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SENATE

Thursday, January 31, 1963

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. Joseph Craig of Augusta.

On motion by Mr. Hichborn of Piscataquis, the Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Out of order and under suspension of the rules

Joint Order

On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook

ORDERED, the House concurring, that when the Senate and the House adjourn they adjourn to meet on February 5th, at Tuesday, 10 o'clock in the morning. (S. P. 305)

Which was read and passed. Sent down for concurrence.

Paper from the House Non-concurrent reference

Bill, "An Act Amending the Char-ter of the City of Presque Isle." (S. P. 184) (L. D. 483) In Senate, January 22, referred to Committee on Legal Affairs.

Comes from the House, referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs in non-concurrence.

In the Senate, that Body voted to recede and concur.

Petition

Petition of Lucien T. Turmenne to the 101st Maine State Legislature, filed under Article I, Section 15, of the State Constitution. (H. P. 561)

Comes from the House read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

In the Senate, referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence.

House Papers

Bills and Resolves for reference

Bill. "An Act Directing Review of the Fire Prevention Laws." (H. P. 472) (L. D. 732)

Bill, "An Act Appropriating Moneys for General Operating Expenses of the University of Maine." (H. P. 517) (L. D. 734)

Bill, "An Act Appropriating Funds to Renovate Building for Culinary Arts Courses at Maine Vocational Technical Institute." (H. P. 518) (L. D. 735)

Bill, "An Act Appropriating Funds for Regional Airport in the Gray Area to Service Central Maine." (H. P. 519) (L. D. 736)

Bill, "An Act Providing Matching Funds for Development of Comprehensive Regional Development Plans. (H. P. 520) (L. D. 737)

Resolve to Provide Funds for Matching Funds for Training in Machine Design at the Maine Vocational Technical Institute. (H. P. 521) (L. D. 738)

Resolve Appropriating Moneys for Vocational Educational Institute in Androscoggin County. (H. P. 522) (L. D. 739)

Resolve in Favor of Macwahoc Plantation for School Construction Aid. (H. P. 523) (L. D. 740) Resolve Appropriating Moneys for

Additional Faculty Positions at Gorham State Teachers College, (H. P. 524) (L. D. 741)

Resolve Appropriating F u n d s to Match Federal Funds to Study Chemical and Physical Quality of Water in Maine. (H. P. 525) (L. D. 742)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence.

Bill. "An Act to Create a School Administrative District in the Town of Cape Elizabeth." (H. P. 526) (L. D. 743)

Bill, "An Act to Authorize the Municipalities of Lee, Prentiss Plantation, Springfield, Webster Planta-tion and Winn to Form a School Administrative District." (H. P. 527) (L. D. 744)

Which were referred to the Committee on Education in concurrence.

Bill, "An Act Providing Annual Fee in Lieu of Tolls for Members of the Legislature Using the Augusta Memorial Bridge." (H. P. 528) (L. D. 745)

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways in concurrence.

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing on Nezinscot River, Androscoggin County. (H. P. 529) (L. D. 746)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Chain of Ponds, Franklin County. (H. P. 530) (L. D. 747)

Resolve Closing Outlet of Big Jim Pond, Franklin County, to all Fishing. (H. P. 531) (L. D. 748)

Resolve Regulating Fishing on Little Jim Pond, Franklin County. (H. P. 532) (L. D. 749)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Mill Brook, Hanover, Oxford County. (H. P. 533) (L. D. 750)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Howard Pond, Hanover, Oxford County. (H. P. 534) (L. D. 751)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Speck Pond, Grafton, Oxford County. (H. P. 535) (L. D. 752)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Pleasant Pond, Island Falls and Township 4 Range 3, Aroostook County. (H. P. 536) (L. D. 753)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game in concurrence.

Bill, "An Act Providing that Employment shall not be Conditioned upon Membership or Non-membership in nor upon Payment or Nonpayment of Money to a Labor Organization." (H. P. 537) (L. D. 754)

Which was referred to the Committee on Labor in concurrence.

