

Record of votes cast in the Special Election for Ward Four

August 10, 1948.

			1	2	3	4	5	6				Total
Number of Ballots Cast			523	446	362	423	590	445				2789
Ward Alderman-Ward Four												
Earl W. Landry	190 School street	had	330	83	200	337	134	94				1178
Leonard E. Radochia	99 Jaques street	had	187	362	162	86	453	351				1601
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A True Copy Attest:

) Election Commissioners
) of Somerville
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William S. Johnston

Total

2789

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Record of Votes Cast in the several Voting Precincts of the City of Somerville

				Ward One					Ward Two					Ward Three					Ward Four
				1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	
Total Number of Votes Cast				1288	1194	1080	1323	1337	1231	1186	892	1328	1266	1085	1341	1252	1380	1299	
ELECTORS																			
Dewey and Warren	Republican	had		258	281	240	359	348	114	162	195	164	291	113	355	516	468	315	
Teichert and Emery	Socialist Labor	had		3	2	2	3	25	2	0	4	3	0	0	4	1	102	2	
Truman and Barkley	Democratic	had		981	867	787	921	931	989	977	676	1101	927	920	913	695	757	951	
Wallace and Taylor	Progressive	had		13	16	23	12	11	85	16	3	34	23	27	44	16	25	9	
Watson and Learn	Prohibition	had		0	2	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	
Blank				33	26	28	24	21	41	31	14	26	25	25	24	24	26	19	
GOVERNOR																			
Robert F. Bradford	of Cambridge Rep.	had		207	249	201	320	403	91	107	134	141	238	89	353	445	411	276	
Paul A. Dever	of Cambridge Dem.	had		1029	895	836	969	908	1069	1050	732	1136	988	962	947	773	934	988	
Horace I. Hillis	of Saugus Soc. Lab.	had		4	5	6	4	2	10	1	1	4	4	2	4	3	3	2	
Mark R. Shaw	of Melrose Pro.	had		2	5	2	0	0	1	2	0	2	3	4	2	2	1	0	
Blank				46	40	35	30	24	60	26	25	45	33	28	35	29	31	33	
LIEUT. GOVERNOR																			
Arthur W. Coolidge	of Reading Rep.	had		220	274	229	351	338	98	124	166	160	277	96	319	473	447	281	
Charles F. Jeff Sullivan	of Worcester Dem.	had		980	842	789	896	940	1011	1002	669	1079	906	929	924	724	871	937	
Lawrence Gilfedder	of Boston Soc. Lab.	had		13	8	10	9	6	17	1	4	11	9	5	13	8	6	5	
Guy S. Williams	of Worcester Pro.	had		1	5	1	4	1	3	2	1	2	5	1	2	1	4	6	
Blank				74	65	51	63	52	102	57	52	76	69	54	83	46	52	70	
SECRETARY OF STATE																			
Frederic W. Cook	of Somerville Rep.	had		395	460	386	562	536	222	300	313	366	475	198	562	660	672	532	
Edward J. Cronin	of Chelsea Dem.	had		818	654	624	694	745	887	829	530	871	713	823	696	535	653	700	
Gote E. Palmquist	of Boston Soc. Lab.	had		6	9	8	11	3	13	4	2	7	8	7	11	8	7	3	
Blank				69	71	62	56	53	109	53	47	84	70	57	72	49	48	54	
TREASURER																			
Laurence Curtis	of Boston Rep.	had		240	287	261	354	346	106	142	187	173	289	114	324	478	471	301	
John E. Hurley	of Boston Dem.	had		962	820	769	876	923	995	981	639	1060	896	899	913	712	842	919	
Harold J. Ireland	of Worcester Pro.	had		4	3	2	10	6	5	2	2	5	0	3	6	1	6	4	
Malcolm T. Rowe	of Lynn Soc. Lab.	had		6	9	12	9	8	16	2	2	8	5	4	8	10	5	2	
Blank				76	75	36	74	54	109	59	62	82	76	65	90	51	56	73	
AUDITOR																			
Thomas J. Buckley	of Boston Dem.	had		998	863	793	938	976	996	1008	677	1085	900	942	966	773	894	965	
Russell A. Wood	of Cambridge Rep.	had		192	236	201	297	276	91	104	150	144	264	81	252	412	401	239	
Robert A. Simmons	of Boston Pro.	had		6	6	4	6	7	3	1	1	1	2	2	3	5	2	6	
Francis A. Votano	of Lynn Soc. Lab.	had		7	9	15	9	16	21	4	1	10	15	4	18	6	10	10	
Blank				85	80	67	73	62	120	69	63	88	85	56	102	56	73	79	

