

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE

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**SENATE**

Thursday, February 28, 1963

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. Royal Brown of Gardiner.

On motion by Mr. Porteous of Cumberland, the Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Out of order and under suspension of the rules, Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook presented

**Joint Order**

Ordered, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet on Tuesday, March 5th at ten o'clock in the morning. (S. P. 522)

Which was read and passed.

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

**Paper from the House  
Non-concurrent matter**

Bill, "An Act Relating to Power of Eminent Domain of Maine State Park Commission." (S. P. 77) (L. D. 185)

In Senate, February 13, passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

Comes from the House recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary in non-concurrence.

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

**Committee Reports**

**House — Ought Not to Pass**

The Committee on Claims on Resolve, In Favor of Carroll Beal of Skowhegan. (H. P. 198) (L. D. 267) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

**House — Recommended**

The Committee on Labor on Bill, "An Act Relating to Employment of Minors Under Eighteen Years of Age." (H. P. 377) (L. D. 552) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Comes from the House, recommitted to the Committee on Labor.

In the Senate, recommitted to the Committee on Labor in concurrence.

The Committee on Claims on Resolve, Reimbursing Town of Med-

way for Certain Pauper Relief. (H. P. 192) (L. D. 261) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Comes from the House, Recommended to the Committee on Claims.

In the Senate recommitted to the Committee on Claims in concurrence.

**House — Ought to Pass**

The Committee on Highways on Resolve, Providing Funds for Wind-breaker on Bridge Between Old Town and Indian Island. (H. P. 443) (L. D. 648) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The Committee on Industrial and Recreational Development on Bill, "An Act Authorizing Bureau of Public Improvements to Study Desirability of a Dam Across Taunton River." (H. P. 331) (L. D. 458) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Resolve, Regulating Fishing on Part of Kennebec River, Somerset County. (H. P. 373) (L. D. 546) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Mill Brook, Hanover, Oxford County. (H. P. 533) (L. D. 750) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The Committee on Municipal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Increasing Indebtedness of Town of Fairfield School District." (H. P. 158) (L. D. 331) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Election of Constables in City of Portland." (H. P. 388) (L. D. 587) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Providing for Approval of Bonds or Notes at Special Elections in City of Saco." (H. P. 474) (L. D. 677) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Amending Charter of City of Portland Concerning Rotation of Candidates' Names on Ballots." (H. P. 481) (L. D. 684) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act to Provide Survivor Benefits for Certain Members of the Police and Fire Department of City of Port-

land." (H. P. 483) (L. D. 685) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The Committee on Public Utilities on Bill, "An Act Increasing Territorial Limits of Presque Isle Sewer District." (H. P. 166) (L. D. 215) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Creating a Sewer District in the Town of Corinna." (H. P. 394) (L. D. 593) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act to Incorporate the Stonington Water District." (H. P. 395) (L. D. 594) reported that the same Ought to pass.

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

#### House — Ought to Pass — Amended

The Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Establishing an Insurance Adviser's License." (H-56) (H. P. 624) (L. D. 880) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Comes from the House passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment A.

In the Senate, the report was read and accepted, the bill read once, House Amendment A read and adopted, and on motion by Mr. Farris of Kennebec, the bill was tabled pending assignment for second reading.

The Committee on State Government on Resolve, Authorizing Park Commission to Convey Certain Land to the Town of Cape Elizabeth. (H. P. 510) (L. D. 712) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Comes from the House passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A".

In the Senate, the report was read and accepted, the bill read once, House Amendment A read and adopted and the bill as amended tomorrow assigned for second reading.

#### House — Ought to Pass — As Amended by Committee Amendments "A"

The Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Bill, "An Act Appropriating Funds for Reno-

vation of Buildings and Purchase of Equipment at Northeastern Maine Vocational Institute." (H. P. 173) (L. D. 242) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A."

Which report was read and accepted, the bill read once and Committee Amendment A was read.

