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Am
No 446

Providing that the father shall support and educate his illegitimate Children

Committee on Miscellaneous provisions

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Recd in Com. & Dean
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Amendment No —

Article —

Miscellaneous provisions.

Section —

The legislature shall by law, secure the custody to the mother of every illegitimate unmarried minor, and the father shall support and educate such such child, and compensate the mother for her care and custody until such child can support itself.

Bernstein

Am to ~~447~~
447.

To add three
Sections to article
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Creating a "Court
of Claims"

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Municipal Indebted
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Sec 1 The State shall be uniformly and equitably just in all its dealings, and transactions with all persons, and no debt liability or obligation incurred by the State, or under authority of its laws, or whereof it may have received the benefits, ~~shall~~ shall be repudiated

Sec 2 There shall be established by appropriate legislation, a "Court of Claims", to consist of not less than three members, which shall be intrusted with a general supervision over the financial operations and transactions of the State, and its officers exercising functions relating to the collection and disbursement of its revenues. To this Court shall be submitted with the proper vouchers all claims and demands against the State or its Treasury, legal or equitable, not specially exempted by law from the operation of this section and article of the Constitution, for approval before payment

Sec 3 All claims or demands against the State or its Treasury arising from whatever ~~source~~ cause legal or equitable capable of pecuniary estimation, may be prosecuted by action in the "Court of Claims" by the creditor or claimant, and defended by the Controller and Attorney General, and the Legislature shall provide by appropriation for the payment out of the State Treasury of all judgements finally entered up in said Court. The Supreme Court of the State shall have and exercise appellate jurisdiction over all actions instituted in the "Court of Claims" on questions of law alone

Am to 448

State Institutions
and
Public Buildings.

J Richard Friend

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& Public Buildings
Thornton
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Thornton
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Friend

Sec -

Contracts

All public works of every description, State, County or Municipal, and any modification, repair, excavation or addition of any nature whatsoever to the same, when the cost of such work, modification, repair excavation or addition shall exceed the sum of Five hundred dollars, shall be let by public contract to the lowest bidder in such manner and under such regulations as the contract law of the State shall prescribe.

J Richard Freund

Am to 449

Constitution
And Powers
Of the
State Board
Of Education
Subs To Amend
Article —
Sections —

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Constitution And Powers of the State Board of Education.

The State Board of Education shall be composed of two members from each Congressional District, to serve for the same number of years as the Governor of the State, and to be elected at the same time the Governor is elected, but to be elected from the congressional districts in the same manner that representives to Congress are now elected. The State Supt of Public Instruction shall be ex-officio a member of said Board.

Said Board shall have power:—

1. To adopt and prescribe a course of study for the Public Schools of the State, (except in incorporated cities)

2. To prescribe general rules for the government of the Public Schools of the State.

3. To adopt and prescribe text-books to be used in the Public Schools of the State, (except in incorporated

cities.)

4. To provide for the Examination of Candidates for teacher's certificates, and to grant certificates to such candidates.

5. To direct and control the State Normal School.

(6. To appoint, and for good cause, to remove County or District Superintendents or Inspectors of Public Schools.)

(7. To direct and control the State University.)

Other Provisions.

1. The State Sup't ought to be elected at the same time, and for the same time (term) that the governor is elected.

2. All the moneys mentioned in § 2 of Art. IX of present Constitution should go into a Common School Fund, and a Clause inserted to prohibit the legislature from appropriating any moneys raised by taxation to the support of any sectarian or denominational institution.

3. The word three in § 3 of Art. IX should be changed to six.

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Constitution And Powers
of the State Board of Education

D. T. Wickes

Am No 450

To encourage Mining

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Thornton
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no further action be
taken
Thornton
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To the Committee on Mining

To encourage mining in the State of California

Sec 1. Any miner or prospector who shall discover a paying ~~or~~ lode or ledge of Gold ~~or~~ or Silver bearing quartz in the State of California shall be entitled to a reward of $1000. United States Gold Coin provided however that said Miner or prospector shall have sunk a shaft or winz along the vein or lode to the depth of one hundred feet downwards from the Croppings

Dowling

The legislature shall provide for the enforcement of the foregoing provision by appropriate legislation

Am to 451.

Corporations

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Hale

Concerning the duties of Railroad Commissioners

Amendment.

To be referred to Corporations other than Municipal

Section

No railroad company or corporation shall establish or construct any line of railroad in this State for the transportation of passengers ~~and~~ or freights — except street railroads in incorporated cities and villages — nor establish any terminal point thereof, nor establish, nor maintain any depot, station or other business place for receiving or discharging passengers or freights except with the approval, to be duly certified, of said railroad Commissioners or a majority of them; and said Commissioners shall have power and it shall be their duty, in said matters, to exercise general supervisory control over all railroads to be operated as public highways in this State, other than said street railroads, and the Legislature shall enact laws to render such control effective.

Am No 453

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Prop No

Relative to
Local Governments

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Amendment Proposition No

Legislative Department -

Sec - The Legislature shall provide by general laws for the establishment of Local governments in the municipalities and political subdivisions of the State giving to the officers charged with the exercise of governmental functions such powers rights and privileges Executive Legislative and judicial as shall be deemed expedient for the orderly conduct thereof and for the safety and happiness of their inhabitants

D W Herrington