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		Three					Ward Four					Ward Five					Ward Six					Ward Seven					
		4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Total	
252	1380	1299	1190	1590	1067	1482	1553	1459	980	1107	1202	1226	1257	1178	1272	1305	1375	1107	1268	1217	1444	1391	1439	1326	1367	48284	
516	468	315	443	568	264	574	629	473	241	338	296	436	419	200	417	567	642	571	589	671	672	490	717	509	561	15466	
1	102	2	0	5	3	1	5	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	2	9	203	
995	757	951	713	968	763	875	871	947	716	729	856	734	809	937	822	685	691	491	645	509	748	843	672	782	760	30959	
6	25	9	9	31	19	11	12	14	10	19	26	22	9	18	16	21	23	20	9	17	7	22	18	16	18	744	
0	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	1	2	0	2	5	0	0	31	
24	26	19	25	18	18	21	34	23	11	20	22	32	17	18	16	26	19	24	23	18	17	31	25	17	19	881	
45	411	276	413	535	206	513	506	417	179	322	227	367	364	182	357	524	557	541	500	602	572	441	652	423	477	13542	
73	934	988	751	1019	819	941	1007	1003	784	751	941	816	871	950	868	750	789	536	748	586	844	915	762	869	861	33397	
3	3	2	3	4	5	3	8	1	2	5	3	9	4	8	7	4	4	7	1	4	3	3	5	6	6	160	
2	1	0	1	0	0	4	5	1	1	0	2	1	1	3	1	2	4	0	4	3	1	7	4	1		73	
9	31	33	22	32	37	21	27	37	14	29	29	33	17	37	37	26	23	19	19	21	22	31	13	24	22	1112	
73	447	281	387	527	226	534	554	470	187	289	260	414	419	202	404	568	617	578	543	640	622	470	711	473	541	14489	
24	871	937	759	992	742	894	940	907	755	766	869	754	798	882	795	695	698	482	694	516	782	853	693	805	774	31334	
8	6	5	2	7	12	5	8	8	5	7	6	11	6	16	10	5	8	4	1	6	2	6	4	5	8	277	
1	4	6	2	2	3	3	5	3	1	20	3	6	1	2	5	2	2	9	5	7	4	1	7	3	2	136	
46	52	70	40	63	84	46	56	71	32	25	64	41	33	76	58	35	50	34	25	48	34	61	24	40	42	2048	
60	872	532	637	763	410	758	876	676	319	480	466	587	597	365	596	772	821	706	730	818	852	661	919	678	705	21831	
35	553	700	506	752	555	667	605	693	613	577	656	584	622	725	612	480	507	366	508	355	541	658	488	587	602	24031	
8	7	3	3	7	13	6	9	4	4	8	9	9	5	11	7	4	6	6	0	3	5	5	4	9	11	255	
9	48	64	44	68	89	51	63	86	44	42	71	46	33	77	57	49	41	29	30	41	46	67	28	52	49	2167	
73	471	301	425	555	229	542	597	489	203	305	260	416	421	202	413	615	645	595	564	683	658	492	730	488	539	15139	
12	842	919	719	956	729	866	878	877	723	730	844	723	791	871	778	633	674	446	661	488	726	810	668	768	754	30319	
1	6	4	3	2	4	8	6	6	4	2	3	9	7	3	4	3	2	9	4	5	3	2	6	5	4	163	
0	5	2	3	3	10	7	6	5	1	8	7	9	2	12	9	7	6	10	2	3	4	6	2	10	9	247	
51	56	73	40	74	95	59	66	82	49	62	88	69	36	90	68	47	48	47	37	38	53	81	33	55	61	2416	
73	894	965	810	1018	759	945	958	952	772	782	870	777	834	919	814	762	743	518	743	560	794	861	738	840	805	32358	
12	401	239	322	459	191	454	506	394	147	250	222	367	374	153	374	490	567	520	476	609	593	437	647	407	491	12790	
5	2	6	4	4	3	2	4	4	1	2	7	10	3	6	5	3	4	9	1	6	3	3	6	3	1	149	
6	10	10	3	11	18	10	9	10	10	13	20	17	3	13	10	5	5	10	1	2	2	12	4	6	11	360	
56	73	79	51	98	96	71	76	99	50	60	83	65	43	87	69	45	56	50	47	40	52	78	44	70	59	2637	

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				Ward One					Ward Two						Ward			Thres
				1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4
<u>ATTORNEY GENERAL</u>																		
Clarence A.Barnes	of Mansfield	Rep.	had	222	303	238	372	356	109	170	198	190	295	118	380	514	515	345
Francis E.Kelly	of Boston	Dem.	had	968	803	771	869	912	999	942	635	1035	888	904	847	668	805	864
Anthony Martin	of Boston	Soc.Lab.	had	12	10	9	12	11	8	10	5	17	9	7	17	12	8	5
Blank				86	78	62	70	58	115	64	54	86	74	56	97	58	52	85
<u>SENATOR IN CONGRESS</u>																		
Leverett Saltonstall	of Dover	Rep.	had	346	409	331	486	493	175	250	259	279	425	203	487	563	595	443
John I.Fitzgerald	of Boston	Dem.	had	868	722	689	775	795	925	874	576	960	775	840	771	627	729	790
Henning A.Blomen	of Boston	Soc.Lab.	had	6	4	11	7	5	13	5	3	10	5	6	10	5	5	2
E.Tallmadge Root	of Somerville	Pro.	had	6	3	6	7	8	11	10	3	4	5	2	8	7	6	5
Blank				62	56	43	48	36	107	47	51	75	56	34	65	45	45	59
<u>CONGRESSMAN 11th.District</u>																		
John F.Kennedy	of Boston	Dem.	had	1117	964	889	1067	1133	1049	1055	756	1179	1090	990	1099	945	1088	1095
Blank				171	230	191	256	204	182	131	136	149	176	95	242	307	292	204
<u>CONGRESSMAN 8th.District</u>																		
Angier L.Goodwin	of Melrose	Rep.	had															
Anthony M.Roche	of Medford	Dem.	had															
Blank																		
<u>COUNCILLOR 6th.District</u>																		
Victor A.Friend	of Melrose	Rep.	had	186	226	185	283	273	73	82	123	117	207	70	235	399	390	268
John F.Casey	of Somerville	Dem.	had	973	834	797	919	953	994	1025	678	1095	933	941	951	760	894	913
Blank				129	134	98	121	111	164	79	91	116	126	74	155	93	96	119
<u>SENATOR 3rd.Middlesex District</u>																		
James J.Corbett	of Somerville	Dem.	had	970	858	802	913	1008	1017	1002	687	1036	967	926	961	752	898	944
L.Loring Hutchinson	of Cambridge	Rep.	had	157	217	168	245	215	63	104	122	129	198	80	234	400	370	224
Blank				161	119	110	165	114	151	80	83	163	101	79	146	100	112	131
<u>SENATOR 2nd.Middlesex District</u>																		
Daniel F.O'Brien	of Cambridge	Dem.	had															
W.Donnison Swan	of Cambridge	Rep.	had															
Blank																		
<u>Representatives in General Court 1st.District</u>																		
John J.Toomey	of Cambridge	Dem.	had						856	867	653	953	905	794				
Thomas F.Coady,Jr.	of Cambridge	Dem.	had						648	728	512	805	694	687				
Blank									958	777	619	898	933	689				