Bill, "An Act Prohibiting Cigarette Vending Machines." (H. P. 361) (L. D. 731)

(L. D. 731) Bill, "An Act Relating to Apportionment of Taxes Between Town of Dedham and Lucerne-in-Maine V i llage Corporation." (H. P. 538) (L. D. 755)

Bill, "An Act Relating to the Joint Bank Account Law and the Inheritance Taxation of Joint Bank Accounts." (H. P. 539) (L. D. 756)

(On motion by Mr. Campbell of Kennebec, tabled pending reference to a committee, and especially assigned for later in today's session.)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Portland High School Athletic Commission." (H. P. 482) (L. D. 733)

Bill, "An Act to Incorporate the Town of Caribou School District." (H. P. 540) (L. D. 757)

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Bill, "An Act Amending the Charter of the City of Portland Concerning Election Districts." (H. P. 541)
(L. D. 758)

(L. D. 758) Bill, "An Act Relating to Election and Term of Board of Assessors of City of Bath." (H. P. 542) (L. D. 759)

Bill, "An Act Relating to a Tax Assessor for City of Bath and Amending Payment of Bonds by City of Bath." (H. P. 543) (L. D. 760)

Bill, "An Act to Provide Adjustments in Pensions Being Paid to Members of the Police and Fire Departments of the City of Portland." (H. P. 545) (L. D. 761)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs in concurrence.

Senate Papers

Bills and Resolves for reference

Agriculture

Mr. Cyr of Aroostook presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Definition of 'potatoes' and 'shipper' under the Potato Tax Law." (S. P. 306)

Which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Business Legislation

Mr. Atherton of Penobscot presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Records and Lists of Stockholders." (S. P. 307)

Mr. Brown of Hancock presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Investment of Municipal Funds." (S. P. 308)

Which were referred to the Committee on Business Legislation and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence."

Health and Institutional Services

Mr. Farris of Kennebec presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Reporting of Divorces to State Registrar of Vital Statistics." (S. P. 309)

Mr. Johnson of Somerset presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Indian Tribal Elections." (S. P. 310)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Attendance Officers of Passamaquoddy Indian Tribe." (S. P. 311)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Health and Institutional Services and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Highways

Mrs. Sproul of Lincoln presented Bill, "An Act Providing Area Directional Sign for Damariscotta-Pemaquid Region." (S. P. 312)

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Inland Fisheries and Game

Mr. Stitham of Somerset presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Time of Hunting Season on Deer in Zone 3." (S. P. 313)

Mr. Noyes of Franklin presented Bill, "An Act Regulating the Open Season on Fisher." (S. P. 314)

Mr. Stilphen of Knox presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Definition of Alien Under Fish and Game Laws." (S. P. 315)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Judiciary

Mr. Farris of Kennebec presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Habeas Corpus and Post Conviction Procedure in Criminal Cases." (S. P. 316)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Relating to the Criminal Sanctions Provisions of the Banking Laws." (S. P. 317)

Mr. Brown of Hancock presented Bill, "An Act Relating to General Penalty for Violation of the Insurance Laws." (S. P. 318)

(On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, tabled pending motion by Mr. Brown of Hancock that the bill be referred to the Committee on Business Legislation in non-concurrence; especially assigned for later in today's session.)

Mrs. Christie of Aroostook presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Evidence of Intoxication and Chemical Tests for Alcoholic Content of Blood of Motor Vehicle Drivers." (S. P. 319)

Mr. Stitham of Somerset presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Search and Arrest for Violation of Fish and Game Laws." (S. P. 320)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Compensation and Expenses of Out-of-State Witnesses in Criminal Cases." (S. P. 321)

Which were referred to the Committee on Judiciary and ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

Labor

Mr. Hinds of Cumberland presented Bill, "An Act Exempting Firemen from Waiting Period Under Workmen's Compensation Act." (S. P. 322)

Which was referred to the Committee on Labor and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

Mr. Farris of Kennebec presented Bill, "An Act Defining Subdivision of Land for Municipal Regulation." (S. P. 323)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Pecuniary Interest by Municipal Officials in Municipal Contracts." (S. P. 324)

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Proof of Municipal Ordinances." (S. P. 325)

Mr. Kimball of Hancock presented Bill, "An Act Permitting Hearing Testimony in Liquor Hearings as to Statements by Minors." (S. P. 326)

Mr. Kimball of Hancock presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Penalty for Purchase and Consumption of Liquor by Minors." (S. P. 327)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Penalty for Furnishing Liquor to Certain Persons." (S. P. 328)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Liquor Control

Mr. Kimball of Hancock presented Bill, "An Act Providing for Issuance of Warnings to Licensees for Liquor Violations." (S. P. 329)

Which was referred to the Committee on Liquor Control and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Municipal Affairs