Mr. LOVELL of York: Mr. President, I move that the bill be tabled.

Mr. EDMUNDS of Aroostook: Mr. President, I ask for a division.

A division of the Senate was had.

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

Thereupon, on motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, Committee Amendment A was adopted and under suspension of the rules, the bill was read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Certain Waters in Piscataquis County. (H. P. 213) (L. D. 282) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-28)

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Size of Salmon taken from Waters of Aroostook County." (H. P. 281) (L. D. 375) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-58)

The same Committee on Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Certain Waters of Aroostook County. (H. P. 453) (L. D. 657) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-60)

The same Committee on Resolve, Regulating Bass Fishing in Jones Pond, Hancock County. (H. P. 594) (L. D. 832) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-59)

The Committee on Judiciary on Resolve, Authorizing Amanda Moreau to Bring Action Against the State of Maine. (H. P. 112) (L. D. 156) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-61)

The Committee on Labor on Bill, "An Act Revising the Maine Voluntary Apprenticeship Law." (H. P. 340) (L. D. 497) reported that the

same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-62)

The Committee on Public Utilities on Bill, "An Act Increasing Indebtedness of Mexico Sewer District." (H. P. 393) (L. D. 592) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-63)

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The Committee on Retirements and Pensions on Resolve Correcting Designation of Beneficiary of Mary M. Hanks Under Maine State Retirement System. (H. P. 500) (L. D. 702) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-64)

The Committee on Welfare on Bill, 'An Act Increasing Funeral Allowance in Public Assistance Cases.' (H. P. 560) (L. D. 775) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-65)

(On motion by Mr. Porteous of Cumberland, tabled pending acceptance of the report.)

Which reports were read and accepted in concurrence. C o m m i t t e e Amendments "A" were read and adopted in concurrence, and the Bills and Resolves, as amended, were read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

**House — Ought to Pass As Amended by Com. Amend. "A" and further amended by House Amendment "A".**

The Committee on Municipal Affairs on Bill, "An Act to Incorporate the Town of Winterport School District." (H. P. 160) (L. D. 210) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A". (H-48)

Came from the House passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A" and by House Amendment "A".

In Senate, report read and accepted in concurrence, C o m m i t t e e Amendment "A" and H o u s e Amendment "A" read and adopted in concurrence, and on motion by Mr. Brooks of Cumberland, the rules were suspended, the bill read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

**House — Ought to Pass — New Draft**

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill, "An Act Relating to False Report of Deposit of Bombs or Other Infernal Devices." (H. P. 220) (L. D. 289) reported that the same Ought to pass in New Draft under same title, (H. P. 981) (L. D. 1420)

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

The Committee on Taxation on Bill, "An Act Exempting Proceeds of Pension and Profit Sharing Plans from Inheritance Tax Law." (H. P. 7) (L. D. 13) reported that the same Ought to pass in New Draft under same title, (H. P. 983) (L. D. 1422)

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence, the Bill in New Draft read once and on motion by Mr. Farris of Kennebec, the bill was laid upon the table pending assignment for second reading.

**Majority — Ought Not to Pass  
Minority — Ought to Pass**

The Majority of the Committee on Education on Bill, "An Act Relating to Accreditation of Secondary Schools." (H. P. 23) (L. D. 47)

reported that the same Ought not to pass.

(Signed)

Senators:

BROOKS of Cumberland  
WHITTAKER of Penobscot  
HICHBORN of Piscataquis

Representatives:

McGEE of Auburn  
TREWORGY of Gorham  
LEVESQUE of Madawaska  
BRADEEN of Waterboro

The Minority of the same committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought to pass.

(Signed)

Representatives:

EASTON of Winterport  
SNOW of Jonesboro  
CURTIS of Bowdoinham

Comes from the House, Majority Ought not to pass report read and accepted.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Stitham of Somerset, tabled pending acceptance of either report.