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	Ward Three		Ward Four						Ward Five						Ward Six					Ward Seven					
3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Total
515	345	494	570	256	604	619	500	216	301	303	445	456	226	430	649	645	609	612	699	692	501	784	525	593	16054
805	864	635	943	702	802	849	854	699	737	809	698	755	842	754	591	657	429	604	472	697	799	598	729	700	29265
8	5	4	12	14	8	14	8	4	11	8	16	6	14	22	11	10	13	8	4	6	11	8	9	13	386
52	85	57	65	95	68	71	97	61	58	82	67	40	96	66	54	63	56	44	42	49	80	49	63	61	2579
595	443	554	679	347	711	761	633	335	392	409	570	555	316	518	692	739	664	686	758	810	638	859	610	673	19658
729	790	598	834	623	716	725	750	613	659	711	603	668	767	684	544	588	391	556	429	592	693	545	660	645	26310
5	2	2	8	9	7	7	4	3	7	10	5	2	8	7	4	3	10	0	3	3	1	2	4	10	216
6	5	4	10	7	5	12	8	2	2	7	6	3	8	13	7	6	10	2	4	4	3	7	6	1	228
45	59	32	59	81	43	48	64	27	47	65	42	29	79	50	58	39	32	24	23	35	56	26	46	38	1872
1088	1095	989																							16505
292	204	201																							3167
			530	239	539	579	456	189	296		416	413	176	417	602		583	553	667	644		719	463	529	10374
			532	238	538	582	454	190	298	249	415	422	178	421	604	638	582	559	668	649	479	720	468	529	10407
			955	711	860	872	880	734	734	841	724	780	896	770	640	651		643		724	812	657	773	760	16365
			950	708	854	870	876	732	732	840	721	775	890	763	638	652	459	637	489	720	811	653	767	756	16299
			105	117	83	102	123		77	112	86	64	106	85		86	65		61	76	100	63	90	80	1873
			108	120	90	100	129	57	75	113	90	62	113	88	63	85	66	72	60	75	101	66	91	82	1906
390	268	316	456	175	525	474	394	138	235	194	392	362	136	357	521	567	539	491	615	612	399	645	418	482	12560
894	913	772	1008	762	847	951	924	771	786	886	721	826	909	808	684	725	494	702	543	741	871	715	813	801	31720
96	118	102	126	130	110	128	141	71	86	122	113	69	133	107	100	83	74	75	59	91	121	79	95	84	4004
898	944	772	1026	761	908	973	965	767	792	876	771	838	876	817											24883
370	224	319	428	162	420	455	350	124	215	196	312	330	139	348											6724
112	131	99	136	144	154	125	144	89	100	130	143	89	163	107											3438
															728	749	518	729	616	841	909	749	866	873	7578
															508	542	535	472	546	524	371	618	389	426	4931
															69	84	54	67	55	79	111	72	71	68	730
																									5028
																									4074
																									4874

*Figures in Red to conform to Recount, November 22 and Nov. 23, 1948.

