

HOUSE No. 171

Resolve accompanying the petition of William E. McClintock and others, Board of Control of the city of Chelsea, for legislation to provide for the return to said city of a portion of the money paid as state taxes for the year 1908. Joint Ways and Means. January 14.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nine.

RESOLVE

To authorize the Return to the City of Chelsea of a Part of the Money paid as a State Tax for the Year Nineteen Hundred and Eight.

1 *Resolved*, That there be allowed and paid out of the
2 treasury of the commonwealth to the city of Chelsea
3 the sum of nine thousand one hundred and eighty-five
4 dollars, the same being the difference between what
5 would have been the levy of state tax for the year nine-
6 teen hundred and eight had it been based upon the
7 number of polls and the valuation of the year of assess-
8 ment instead of the valuation of a triennial period of
9 apportionment established by chapter two hundred and
10 thirty-nine of the acts of nineteen hundred and seven.

Constitution of Massachusetts

As amended to the 1st of January, 1890.

ARTICLE I.

Section 1. The legislative power shall be vested in the Senate and House of Representatives, which shall be styled the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Section 2. The Senate shall be composed of six members, who shall be elected by the several counties, and shall hold office for two years, and until their successors be chosen. The House of Representatives shall be composed of members chosen by the several counties, and shall hold office for one year, and until their successors be chosen. The number of members of the House of Representatives shall not exceed one for every five thousand inhabitants, and shall not be less than thirty. The Senate and House of Representatives shall be styled the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.