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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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HOUSE

Thursday, March 25, 1971

The House met according to adjournment and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Herbert Reid of Fairfield.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Orestis of Lewiston was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. ORESTIS: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: It is with great pride that I rise to note a special day in the hearts of many Maine citizens. Today is the 150th anniversary of the Greek Proclamation of Independence.

Maine's Greek citizens throughout the state are marking this day as an event never to be forgotten. Throughout the state, Greek families and the various Greek Orthodox communities are celebrating this day with appropriate services.

As the only member of this House of Greek descent it is a pleasure to bring this to your attention. Yesterday, I was happy to gather with Greek citizens from all over the state in the Governor's office for the signing of a proclamation honoring this day, and I wish to take this opportunity to read it to you:

"State of Maine
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, March 25, 1971 is the 150th anniversary of the proclamation of freedom of Greece, and the beginning of the nation's struggle for independence; and

WHEREAS, Greece, a nation small in physical size, has been a veritable giant in the legacy of civilization which it has given to the world. In the annals of democracy and culture, there are few names greater than the Greek names of Plato and Aristotle, Euclid and Phidias, Sophocles and Homer, Demosthenes and Pericles; and

WHEREAS the struggles for Greece for liberty were made from early times against a background of beauty in line, thought and

sound seldom again equalled by man; and

WHEREAS, since in the nineteenth century, and again in the twentieth, the Greek people struggled against tyranny and oppression with a yearning for liberty and Independence closely akin to that yearning which prompted this nation to throw off the yoke of oppression; and

WHEREAS, since today Americans of Greek blood or birth are continuing their tradition of leadership, and are enriching our nation and our state by their activities, both as individual citizens and through their church, fraternal service, veteran and other organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Greek Orthodox communities of the State of Maine have decided to commemorate this important occasion with ecclesiastical rites and with appropriate programs in the respective communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I Kenneth M. Curtis, Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby proclaim March 25, 1971, as

GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY in the State of Maine and urge its fitting observance by our citizens, as an expression of our appreciation of Greek contributions to liberty and the arts.

Given at the office of the Governor at Augusta, and sealed with the Great Seal of the State of Maine, this Eighteenth day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-one, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the One Hundred and Ninety-fifth.

(Seal)

KENNETH M. CURTIS
By the Governor

(Signed)

Joseph T. Edgar
Secretary of State"

And this proclamation was given in the office of the Governor yesterday, and it is with great pride that the citizens of the Greek Orthodox Church and of Greek descent in birth in Maine celebrate this day. And they take pride in both being citizens of

Maine and citizens by descent of the nation of Greece.

Thank you for your attention.

Papers from the Senate

From the Senate: The following Joint Resolution:

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the Legislature to protect and preserve the natural resources of the State; and

WHEREAS, the youth of this State constitute one of its most valuable natural resources; and

WHEREAS, Mark Rosebush of East Millinocket, a senior at Schenck High School has never received a grade lower than 91 during his high school scholastic career, was recently selected valedictorian of his graduating class, with a 95+ average, co-captained the Schenck Wolverines to the Class B State Basketball Championship, and has been selected as a high school basketball All-American; and

WHEREAS, this young man represents the finest scholastic, athletic and personal attributes of Maine youth; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the Senate and House of Representatives of the 105th Legislature, recognizing in Mark Rosebush of East Millinocket an outstanding representative of Maine's youth, do hereby declare him, the said Mark Rosebush, a natural resource of the State of Maine; and be it further

RESOLVED: That a copy of this Resolution, duly authenticated by the Secretary of State, be transmitted forthwith to Mark Rosebush, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rosebush, Mark's parents and to Kenneth Nelson, Principal of Schenck High School. (S. P. 520)

Came from the Senate read and adopted.

In the House, the Joint Resolution was read and adopted in concurrence.

From the Senate: The following Communication: (S. P. 519)

THE SENATE OF MAINE

Augusta, Maine

March 3, 1971

To the Honorable President of the Senate and the Honorable

Speaker of the House of the 105th Legislature
Gentlemen:

I am honored to report that pursuant to Joint Order S. P. 247 I have appointed the following four interns to assist the Joint Standing Committees in research projects during the regular session of the 105th Legislature.

Theresa A. Berry
108 Danforth Street
Portland, Maine 04111

Stephen V. Callahan
273 Bradley Street
Saco, Maine 04072

Mrs. Georgia W. Lamb
RFD #2
South Windham, Maine 04082

Pierre M. Marier
12 King Street
Westbrook, Maine 04092

Sincerely,

(Signed)

Harry N. Starbranch
Chief Committee Clerk
105th Legislature

Came from the Senate read and ordered placed on file.