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		Ward One					Ward Two						Ward			Three
		1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4
<u>Representatives in General Court 24th.District</u>																
William B.Bailey	of Somerville Rep. had	322	382	292	437	382							390	549	565	383
Paul A.McCarthy	of Somerville Dem. had	844	699	636	751	752							822	678	802	751
Harold A.Palmer	of Somerville Dem. had	738	592	598	686	669							674	612	667	618
Peter Paul Bellini	of Somerville Rep. had	231	298	233	324	316							367	382	465	576
Joseph F.Leahy	of Somerville Dem. had	774	639	585	707	844							641	545	606	557
Harold D.Taylor	of Somerville Rep. had	166	220	204	265	243							234	380	351	202
Blank		789	752	692	799	805							895	610	684	810
<u>Representatives in General Court 25th.District</u>																
Allan Roy Kingston	of Somerville Rep. had															
T.Edward Corbett	of Somerville Dem. had															
Joseph F.McEvoy, Jr.	of Somerville Dem. had															
Chester L.Somers	of Somerville Rep. had															
Blank																
<u>REGISTER OF PROBATE</u>																
Loring P.Jordan	of Wakefield Rep. had	234	276	231	347	318	159	258	93	283	460	445	273	3		
John J.Butler	of Wakefield Dem. had	900	771	715	821	872	930	943	621	1001	851	890	842	684	811	877
Blank		154	147	134	155	147	203	127	122	165	157	102	216	124		149
<u>COUNTY COMMISSIONERS</u>																
William G.Andrew	of Cambridge Rep. had	415	434	351	496	475	206	322	280	319	440	302	459	609	606	471
Edwin O.Childs	of Newton Rep. had	232	270	249	311	294	86	130	132	132	232	83	281	418	410	299
James A.Cullen	of Winchester Dem. had	909	767	675	844	891	942	914	630	1025	815	868	904	676	812	868
Blank		1020	917	885	995	1014	1228	1006	742	1180	1045	917	1038	801	932	960
<u>COUNTY TREASURER</u>																
Charles P.Howard	of Reading Rep. had	621	613	522	679	686	358	456	428	481	628	414	600	755	827	697
Blank		667	581	558	644	651	873	730	464	847	638	671	741	497	553	602
<u>SHERIFF</u>																
Louis E.Boutwell	of Malden Rep. had	237	294	241	344	321	107	113	178	139	251	97	312	469	461	305
Patrick J.Brennan	of Cambridge Dem. had	920	765	728	831	877	920	959	605	1045	872	900	859	681	792	856
Blank		131	135	111	148	139	204	114	109	144	143	88	170	102	127	138
<u>Question No.1</u>																

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 28, 1945, received 227 votes in the affirmative and 0 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 9, 1947, received 232 votes in the affirmative and 8 in the negative?

Summary

This proposed amendment to the Constitution adds to the declaration of the rights of the inhabitants, as now set forth in the Constitution, the following: "The right of free speech shall not be abridged."

at the State Election, held therein, November 2, 1948.

	Three		Ward Four					Ward Five					Ward Six					Ward Seven							
3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Total
565	383	450	704	293	620	669	565	281	344	314	448	505	325	483											9703
802	751	691	861	572	751	884	744	610	596	753	684	772	780	730											16163
667	618	552	813	657	724	772	798	586	551	638	607	628	642	589											14411
465	576	339	439	320	515	546	412	223	265	394	464	357	236	470											8172
606	557	523	783	465	647	677	599	548	664	582	500	568	660	547											13661
351	202	284	407	146	404	410	353	131	239	179	304	321	148	314											5905
684	810	731	763	748	785	701	906	561	662	746	671	620	743	683											16156
															479	567	514	461	597	475	390	606	371	460	4920
															613	616	386	604	460	632	707	532	636	634	5820
															694	645	481	681	558	829	869	819	844	828	7248
															444	485	486	438	492	536	315	567	375	427	4565
															380	437	347	352	327	416	501	354	426	385	3925
445	* 273	369	512	262	541	567	440	181	289	242	402	412	176	412	578	614		542		632	476	723	456	541	14344
400	270	375	506	222	538	573	443	182	263	241	401	406	173	408	571	616	572	537	652	640	477	719	459	543	14315
811	877	691	887	621	802	838	818	695	695	782	696	738	839	727	621	639		633	485	695		601	752	714	28684
763	880	607	807	653	801	835	817	694	713	784	781	744	838	737	629	636	425	637	483	686	761	607	750	709	28745
124		130	191	184	139	148	201		123	178	128		163	133	106	122		93	80	117	154	115	118	112	5256
127	149	128	187	192	143	145	199	104	129	177	44	107	167	127	105	123	110	94	82	118	153	113	117	115	5224
606	471	463	673	311	684	722	565	310	377	373	548	548	374	551	672	736	631	640	742	782	684	810	642	674	19697
410	299	367	485	203	492	538	415	193	261	267	387	415	181	397	520	553	508	492	581	586	423	680	429	515	13447
812	868	713	937	685	823	873	819	704	734	796	710	742	847	731	644	649	442	673	491	721	788	655	741	738	29196
932	960	837	1085	935	965	973	1119	753	842	968	807	809	954	865	774	812	633	731	620	799	887	733	840	807	34228
827	697	691	926	476	909	953	799	489	550	581	716	733	522	735	834	907	765	805	889	994	845	1010	822	878	26594
553	602	499	664	591	573	600	660	491	557	621	510	524	656	537	471	468	342	463	328	450	546	429	504	489	21690
461	305	381	503	244	542	581	448	175	265	268	421	454	202	446	581	632	603	532	683	656	485	715	473	548	14707
792	856	708	924	643	812	829	822	707	718	780	681	709	826	710	613	633	411	646	449	684	782	630	747	713	28787
127	138	101	163	180	128	143	189	98	124	154	124	94	150	116	111	110	93	90	85	104	124	94	106	106	4790

* Figures in Red to conform to Recount, November 22 and Nov. 23, 1948.

Record of Votes Cast in the several Voting Precincts of the City of Somerville

	Ward One					Ward Two						Ward Three			Throe
	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4
YES	767	729	641	824	830	615	689	518	767	770	614	783	539	891	829
NO	222	161	149	195	186	193	169	122	174	174	163	193	593	203	158
BLANK	299	304	290	304	321	423	328	252	387	322	308	365	120	286	312

Question No.2.

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 6, 1946, received 220 votes in the affirmative and 28 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 9, 1947, received 228 votes in the affirmative and 5 in the negative?

