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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENSENATE BILL No. 15.

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A BILL ENTITLED

AN ACT to propose an amendment to Section 1 of Article 6, title "Treasury Department," of the Constitution of Maryland, prescribing the salary of the Comptroller and the terms of office of the Comptroller and the Treasurer; and providing for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of the State for adoption or rejection.

By the SENATE, January 17, 1922.

Introduced, Read First Time and Referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Order,

E. R. CROTHERS, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Favorable with amendments.

WALTER J. MITCHELL, Chairman.

By the SENATE, February 23, 1922,

Reported favorably by Committee on Constitutional Amendments, with Amendments, and laid over under the Rule.

By order,

E. R. CROTHERS, Secretary.

By the SENATE, February 24, 1922.

Reported favorably by the Committee on Constitutional Amendments with proposed amendments; amendments adopted, read second time and ordered printed for third reading.

By order,

E. R. CROTHERS, Secretary.

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- 1 Section 1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Mary-
- 2 land, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses
- 3 concurring, that the following be and the same hereby is
- 4 proposed as an amendment to Section 1 of Article 6 title
- 5 "Treasury Department", of the Constitution of Maryland, the
- 6 same if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as
- 7 herein provided, to become Section 1 of Article 6 of the Con-
- 8 stitution.
- 1 Section 1. There shall be a Treasury Department, con-
- 2 sisting of a Comptroller chosen by the qualified electors of the
- 3 State, at each general election at which the Governor is
- 4 chosen, who shall receive such salary as may be fixed by
- 5 law; and a Treasurer, to be appointed by the two
- 6 Houses of the Legislature, at each regular session thereof,
- 7 in which begins the term of the Governor, on joint ballot, who
- 8 shall receive an annual salary of two thousand five hundred dol-
- 9 lars; and the terms of office of the said Comptroller and Treas-
- 10 urer shall be for four years, and until their successors shall

qualify; and neither of the said officers shall be allowed, or receive any fees, commissions or perquisites of any kind in 13 addition to his salary for the performance of any duty or services whatsoever. In case of a vacancy in either of the 14 offices by death or otherwise, the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall fill such vacancy by 16 appointment, to continue until another election or a choice by the Legislature, as the case may be, and until the qualification of the successor. The Comptroller and the Treasurer shall 19 keep their offices at the seat of government, and shall take 20 such oath, and enter into such bonds for the faithful dis-21 charge of their duties as are now, or may hereafter be prescribed by law.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the said aforegoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, shall at the next ensuing general election for members of Congress, to be held in this State on the Tuesday next after the first Monday of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection in conformity with the directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State, and at the said election the vote on the said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as now pro-13 vided by law, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, and further proceedings had in accordance with Article 14 of the Constitution.

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President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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