contrary to the spirit of a free government and the principles of commerce, and ought not to be suffered.
Prohibition of titles and hereditary honors.	Art. 42. That no title of nobility or hereditary honors ought not to be granted in this State.	Art. 42. That no title of nobility or hereditary honors ought to be granted in this State.	Art. 42. That no title of nobility or hereditary honors ought to be granted in this State.
Encouragement of education, science, the arts, commerce and manufacturing. Assessment of farm land.	Art. 43. That the Legislature ought to encourage the diffusion of knowledge and virtue, the extension of a judicious system of general education, the promotion of literature, the arts, sciences, agriculture, commerce and manufactures, and the general melioration of the condition of the People. The Legislature may provide that land actively devoted to farm or agricultural use shall be assessed on the basis of such use and shall not be assessed as if subdivided.	Art. 43. That the Legislature ought to encourage the diffusion of knowledge and virtue, the extension of a judicious system of general education, the promotion of literature, the arts, sciences, agriculture, commerce and manufactures, and the general melioration of the condition of the People.	Art. 43. That the Legislature ought to encourage the diffusion of knowledge and virtue, the extension of a judicious system of general education, the promotion of literature, the arts, sciences, agriculture, commerce and manufactures, and the general melioration of the condition of the people.
Applicability of Constitution during both war and peace.	Art. 44. That the provisions of the Constitution of the United States, and of this State, apply, as well in time of war, as in time of peace; and any departure therefrom, or violation thereof, under the plea of necessity, or any other plea, is subversive of good Government, and tends to anarchy and despotism.	Art. 44. That the provisions of the Constitution of the United States, and of this State, apply, as well in time of war, as in time of peace; and any departure therefrom, or violation thereof, under the plea of necessity, or any other plea, is subversive of good Government, and tends to anarchy and despotism.	
Enumeration of Rights not to be construed as denial of other rights.	Art. 45. This enumeration of Rights shall not be construed to impair or deny others retained by the People.	Art. 45. This enumeration of Rights shall not be construed to impair or deny others retained by the People.	Art. 44. This enumeration of rights shall not be construed to impair or deny others retained by the people.
Subsisting law.			

Constitution of 1851	Constitution of 1776	Amendments to 1776 Constitution
Art. 39. That monopolies are odious, contrary to the spirit of a free government and the principles of commerce, and ought not to be suffered.	39. That monopolies are odious, contrary to the spirit of a free government, and the principles of commerce and ought not to be suffered.	
Art. 40. That no title of nobility or hereditary honors ought to be granted in this State.	40. That no title of nobility or hereditary honours ought to be granted in this State.	
Art. 41. That the Legislature ought to encourage the diffusion of knowledge and virtue, the promotion of literature, the arts, sciences, agriculture, commerce and manufactures, and the general melioration of the condition of the people.		
Art. 42. This enumeration of rights shall not be construed to impair or deny others retained by the people.		41. That the subsisting resolves of this and the several Conventions held for this colony ought to be in