YES	758	697	567	788	821	573	683	508	719	748	589	753	818	886	851
NO	229	182	171	227	197	229	176	124	213	197	187	204	155	206	157
BLANK	301	315	342	308	319	429	327	260	396	321	309	384	279	288	311

This proposed amendment to the Constitution provides that the use of revebue from fees, duties, excises or license taxes relating to the registration, operation or use of vehicles on public highways or to fuels used for propelling such vehicles, except revenue from any excise tax imposed for the privilege of registering such vehicles in lieu of local property taxes, shall be for highway purposes.

Question No. 3

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 6, 1946, received 243 in the affirmative and 0 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 3, 1948, received 231 votes in the affirmative and 9 in the negative?

YES	697	633	546	754	741	516	622	458	635	705	551	710	720	798	688
NO	238	202	193	207	243	228	204	130	258	173	194	184	194	243	220
BLANK	353	359	341	362	353	487	360	304	435	388	340	447	338	339	391

Summary

This is an amendment of Article XVII of the Amendments to the Constitution. It provides that in case of a failure to elect the secretary, treasurer and receiver general, auditor or attorney general of the Commonwealth, or in case of the death of a person elected to any such offices between the day of election and the third Wednesday of the following January, such an officer shall be chosen by a joint ballot of the senators and representatives from the people at large, instead of from the two persons who had the highest number of votes at the election as is now required. It also provides that if there is a vacancy in any such offices during a session of the Legislature the vacancy shall be filled in like manner by choice from the people at large, but if the vacancy occurs at any other time it shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council.

Question No.4.

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 84 in the affirmative and 130 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 15 in the affirmative and 22 in the negative?

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	Ward One					Ward Two						Ward Three			Total
	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	
Question No.4.															
YES	283	287	263	324	321	233	187	152	280	305	220	294	427	393	2663
NO	890	793	669	886	899	736	870	632	898	811	766	867	706	860	9327
BLANK	115	114	148	113	117	262	129	108	150	150	99	180	119	127	1019
Summary															

This measure by amending General Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 272, Section 21 provides that the provisions of Sections 20 and 21 of said Chapter 272 which make it an offense to advertise or give information as to the procurement of means for the prevention of pregnancy or conception shall not apply to treatment or prescription given to married women by registered physicians for protection of life or health.

Question No.5.

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 5 in the affirmative and 203 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 0 in the affirmative and 36 in the negative?

YES	142	169	164	177	186	136	119	90	137	188	108	239	286	245	1842
NO	1005	874	776	977	1018	912	913	678	1021	895	853	876	815	942	9358
BLANK	141	151	140	169	133	183	154	123	170	183	124	226	151	193	1801

Summary

This measure prohibits the denial of the opportunity to obtain or retain employment because of membership or non-membership in a labor organization and prohibits agreements which exclude any person from employment because of membership or non-membership in a labor organization. Violation of the provisions of the measure is made an offense punishable by fine or imprisonment or both.

Question No.6.

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 82 in the affirmative and 126 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 13 in the affirmative and 20 in the negative?

YES	196	222	205	256	231	159	166	147	183	248	153	296	352	339	2673
NO	957	821	742	900	974	891	856	632	992	833	804	833	743	835	8497
BLANK	135	151	133	167	132	181	164	113	153	185	128	212	157	206	1831

Summary

This measure requires that elections of officers of labor organizations shall be held at least annual. Sixty days' notice of a regular election and twenty days' notice of an election to fill one or more vacancies are required to be given by public announcement at a regular meeting, by notice in writing to each member or in any other adequate manner. Candidates to be voted for must be nominated by a paper signed by ten members filed at least thirty days before a regular election and at least ten days before an election to fill a vacancy.

The voting at such an election must be by secret written or printed ballot. Watchers appointed by nominating members and by union officers may be present during the voting and counting of ballots.

Coercion and intimidation of members in connection with an election is prohibited, and violations of the provisions of the measure are made punishable by fine not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days or both.

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	Ward One					Ward Two						Ward			Thres	
	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5
<u>Question No.7.</u>																
Do you approve of a law s ummarized below which was disapproved in the House of Representati																
by a vote of 95 in the affirmative and 110 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 14 in the affi																
mative and 18 in the negative?																
YES	201	222	212	243	234	153	168	131	185	240	155	308	353	323	260	3
NO	950	814	741	915	960	889	855	639	994	827	811	822	747	857	850	69
BLANK	137	158	127	165	143	189	163	122	149	199	119	211	152	200	189	14
Summary																
This measure prohibits the calling of a strike by a labor organization in any business or pl																
or unit thereof,except when authorized by the vote of the majority of all the members of the organization																
employed in the business, plant or unit thereof. Such authorization is to be expressed by a secret writt																
or printed ballot at a meeting called for that purpose.																
The Labor Relations Commission is authorized to make rules for the conduct of the voting.																
Within twenty-four hours after the voting the labor organization conducting it shall make a written repes																
of the result to the commission which shall be a permanent public record. If no report is filed the vote																
taken shall be void and a person making a false report shall be guilty of perjury. Coercion and intimi-																
dation of members of a labor organization in connection with such voting is made a penal offense.																
<u>Question No.8.</u>																
Is it desirable that the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States,-																
"ARTICLE-																
"Section 1. No person shall be elected to the office of the President more than twice, and no person																
who has held the office of President,or acted as President,for more than two years of a term to which so																
other person was elected President shall be elected to the office of the President more than once. But																
this Article shall not apply to any person holding the office of President when thos Article was proposed																
by the Congress,and shall not prevent any person who may be holding the office of President,or acting as																
President, during the term within which this Article becomes operative from holding the office of Preside																
or actine as President during the remainder of such term.																
"Section 2. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an Amendment to																
the Constitution by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States Within seven years from the																
date of its submission to the States by the Congress,"- be ratified by the general court?																
YES	503	543	445	576	598	361	434	353	462	521	408	556	610	614	502	64
NO	469	343	346	431	428	409	401	277	468	395	364	369	366	447	372	33
BLANK	316	308	289	316	311	461	351	262	398	350	313	416	276	319	325	20