#### Senate — Referred to the 102nd Legislature

Mr. Brown from the Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Relating to Continuity of Management of Insurance Companies." (S. P. 288) (L. D. 861) reported that the same should be referred to the 102nd Legislature.

#### Senate — Leave to Withdraw

Mr. Stitham from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Relating to Open Season for Fishing During Month of October in Washington County." (S. P. 361) (L. D. 1027) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

#### Senate — Ought Not to Pass

Mrs. Sproul from the Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Relating to General Penalty for Violation of the Insurance Laws." (S. P. 318) (L. D. 984) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Mrs. Christie from the Committee on Liquor Control on Bill, "An Act Permitting Sale of Liquor in Hotels and Motels in Certain Municipalities." (S. P. 279) (L. D. 793) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Which reports were read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Senate — Referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs

Mr. Farris from the Committee on Judiciary on the following Bills:

Bill, "An Act Relating to Compensation and Expenses of Out-of-State Witnesses in Criminal Cases." (S. P. 321) (L. D. 987)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Penalty for Violation of Liquor Laws." (S. P. 389) (L. D. 1902)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Restraint of Vicious Dogs." (S. P. 325) (L. D. 1168)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Placing Objects on Utility Poles Without Consent." (S. P. 450) (L. D. 1279)

Bill, "An Act Requiring Liability Insurance for Liquor Licensees." (S. P. 454) (L. D. 1281)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Interference or Destruction of Transit Points and Monuments." (S. P. 474) (L. D. 1326)

Bill, "An Act Providing for Permanent Identification Cards to be Issued by the Secretary of State." (S. P. 475) (L. D. 1327) reported that the same should all be referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Which reports were read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Senate — Ought to Pass

Mr. Wyman from the Committee on Towns and Counties on Bill, "An Act Relating to Time of Salary Payments to County Commissioners." (S. P. 284) (L. D. 798) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Senator from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Municipal Forest Fire Suppression Costs." (S. P. 408) (L. D. 1111) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Mr. Pike from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Lapsing of Funds Appropriated to Construct a Fishway at Aroostook Falls." (S. P. 163) (L. D. 439) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Mrs. Sproul from the Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Relating to Insurance for U-

Drive Motor Vehicles." (S. P. 351) (L. D. 1017) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Senator from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Capital Stock of Industrial Banks." (S. P. 352) (L. D. 1018) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Mr. Johnson from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Participation Loans, Other than Real Estate, by Savings Banks." (S. P. 357) (L. D. 1023) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Mr. Jacques from the Committee on Liquor Control on Bill, "An Act Providing for Adult Identification Cards Under Liquor Law." (S. P. 300) (L. D. 873) reported that the same Ought to pass.

The same Senator from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Providing for Issuance of Warnings to Licensees for Liquor Violations." (S. P. 329) (L. D. 994) 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 As Amended by Committee Amendment "A"**

Mr. Johnson from the Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Revising the Savings and Loan Laws." (S. P. 350) (L. D. 1016) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-37)

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

**Senate — Ought to Pass — New Draft — New Title**

Mr. Pike from the Committee on Towns and Counties on Bill, "An Act Permitting County Funds for Buildings for Education Programs for Retarded Children." (S. P. 341) (L. D. 1006) reported that the same Ought to pass in New Draft under a new title: An Act Providing for Oxford County Funds for Buildings for Education Programs for Retarded Children. (S. P. 521) (L. D. 1429)

Which report was read and accepted, the Bill in New Draft was read once and on motion by Mr. Ferguson of Oxford, under suspension of the rules, the bill was read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

**Majority — Ought to Pass As Amended  
Minority — Ought Not to Pass**

The Majority of the Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Relating to Sale of Negotiable Checks and Money Orders." (S. P. 354) (L. D. 1020) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-39)

(Signed)  
Senators:

BROWN of Hancock  
JOHNSON of Somerset  
SPOUL of Lincoln

Representatives:

MacLEOD of Brewer  
VAUGHN of Peru  
WATKINS of Windham  
OBERG of Bridgton

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought not to pass.