Mr. Cyr of Aroostook presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Town Manager Form of Government." (S. P. 330)

Which was referred to the Committee on Municipal Affairs and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Public Utilities

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Sewer Service Charges." (S. P. 331)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Permits for Contract Carriers." (S. P. 332)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act to Allow Temporary Authority for Motor Carrier Operations on Assignment and Transfer." (S. P. 333)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Retirements and Pensions

Mr. Wyman of Washington presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Credit for Military Service under State Retirement Law." (S. P. 334)

Which was referred to the Committee on Retirements and Pensions and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

Mr. Wyman of Washington presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Unexpended Excise Taxes on Sardines." (S. P. 335)

Which was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

State Government

Mr. Hinds of Cumberland presented Bill, "An Act Increasing Aidesde-Camp to Governor." (S. P. 336)

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented Bill, "An Act Increasing Salary of Hearing Examiner for State Liquor Commission." (S. P. 337)

Mr. Wyman of Washington presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Quorum of Maine Sardine Council." (S. P. 338)

Which were referred to the Committee on State Government and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Taxation

Mr. Wyman of Washington presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Claims of Municipalities A g a i n s t State for Taxes Lost from Veterans Property Tax Exemptions." (S. P. 339) Which was referred to the Committee on Taxation and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Towns and Counties

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Municipal Revenue Bonds." (S. P. 340)

The same Senator presented Bill, "An Act Permitting County Funds for Buildings for Education Programs for Retarded Children." (S. P. 341)

Mr. Stitham of Somerset presented Bill, "An Act Increasing Salary of Judge of Western Somerset Municipal Court." (S. P. 342)

Mr. Johnson of Somerset presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Effective Date for Salary Increase for County Officers." (S. P. 333)

Mr. Wyman of Washington presented Bill, "An Act Increasing Salary of County Treasurer of Washington County." (S. P. 344)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Transportation

Mr. Wyman of Washington presented Bill, "An Act Relating to Registraticn of Motor Vehicles Required to be Registered in Another State by Maine Residents." (S. P. 345)

Mr. Stilphen of Knox presented Bill, "An Act to Revise Certain Motor Vehicle Laws." (S. P. 346)

Which were referred to the Committee on Transportation and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Committee Reports

House — Leave to Withdraw

The Committee on Claims on Resolve to Reimburse Town of Brownville for Freight Charges on Surplus Foods Distributed to Unorganized Territory. (H. P. 197) (L. D. 266) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Reducing Fee for Tagging and Marketing Beaver Skins." (H. P. 145) (L. D. 196) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Eliminating Fee for Tagging and Marking Fisher Skins." (H. P. 143) (L. D. 194) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

House - Ought Not to Pass

The Committee on Claims on Resolve in Favor of Earle M. Hinkley of Gardiner. (H. P. 21) (L. D. 46) reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Relating to Non-resident Hunting License Fees." (H. P. 144) (L. D. 195) reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Increasing Non-resident Fishing License Fee." (H. P. 147) (L. D. 198) reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Increasing Bounty on Bobcat." (H. P. 106) (L. D. 150) reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill, "An Act Relating to Mandatory Jail Sentence in Night Hunting Cases." (H. P. 54) (L. D. 77) reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Which reports were read and accepted in concurrence.

House - Ought to Pass

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill, "An Act Relating to Time of Filing Changes in Certificate of Organization of Corporations." (H. P. 10) (L. D. 17) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Relating to Amount of Property Held by Old Folks Home at Bath." (H. P. 12) (L. D. 22) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

The Committee on Municipal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Amending the Charter of the Town of Houlton School District." (H. P. 120) (L. D. 164) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

The Committee on State Government on Bill, "An Act Relating to Prohibition of Discrimination Under Personnel Law." (H. P. 130) (L. D. 173) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

The Committee on State Government on Bill, "An Act Changing Name of Maine State Park Commission to Maine State Park and Recreation Commission. (H. P. 132) (L. D. 175) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

The Committee on Taxation on Bill, "An Act Imposing a Tax on the Unorganized Territory within the Maine Forestry District for Spruce Budworm Control." (H. P. 134) (L. D. 177) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Resolve, Regulating Taking of Smelts from Mu & Lake, Aroostook County. (H. P. 43) (L. D. 66) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which reports were read and accepted in concurrence, the Bills and Resolve read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

House — Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act to Incorporate the 'Fundy Loan Company." (H. P. 91) (L. D. 135) reported that the same Ought to Pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-4)