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Record of Votes Cast in the several voting Precincts of the City of Somerville

	Ward One					Ward Two						Ward Three			
	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	3
<u>Question No. 9</u>															
A- Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?															
YES	911	758	656	861	897	899	843	539	985	835	816	814	689	798	828
NO	264	306	286	339	338	166	210	266	228	309	167	395	449	455	342
BLANK	113	130	138	123	102	166	133	87	115	122	102	132	114	127	129
B- Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?															
YES	886	745	667	842	866	836	826	535	929	813	784	791	676	778	807
NO	250	284	251	313	319	169	191	243	216	283	154	358	427	424	321
BLANK	152	165	162	168	152	226	169	114	173	170	147	192	149	178	171
C- Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises)?															
YES	979	869	760	990	1001	872	872	638	1002	941	816	933	888	945	981
NO	180	178	183	190	193	149	153	156	177	176	131	249	246	285	177
BLANK	129	147	137	143	143	210	161	98	149	149	138	159	118	150	141

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	Three		Ward Four						Ward Five						Ward Six					Ward Seven					
3	3	4	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Total
lic																									
798	828	680	917	732	797	887	876	690	612	774	802	689	692	795	653	728	519	584	629	661	796	698	717	782	28839
455	342	406	528	219	542	557	424	209	392	281	313	488	380	376	561	530	492	582	506	668	465	653	490	481	15063
127	129	104	145	116	143	109	159	81	103	147	111	80	106	101	91	117	96	102	82	115	130	88	119	104	4382
malt																									
778	807	681	896	719	798	881	841	670	575	754	781	657	693	792	650	725	512	599	564	663	792	693	712	776	28215
424	321	363	500	200	507	522	406	190	386	250	297	478	354	348	544	497	465	525	541	630	438	630	457	459	14190
178	171	146	194	148	177	150	212	120	146	198	148	122	131	132	111	153	130	144	112	151	161	116	157	132	5879
lic																									
945	981	844	1137	779	1037	1100	999	752	725	853	916	894	868	953	968	909	628	847	788	957	980	1012	956	1025	34414
285	177	231	288	145	292	318	263	129	234	173	172	264	200	207	255	326	375	316	346	367	271	331	233	227	8786
150	141	115	165	143	153	135	197	99	148	176	138	99	110	112	82	140	104	105	83	120	140	96	137	115	5084

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Attest:

Chairman)

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Secretary)

Warren S. Johnston



RECORD OF ABSENT VOTING BALLOTS

Tabulated from Tally Sheets of the State Election, November 2, 1948

														Federal War Ballots					
Ward	Pct.		Ballots Mailed			Ballots and Cast		Returned			Ballots Not Ret.		Returned too late.		Mailed	Returned	Not Retur.	Ret. too late	
1	1		10			7					2		1		1		1		
1	2		15			13					2								
1	3		7			5					2				3	2	1		
1	4		12			11							1		3	2	1		
1	5		2			2									2	1		1	
2	1		6			5					1				3	3			
2	2		3			2					1				1			1	
2	3		12			10					2								
2	4		19			18							1		1	1			
2	5		2			2													
2	6		4			3							1						
3	1		8			7							1						
3	2		17			13					3		1						
3	3		9			8					1								
3	4		12			12													
3	5		11			8					1		2		3	2	1		
4	1		16			15					1				1	1			
4	2		5			2					2		1						
4	3		19			16					1		2		4	2	1	1	
4	4		22			21					1								
4	5		6			6									1	1			
4	6		1			1													
5	1		10			10									1			1	
5	2		6			5									1	1			
5	3		9			7					2				1			1	
5	4		8			5							1						
5	5		4			4					2								
5	6		5			5							1		1	1			
6	1		18			11					6		1						
6	2		16			14					1		1		1	1			
6	3		19			16					2		1						
6	4		17			17									2	2			
6	5		18			18									1	1			
7	1		13			10					2		1		1	1			
7	2		15			14					1				1	1			
7	3		26			23					1		2		1	1			
7	4		10			9					1								
7	5		12			10					1		1						
Totals			424			365					39		20		34	24	5	5	