(Signed)

Representatives:

BLOUIN of Sanford  
SCOTT of Wilton  
KARKOS of Lisbon Falls

On motion by Mr. Brown of Hancock, the Majority Report Ought to Pass as amended was accepted, the bill read once, Committee Amendment A 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**

Bill, "An Act to Authorize the Municipalities of Frenchville and St. Agatha to Form a School Administrative District." (H. P. 434) (L. D. 639)

Bill, "An Act Repealing Provisions of State Election Laws Concerning

Island Wards of City of Portland." (H. P. 726) (L. D. 1055)

Resolve, for Removal of Old Bridge Across Mattawamkeag River in Haynesville. (H. P. 278) (L. D. 372)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing for Bass in Nequasset Pond, Sagadahoc County. (H. P. 290) (L. D. 384)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing on Part of Moose River, Somerset County. (H. P. 374) (L. D. 547)

Resolve, Regulating Ice Fishing in Great Pond, Cumberland County. (H. P. 350) (L. D. 654)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Cross Lake, Aroostook County. (H. P. 454) (L. D. 658)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Tingley Brook and Tributary, Jose Brook, Kennebec County. (H. P. 460) (L. D. 664)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in First Chase Lake, Aroostook County. (H. P. 461) (L. D. 665)

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

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

Bill, "An Act Relating to Open Fishing Season in Cumberland, Oxford and York Counties." (H. P. 650) (L. D. 906)

(Which was read a second time, and Mr. Stiphen of Knox presented Senate Amendment A. Which amendment was read and adopted and the bill was passed to be engrossed in non-concurrence. Sent down for concurrence.)

Resolve, in Favor of Certain Inhabitants of Webster Plantation Penobscot County. (H. P. 402) (L. D. 601)

Bill, "An Act Clarifying Payment of Salaries of County Attorneys." (H. P. 506) (L. D. 708)

Bill, "An Act Changing Name of Division of Veterans Affairs to Department of Veterans Services." (H. P. 507) (L. D. 709)

Resolve, Authorizing the Maine Defense Commission to Convey Certain Land in Presque Isle. (H. P. 511) (L. D. 713)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Definition of Domestic Fowl for Tax Purposes." (H. P. 255) (L. D. 324)

Bill, "An Act Requiring State and Municipal Consultation on Aid to

Dependent Children." (H. P. 621) (L. D. 856)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Services for the Blind." (H. P. 713) (L. D. 969)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Age Requirement for Aid to the Disabled." (H. P. 714) (L. D. 970)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Federal Matching of Public Assistance Funds." (H. P. 715) (L. D. 971)

Which were read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

#### House — As Amended by Committee Amendments "A"

Resolve, in Favor of Pauline G. Thompson of York. (H-45) (H. P. 426) (L. D. 579)

Resolve, in Favor of Mrs. A s a Averill of Belgrade. (H-46) (H. P. 427) (L. D. 580)

Resolve, in Favor of John Brewer of Peru. (H-44) (H. P. 428) (L. D. 633)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Chain of Ponds, Franklin County. (H-47) (H. P. 530) (L. D. 747)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Definition of "Construction" Under Construction Safety Rules and Regulations." (H-23) (H. P. 114) (L. D. 158)

Bill, "An Act Increasing the Indebtedness of the Town of Machias School District by Fifty Thousand Dollars." (H-49) (H. P. 239) (L. D. 307)

Bill, "An Act Increasing Indebtedness of Baileyville School District." (H-50) (H. P. 345) (L. D. 500)

Resolve, Authorizing Treasurer of State to Convey Certain Land in Southport to Izetta M. Pinkham (H. P. 133) (L. D. 176)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Sick Leave and Vacations for Employees of Sheriffs' Departments." (H-54) (H. P. 137) (L. D. 180)

Which were read a second time and passed to be engrossed as amended, in concurrence.

