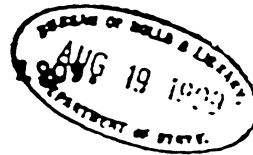


State of Minnesota
Executive Department
St. Paul.

August 16,



Hon. R. C. Knox,
Department of State,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of certified copy of resolution of congress entitled "Joint Resolution proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States". I shall cause the same to be submitted to the legislature of Minnesota upon its convening in January, 1911.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Yours with much respect,

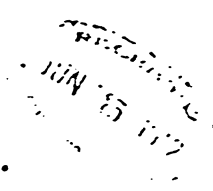
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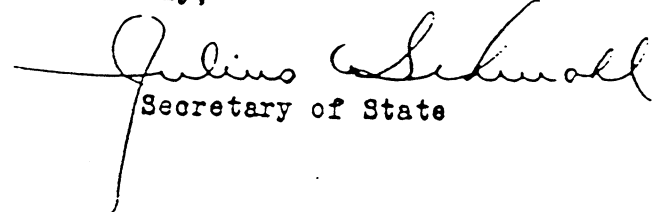
Hon. Philander C. Knox,
Secretary of State,
Washington, D.C.

My Dear Sir:

I beg to advise you that the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, by a Joint Resolution, adopted by the House of Representatives, in extra session, on June 6th, 1912, by the Senate, in extra session, on June 11th, 1912, approved by the Governor on June 12th, 1912, and filed in this department on June 13th, 1912, has duly ratified that proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, to be known as Article XVI thereof.

Will you kindly advise me whether a sufficient number of states have ratified this proposed amendment to make it a part of the Constitution?

Yours truly,


Secretary of State