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence and the billread once. Committee Amendment "A" was read and adopted in concurrence and the bill, as amended, tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Senate — Ought to Pass

Mr. Brooks from the Committee on Education on Bill, "An Act Relating to Issuing of Bonds by School Administrative Districts." (S. P. 51) (L. D. 101) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Mr. Hichborn from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Placing Vocational Teachers in Unclassified Service." (S. P. 53) (L. D. 103) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Mr. Johnson from the Committee on Transportation on Bill, "An Act Relating to Initial Motor Vehicle Registration Plates." (S. P. 84) (L. D. 191) reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which reports were read and accepted, the bills read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Senate — Ought to Pass in New Draft — Same Title

Mr. Brooks from the Committee on Education on Bill, "An Act to Clarify the Procedure for the Dissolution of School Administrative Districts." (S. P. 132) (L. D. 419) reported that the same Ought to Pass in a New Draft under the same title, (S. P. 347) (L. D. 777)

Which report was read and accepted, the bill read once, in new draft, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Senate — Ought to Pass As Amended

Mr. Whittaker from the Committee on State Government on Bill, "An Act Authorizing Maine Forestry Department to Accept Federal Funds. (S. P. 69) (L. D. 119) reported that the same Ought to Pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-4)

Which report was read and accepted and the bill read once. Committee Amendment "A" was read and adopted, and the bill as amended tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Passed to Be Engrossed

The Committee on Bills in the Second reading reported the following bills and resolves:

House

Resolve, Regulating Ice Fishing on Drew Lake, Aroostook County. (H. P. 44) (L. D. 67)

Resolve Regulating Fishing on Tim Pond and Mud Pond, Franklin County. (H. P. 48) (L. D. 71) Resolve Relating to Black Bass Fishing in Certain Kennebec County Waters. (H. P. 49) (L. D. 72)

Which were read a second time and Passed to Be Engrossed in concurrence.

House — As Amended

Bill, "An Act Providing a State Wide Limit on Certain Fish." (H. P. 33) (L. D. 57) Bill, "An Act Permitting Separate Ballot Boxes for Votes on Constitutional Amendments and Referendums." (H. P. 29) (L. D. 53)

Which were read a second time and Passed to Be Engrossed as amended in concurrence.

Senate

Bill, "An Act Requiring Information from Banks for Division of Veterans Affairs." (S. P. 76) (L. D. 184)

Resolve Opening St. Georges and Little St. Georges Lakes, Waldo County, to Ice Fishing. (S. P. 59) (L. D. 109) Bill, "An Act Relating to Rules

Bill, "An Act Relating to Rules and Regulations in Fishing." (S. P. 60) (L. D. 110)

60) (L. D. 110) Bill, "An Act Permitting Credit Sales for Liquor to be Consumed on the Premises." (S. P. 8) (L. D. 18)

Which were severally read a second time and Passed to Be Engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Orders of the Day

Mr. COLE of Waldo: Mr. President, may I inquire if L. D. 645, being Bill "An Act authorizing Main e-New Hampshire Interstate Bridge Authority to Prepare Plans for Construction of an Additional Bridge and Approaches connecting Portsmouth, New Hampshire with Kittery Maine" is in the possession of the Senate?

The PRESIDENT: The Chair will inform the Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole, that it is, having been so requested by the Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole.

Mr. COLE: Mr. President: I now move that we reconsider our action whereby this was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole, moves that on L. D. 645, H. P. 440 the Senate reconsider its action whereby it was referred to the Committee on Judiciary. The Chair recognizes the Senator from York, Senator Lovell.

Mr. LOVELL of York: Mr. President and members of the Senate: I hate to differ with the good Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole, but this has actually very little to do with the building of roads. It seems to me it is a matter that should go before the Judiciary Committee, which it did, according to my understanding, two years ago and has in the past.

I would like to pose a question through the Chair to the Chairman of the Judiciary Committee: Is that not correct?

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from York, Senator Lovell, poses a question through the Chair to the Senator from Kennebec, Senator Farris, who may answer if he chooses.

Mr. FARRIS of Kennebec: Mr. President, it is my understanding that two years ago the bill was before the Committee on Judiciary, but prior to that I have no knowledge.

