

Resolve accompanying the petition of Caroline J. Cook and others for an amendment of the Constitution making women eligible to appointment as notaries public. Constitutional Amendments. January 17.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twelve.

RESOLVE

To provide for an Amendment of the Constitution making Women eligible as Notaries Public.

1 *Resolved*, That it is expedient to alter the constitution  
2 of the commonwealth by the adoption of the subjoined  
3 article of amendment; and that the said article, being  
4 agreed to by a majority of the senators and two-thirds  
5 of the members of the house of representatives pres-  
6 ent and voting thereon, be entered on the journals of  
7 both houses, with the yeas and nays taken thereon,  
8 and be referred to the general court next to be  
9 chosen; and that the said article be published, to the  
10 end that if agreed to in the manner provided by the  
11 constitution, by the general court next to be chosen, it  
12 may be submitted to the people for their approval and  
13 ratification, in order that it may become a part of the  
14 constitution of the commonwealth.

ARTICLE OF AMENDMENT.

15 Article IV of the articles of amendment of the con-  
16 stitution of the commonwealth is hereby amended by  
17 adding thereto the following words:— “Women shall  
18 be eligible as notaries public”.