Record of Votes Cast in the Various Voting Precincts of the City of Somerville

				Ward One					Ward Two						Ward			Three	
				1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	
Total Number of Votes Cast				1236	1100	1020	1146	1194	1144	1035	831	1143	1117	999	1220	1091	1225	1189	
Mayor																			
G. Edward Bradley	40 Benton road	had		534	390	470	552	468	813	501	548	576	445	499	559	514	522	539	
John M. Lynch	34 Browning road	had		681	677	523	571	698	280	513	266	541	636	475	624	538	656	609	
All others		had																	
Blank				21	33	27	23	28	51	21	17	26	36	25	37	39	47	41	
Aldermen at Large																			
Peter Paul Bellini	19 Central st.	had		326	329	286	311	385	387	249	198	345	536	297	392	326	565	749	
Edward T. Brady	277 Washington st.	had		624	487	488	513	536	643	705	538	791	597	636	604	525	529	461	
Thomas J. Burke	38 Burnham st.	had		507	386	294	460	479	273	510	442	478	413	481	452	506	508	478	
John W. DiCecca	9 Knowlton st.	had		584	445	579	358	511	728	289	171	318	337	329	433	211	291	324	
John F. Foster, Jr.	28 Cutter ave.	had		297	331	287	364	314	138	225	194	228	283	229	276	343	386	291	
Paul I. McCarthy	472 Medford st.	had		588	521	431	580	578	317	482	310	390	395	458	423	398	466	414	
Charles G. Pickett	86 Irving st.	had		233	275	185	295	242	118	158	182	171	240	170	279	346	436	350	
Walter W. Whitney	15 Grand View ave.	had		524	472	423	554	422	379	411	350	371	406	378	581	565	603	423	
Blank				1261	1154	1107	1149	1309	1593	1111	939	1480	1261	1018	1440	1116	1266		
Assessors																			
Maurice F. Ahearn	36 Boston st.	had		394	359	376	392	399	418		324	429	373	400	573	431	444	398	
William B. Bailey	224 School st.	had		501	494		549	488	292	381	295	345	399		412	628		458	
Charles R. Brunelle	26 Cambria st.	had		366	365		413	399	370		201	265	350		373	344	399	399	
John B. Carr	91 Prentiss st.	had		356	366	347	385	387	365	394	304	376	565	414		433	428	415	
Mary A. Carr	79 Central st.	had		274	292	264		304	299	399	329	343	348	304	357	357	507	437	
Timothy J. Cronin	40 Corinthian road	had		442	414	351	375	449	417		501	707	521	615	500	490	460	454	
Gordon Faulkner	9 Aldersey st.	had		532		384	462			326		302	376	316	347	465	506	420	
Thomas F. Mackey	18 Benton road	had		242	301	270	357		194	261	245	286	336	253	340	390	513	486	
William J. Moran	10 Centre st.	had		660		458	456	434	417	424		464	378	372	447	348	408	326	
Michael J. Simonelli	52 Mt. Vernon st.	had		632	464	368	449		491	184	133	271	296	236		155	243	309	
Blank				1781	1547	1488	1611	1796	2152	1479	1196	1927	1643	1431	2057		1589	1820	
Ward Alderman- Ward One																			
Elvin E. MacKenzie	9 Brook st.	had		489	587	428	467	369											
Frederick J. Ryan	27 Austin st.	had		684	455	502	593	781											
Blank				63	58	90	86	44											
Ward Alderman- Ward Two																			
Michael A. Donovan	7 Bowdoin st.	had							501	554		410	569	559					
James F. Hall	15 Parkdale st.	had							507	453	461	698	478	401					
Blank									135	28	50	45	70	39					

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	Three		Ward Four						Ward Five						Ward Six					Ward Seven					
	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Totals
1225	1189	1033	1376	960	1240	1380	1312	865	990	1143	1105	1108	1024	1158	1142	1139	933	1110	1001	1208	1188	1234	1238	1156	42733
522	539	488	567	414	411	569	500	336	398	361	407	383	442	476	442	403	341	443	526	532	496	537	516	471	18389
556	609	491	763	530	799	748	777	512	561	738	644	686	551	631	664	688	545	621	433	621	655	628	655	646	22875
	1																	3				2			6
47	41	53	46	16	30	63	35	17	31	44	54	39	31	51	36	48	47	43	42	55	37	67	67	39	1463
565	749	487	428	435	471	495	456	318	351	599	524	325	355	405	367	296	269	294	289	356	414	406	413	339	14773
529	461	415	532	327	425	584	485	344	407	415	419	457	441	442	418	390	281	432	313	382	427	417	479	515	18424
508	478	455	502	238	477	503	405	312	399	425	469	522	349	466	499	439	393	572	418	655	612	590	626	573	17566
291	324	174	431	469	393	343	409	312	277	379	348	294	363	332	244	236	202	252	225	288	395	319	379	303	13275
386	291	287	422	206	426	533	392	170	280	303	418	436	260	415	558	711	505	429	594	577	465	598	489	497	14157
466	414	389	685	390	605	637	602	376	523	477	412	501	498	485	442	389	292	436	339	378	447	393	472	471	17390
436	350	350	425	213	346	385	417	144	213	257	276	324	219	320	447	419	430	418	436	553	435	471	404	393	11975
603	423	399	607	354	574	704	642	498	452	469	500	495	394	561	552	592	476	497	524	538	502	615	619	565	18991
116	1266	1176	1472	1208	1243	1336	1440	986	1058	1248	1054	1078	1217	1206	1041	1084	884	1110	866	1105	1055	1127	1071	968	44382
444	398	391	215		492	444	337	359	401	376	428	343	372	431	422	312	461	387	410	431		518	514	15,639	
443	401	399	485	214	450	494	443	338	356	400	377	431	344	371	430	424	310	460	386	411	432	517	519	511	15648
328	458	422	733	346	613	645	635	406	448		501		516	575	586	519	544	537		538	643	551			18783
622	456	423	731	347	612	646	636	376	404	447	519	499	351	518	574	585	518	540	533	572	540	650	562	586	18780
399	399	367	524	545	443	456	483	401	363	377	379	424	355	366		410		472	398	439	471	542	474	430	15089
412	395	369	526	543	444	455	487	394	361	385	382	427	364	368	461	411	407	471	401	443	473	550	475	431	15144
428	415	340	451	283	419	441	409	244	352	375	369	348			497		400	423	463	427	492	484	465	15063	
424	418	339	452	282	423	440	411	247	334	380	376	350	287	358	426	500	447	404	417	465	428	497	405	461	15116
507	437	466	396	218	434		373	218	334	357	347	338	287	367	319	369	309	353	365	398	429	379	373	366	13435
497	434	468	397	219	429	543	369	214	331	349	340	340	289	367	316	366	307	349	363	399	431	375	376	373	13370
450		366	400	215	379	439	354	278	321	425	368	402	341			364	286	396	303	574	472	365	499	433	16096
467	477	364	390	217	382	445	353	270	320	427	375	398	347	366	387	367	288	390	301	567	473	369	489	432	16093
506	420	392	599	277	553	638	515	275	488	472	513	534	543		531	575	469	496	510	564	559	640	660	512	18031
508	410	391	601	275	552	632	514	271	479	469	512	533	532	668	527	570	470	499	511	563	568	634	667	511	17971
513	486	459				398	237	280	382	390	421	282			474	448	332	398	380	445	392	473		418	13839
510	483	464	390	186	413	559	393	233	283	380	400	420	278	450	475	450	334	399	377	444	394	481	444	413	13852
408	326				418	551	378	285	364	419	404	403	351	431	375	365	252	339	310	346	409	395	425	495	15072
402	327	294	440	256	414	544	381	283	360	418	399	399	340	432	374	362	250	343	307	344	411	400	426	485	15017
243	309	135	491	496	355	272	513	329		350	265	340	250		230		146	204	193	299	348	235		218	11806
240	312	136	489	500	359	263	519	330	263	384	347	269	345	242	232	203	143	209	192	298	347	233	269	221	11837
1689	1820	1533		1763	1723	1864	2058	1345	1440	1675	1510	1476	1642	1646	1501	1456	1186	1487	1199	1530	1455	1489	1493	1343	50812
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A Record of Votes Cast in The Various Voting Precincts of the City of Somerville