#### Senate

Bill, "An Act Creating a Bureau of Corrections Within Department of Mental Health and Corrections." (S. P. 124) (L. D. 351)

Bill, "An Act to Revise the Election Laws." (S. P. 518) (L. D.



1425) New Draft of S. P. 54, L. D. 104

Which were read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

**Senate — As Amended**

Bill, "An Act Relating to Confering Degrees by Thomas College." (S-32) (S. P. 175) (L. D. 474)

Bill, "An Act Repealing the Teaching of Military Tactics at the University of Maine." (S. P. 245) (L. D. 619)

Which were read a second time and passed to be engrossed, as amended by Committee Amendments "A".

Sent down for concurrence.

**Enactors**

**The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as truly and strictly engrossed the following Bills and Resolves:**

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

Bill, "An Act Relating to Testamentary Additions to Trusts." (S. P. 37) (L. D. 30)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Penalty for Conveyance of Land in Plats without Approval." (S. P. 109) (L. D. 337)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Weights and Measures of Commodities." (S. P. 132) (L. D. 410)

(On motion by Mr. Farris of Kennebec, tabled pending enactment)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Retirement Benefits for Members of the Lewiston Police Department and Members of the Lewiston Fire Department and Pensions for Their Beneficiaries." (S. P. 185) (L. D. 484)

Bill, "An Act Amending the Criminal Sanctions Provisions of the Banking Law." (S. P. 213) (L. D. 523)

Bill, "An Act to Incorporate 'The Maine Association of Life Underwriters, Incorporated.'" (S. P. 238) (L. D. 612)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Duties and Compensation of Council of Town of Oakland." (H. P. 4) (L. D. 24)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Method of Taking Smelts in Fish River

Chain of Lakes, Aroostook County." (H. P. 37) (L. D. 60)

Bill, "An Act Revising Laws Relating to Panel of Mediators." (H. P. 113) (L. D. 157)

(On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, tabled pending enactment.)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Organization of Police Department of City of Lewiston." (H. P. 238) (L. D. 306)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Property Tax Appeals." (H. P. 353) (L. D. 604)

Bill, "An Act to Incorporate Elco Acceptance Corporation." (H. P. 362) (L. D. 535)

Bill, "An Act to Incorporate the Domestic Acceptance Corporation." (H. P. 363) (L. D. 536)

Bill, "An Act Prohibiting Anchored Boats in Earley Salmon Pool, Piscataquis County." (H. P. 445) (L. D. 650)

Which Bills were passed to be enacted.

Resolve, Regulating Salmon Fishing in Tunk Lake, Hancock County and Nahmakanta Lake, Piscataquis County. (H. P. 5) (L. D. 11)

(On motion by Mr. Wyman of Washington, tabled pending enactment.)

Resolve, Granting World War I Bonus to Albert C. Lorentzen of Portland. (H. P. 195) (L. D. 264)

(On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending enactment.)

Resolve, Regulating Ice Fishing in Mill Privilege Lake, Carroll and T. 5, R. 1, Penobscot County. (H. P. 209) (L. D. 278)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Fifth Debsconeag Lake, Piscataquis County. (H. P. 211) (L. D. 280)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Moosehead Lake, Somerset and Piscataquis Counties. (H. P. 215) (L. D. 284)

Resolve, in Favor of Edwin C. Chick of Norway. (H. P. 268) (L. D. 362)

(On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending enactment.)

Resolve, Correcting Errors in Certain Fish and Game Resolves. (H. P. 288) (L. D. 382)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing on Part of Roach River, Piscataquis County. (H. P. 375) (L. D. 548)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing on Part of Kennebec River, Piscataquis County and Somerset County. (H. P. 376) (L. D. 549)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Middle Branch Pond, Piscataquis County. (H. P. 458) (L. D. 662)

Resolve, Regulating Fishing in Dow Pond, Piscataquis County.