Mr. COLE of Waldo: Mr. President, the Highway Committee now has before it another bill, L. D. 108, which is a companion bill to this one and which has already been heard, it being "An Act Relating to Construction of a Bridge to Span the Piscataqua River from Kittery, Maine to Portsmouth, New Hampshire." It would seem to me that if we are to be consistent with the Committee on Reference of Bills on their reference of bills we certainly should reconsider this one and it certainly should go to the Committee on Highways along with the other one.

Mr. LOVELL of York: Mr. President, the fact we might have a mistake on the other one in my opinion would be no reason for the Senate to make a mistake again. It seems to me that this is a Judiciary affair, if you will glance at the bill, and I would request a division on the motion to reconsider.

Mr. EDMUNDS of Aroostook: Mr. President, in support of the remarks made by the Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole, may I say that the Committee on Reference of Bills very carefully considered the committee to which this particular piece of legislation should be referred, as was the case also in a companion bill, and we feel it should properly be referred to the Joint Select Committee on Highways.

The PRESIDENT: The question before the Senate is on the motion

of the Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole, that on L. D. 645, H. P. 440 the reference of this bill to the Committee on Judiciary be reconsidered. Having voted on the prevailing side, the Senator is in order. Is there further debate?

If not, a division having been requested, all those in favor of the motion for reconsideration by the Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole, will now rise and stand in their places until counted.

A division was had.

Twenty-three having voted in the affirmative and five in the negative the motion prevailed and reconsideration was voted.

On further motion by Mr. Cole of Waldo the bill was referred to the Joint Committee on Highways in concurrence.

Mr. COLE of Waldo: Mr. President, may I inquire if bill, "An Act Extending the Powers of the M a in e-New Hampshire Interstate Bridge Authority" (H. P. 439) (L. D. 644) is in the possession of the Senate?

The PRESIDENT: The Chair will state that it is, having been held at the request of the Senator from Waldo, Senator Cole.

Mr. COLE: Mr. President, I now move that the Senate reconsider its action whereby this was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Mr. LOVELL of York: Mr. President, I move that the bill be tabled until later in the day.

Mr. EDMUNDS of Åroostook: Mr. President. I request a division.

A division of the Senate was had.

Five having voted in the affirmative and twenty-three opposed, the motion to table did not prevail.

Thereupon, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was referred to the Committee on Judiciary; and on further motion by Mr. Cole of Waldo, the bill was referred to the Committee on Highways in concurrence.

The President laid before the Senate the first tabled item especially assigned for today, (H. P. 387) (L. D. 586) Bill, "An Act to Create the Georges Valley Community School District", tabled on January 30 by Senator Stilphen of Knox pending reference, and on further motion by that Senator, the bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

The President laid before the Senate the 2nd tabled and today assigned item (S. P. 303) Joint Order Relative to Creating an Interim Joint Committee to Study the Functioning of the Department of Economic Development, tabled January 30 by Senator Edmunds of Aroostook pending passage; and that Senator presented Senate A m e n dment A. Which amendment (reproduced as S-3) was read and adopted, and the Order as so amended was passed.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Campbell of Kennebec, the Senate voted to take from the table Bill, "An Act Relating to the Joint Bank Account Law and the Inheritance Taxation of Joint Bank Accounts" (H. P. 539) (L. D. 756) tabled by that Senator earlier in today's session pending reference to a committee.

Mr. CAMPBELL of Kennebec: Mr. President, I honestly believe that the subject matter of this bill is something that is appropriate for consideration by the Judiciary Committee, and having checked with the leadership and the Chairman of the Legal Affairs Committee, I now move that this bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary in nonconcurrence.

The motion prevailed. Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take from the table Bill, "An Act Relating to General Penalty for Violation of the Insurance Laws" (S. P. 318) tabled by that Senator earlier in today's session pending motion by Mr. Brown of Hancock that the bill be referred to the Committee on Business Legislation; and Mr. Edmunds moved the pending question.

Thereupon, the bill was referred to the Committee on Business Legislation in non-concurrence

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Brown of Hancock, the Senate voted to take from the table Tabled Item 3 (H. P. 5) (L. D. 11) Resolve Regulating Salmon Fishing in Tunk Lake, Hancock County and Nahmakanta Lake, Piscataquis County, tabled on January 30 by Senator Brown of Hancock pending assignment for second reading; and that Senator presented Senate Amendment A and moved its adoption.

Which amendment was read and adopted, and the resolve as so amended was tomorrow assigned for second reading.

On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook

Adjourned until Tuesday next at 10:00 A.M.

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