ENROLLED
Senate Bill No. 212
(By Mr. Allen)

[Passed March 10, 1939; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section one, article five, chapter six of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, relating to terms of elected and appointed officers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section one, article five, chapter six of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 1. Terms of Office. The terms of officers, except
2 when elected or appointed to fill vacancies, shall begin
3 respectively as follows: That of governor, secretary of state,
4 state superintendent of free schools, treasurer, auditor,
attorney general and commissioner of agriculture, on the first Monday after the second Wednesday of January next after their election; that of member of the legislature, on the first day of December next after his election; and that of the judges of the supreme court of appeals, the judges of the several circuit courts, the judges of the criminal, intermediate, common pleas and other inferior courts, the county commissioners, prosecuting attorneys, surveyors of land, assessors, sheriffs, clerks of the circuit, criminal, intermediate, common pleas, or other inferior courts, clerks of the county courts, justices of the peace and constables, on the first day of January next after their election.

Whenever a person is elected or appointed to fill a vacancy, his term shall be as prescribed by chapter three of this code.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate

Takes effect immediately from passage

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within...approvethis the 15th day of February, 1939.

Governor

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State of West Virginia MAR 16 1939
Wm. S. O'Brien,
Secretary of State