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at The City Election, held therein, November 8, 1949

Three		Ward Four						Ward Five						Ward Six					Ward Seven					
4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Total
822	683																							3252
288	271																							2044
79	79																							462
		651	252	678	830	480	223																	3114
		628	658	496	442	809	616																	3649
		97	50	66	108	23	26																	370
								423	747	722	529	563	654											3638
								522	367	339	523	423	456											2630
								45	29	44	56	38	48											260
														468	439	387	667	402						2363
														622	640	508	425	558						2753
														52	60	38	18	41						209
																			662	753	642	770	658	3485
																			516	389	561	446	461	2373
																			30	46	31	22	37	166
																								2395
																								2827
																								474
																								3132
																								2379
																								758
609	586																							2877
496	382																							2461
84	65																							420
		515	369	697	792	586	550																	3509
		728	447	422	459	575	233																	2864
		133	144	121	129	151	82																	

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		Ward One					Ward Two					Ward			Three	
		1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4
<u>School Committee- Ward Five</u>																
Frank Dardeno	236 Highland ave.	had														
William J. Shea	27 Aberdeen road	had														
Blank																
<u>School Committee-Ward Six</u>																
V. Theresa Morrissey	17 Warner st.	had														
Others		had														
Blank																
<u>School Committee-Ward Seven</u>																
A. Anthony Bellamacina	100 Powder House blvd.	had														
John F. Fitzgerald	86 Yorktown st	had														
Blank																
<u>Initiative Petition</u>																
"Shall the city of Somerville adopt the form of Government defined as Plan E. and consisting of a government by a City Council to be elected at large by proportional representation, 1 member of which shall be the Mayor and having a City Manager, with elections to be held biennially in every odd numbered year, according to Chapter 43 of the General Laws, relating to City Charters?"																
YES	had	850	783	739	862	916	664	727	558	792	840	668	885	845	1005	991
NO	had	219	170	139	160	143	191	177	153	192	154	186	157	148	123	102
BLANK		167	147	142	124	135	289	131	120	159	123	145	178	98	97	96

at the City Election held therein, November 8, 1949.

	Three		Ward Four					Ward Five						Ward Six					Ward Seven						
3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	Total
									405	618	519	443	435	552											2970
									403	616	521	444	434	553											2971
									444	463	524		469	539											3045
									488	464	522	562	466	537											3039
									97	62		103	120	67											513
									99	63	62	102	124	68											518
															817	780	651	810	722						3780
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															325	359	281	300	279						1544
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8 97	96	84	147	150	106	98	172	78	103	109	77	86	150	89	82	78	48	67	63	68	111	64	89	62	4332

A True Copy Attest:

Warren S. Johnston

) Board of
) Election Commissioners
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Record of Absent Voting, November 8, 1949.

Tabulated from Tally Sheets

		Ballots Mailed				Ballots Returned				Ballots Cast.				Returned too late.			
Ward	Pct.																
1	1	3				2				2							
1	2	5				4				4				1			
1	3	6				5				5							
1	4	7				7				7							
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3	2	9				7				7							
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