Which Resolves were finally passed.

#### Emergency

Resolve, Providing Industrial Accident Payments to Mrs. Jeanne T. Smith of Thomaston. (S. P. 32) (L. D. 26)

On motion by Mr. Edmunds of Aroostook, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending enactment.

#### Orders of the Day

On motion by Mr. Wyman of Washington, the Senate voted to take from the table the 25th tabled and unassigned item (H. P. 308) (L. D. 401) bill, "An Act to Correct Errors and Omissions in the Public Laws Relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries"; tabled on February 21st by that Senator pending enactment.

Mr. WYMAN of Washington: Mr. President and members of the Senate: This bill disturbs me. It is under the title of "An Act to correct errors and omissions in the Public Laws relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries", yet in one section it provides that when a fisherman, a lobster fisherman or a crab fisherman is convicted in the lower court and appeals the conviction, that the Commissioner may suspend his license or his right to obtain such license until the case has finally been heard in a higher court.

It would seem to me that in such a case it would be possible for a fisherman to have his license suspended perhaps during a whole summer, to lose his work during the summer, and then perhaps to be found not guilty. Further, it seems to me that a provision of this nature should be in a separate bill and should be given a full hearing. Therefore, I present Senate Amend-

ment "A" and move its adoption. This amendment would delete that section from this L. D. 401.

On motion by Mr. Wyman of Washington the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed; and on further motion by the same Senator, Senate Amendment A (S-43) was read and adopted and the bill as amended was passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Farris of Kennebec, the Senate voted to take from the table Item 6-31 on page 4 of today's calendar, Bill "An Act Exempting Proceeds of Pension and Profit Sharing Plans from Inheritance Tax Law" (H. P. 7) (L. D. 13); tabled by that Senator earlier in today's session pending assignment for second reading; and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Mr. Johnson of Somerset was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate.

Mr. JOHNSON: Mr. President and members of the Senate: I would like to call your attention to the Food Section of the Miami News, which I believe was on your desks this morning.

Week before last, Representative Littlefield and myself went to Miami to observe, as guests of the Department of Economic Development. There were no restrictions placed upon our travel in any way, shape or form in regard to attending any other affairs, but, being good legislators — and particularly Mr. Littlefield is a very conscientious legislator — we did our job. We went to the Boat Show and observed, and we would like to report back that the first day of the Boat Show 32,000 people passed the Maine booth there. I have been to boat shows in many places and this was probably the best show that I have ever seen. There were many people that asked questions about Maine, indicating a desire to come up here.

I would like to refer again to this page here. There was no accident in the fact that it was in this news-

paper. It took a great deal of planning, long-range work, we will say, and the dedicated effort of several members of the Department of Economic Development.

The dinner that we attended for newspaper men and others was attended by our Governor, who did an excellent job on selling the State. It was on television and radio that night, as well as in other newspapers. Of course all this was free.

I hope you have read this column. It talks about Maine lobster, it talks about Maine peas, it talks about Maine potatoes, and it talks about Maine apples, and there may be some other items in there. The circulation of this paper is approximately 150,000 copies.

These people in Florida, as you know, are people who come there from all over the world. I would commend the Department of Economic Development for their effort and their time and their duty that they did on this operation. Of course

some of you will say that we were brain-washed a little bit, but I would like to say that they stayed away from us as though we had the plague. What we did find out we were very pleased with and perhaps a little bit surprised. We also went down with the idea that we were going to see some of these good-looking women in Florida—we had seen them in newspapers and on television and in motorboat manuals, but we came back with the idea that Maine has the most beautiful women in the country.

I would like to thank the Senate for giving me this privilege of going down. As I say, the DED did an excellent job with the little dollars they were able to use for this proposition. Thank you. (Applause)

The PRESIDENT: The Chair thanks the Senator.

The adjournment order having been received from the House, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 A.M. Tuesday next.