In the House, the Communication was read and ordered placed on file in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act Providing for Full-time District Attorneys" (S. P. 456) (L. D. 1407)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on State Government.

In the House, referred to the Committee on State Government in concurrence.

Reports of Committees Ought Not to Pass

Covered By Other Legislation

Report of the Committee on Education on Bill "An Act relating to Approval of Schools at an Excessive Distance from Other Facilities" (S. P. 189) (L. D. 550) reporting "Ought not to pass," as covered by other legislation.

In accordance with Joint Rule 17-A, was placed in the legislative files.

Ought to Pass in New Draft

Report of the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife on Bill "An

Act to Clarify Law Relating to Experiments on Polluted Shellfish" (S. P. 191) (L. D. 552) reporting same in a new draft (S. P. 513) (L. D. 1370) under title of "An Act to Prohibit the Importing and Introduction to our Coastal Waters of any Uncertified Marine Species" and that it "Ought to pass"

Came from the Senate with the Report and Bill recommitted to the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife.

In the House, the Report was read and accepted in non-concurrence, the New Draft read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Report of the Committee on Fisheries and Wildlife on Bill "An Act relating to Weight and Number of Whitefish Taken from Waters of the State" (S. P. 175) (L. D. 527) reporting same in a new draft (S. P. 512) (L. D. 1369) under title of "An Act relating to Number of Whitefish Taken from Waters of the State" and that it "Ought to pass"

Report of the Committee on State Government on Bill "An Act relating to Legislative Ethics" (S. P. 11) (L. D. 39) reporting same in a new draft (S. P. 511) (L. D. 1368) under same title and that it "Ought to pass"

Report of the Committee on State Government on Bill "An Act to Place the State Department of Audit under the Legislative Research Committee" (S. P. 182) (L. D. 534) reporting same in a new draft (S. P. 514) (L. D. 1371) under title of "An Act relating to the Administration of the Department of Audit" and that it "Ought to pass"

Came from the Senate with the Reports read and accepted and the New Drafts passed to be engrossed.

In the House, the Reports were read and accepted in concurrence, the New Drafts read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Ought to Pass

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act Changing the Name of Maine State As-

sociation of Plumbing Contractors, Inc." (S. P. 234) (L. D. 696)

Report of the Committee on State Government reporting same on Bill "An Act to Establish a Maine Library Advisory Committee" (S. P. 263) (L. D. 769)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to Statement Setting Forth the Total Necessary to Retire All Outstanding Bonds on Ballots for Bond Issues" (S. P. 282) (L. D. 838)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to Temporary Loans by State" (S. P. 283) (L. D. 839)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act Continuing the Maine Cultural Building Authority" (S. P. 348) (L. D. 1016)

Came from the Senate with the Reports read and accepted and the Bills passed to be engrossed.

In the House, the Reports were read and accepted in concurrence, the Bills read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Ought to Pass with Committee Amendment

Report of the Committee on Education on Bill "An Act relating to the Testing of Vision and Hearing for School Pupils" (S. P. 271) (L. D. 799) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-36) submitted therewith.

Report of the Committee on Public Utilities on Bill "An Act Creating the Kennebec Sanitary Treatment District" (S. P. 309) (L. D. 953) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-38) submitted therewith.

Came from the Senate with the Reports read and accepted and the Bills passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

In the House, the Reports were read and accepted in concurrence and the Bills read twice. Committee Amendment "A" to each was read by the Clerk and adopted in concurrence, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of the Bills.

**Non-Concurrent Matter
Tabled Later in the Day**

Bill "An Act relating to Definition of Class A Restaurant under Liquor Laws" (H. P. 302) (L. D. 402) which was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" in the House on March 10.

Came from the Senate with House Amendment "A" indefinitely postponed and the Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

In the House: On motion of Mr. Susi of Pittsfield, tabled pending further consideration and assigned for later in today's session.

**Non-Concurrent Matter
Tabled Later in the Day**

Bill "An Act relating to the Control of Dogs" (H. P. 270) (L. D. 359) which was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" in the House on March 12.

Came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" and Senate Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

In the House: On motion of Mr. Susi of Pittsfield, tabled pending further consideration and assigned for later in today's session.

Non-Concurrent Matter

Majority Report of the Committee on State Government reporting "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Leave of Absence for Legislative Service by Teachers" (H. P. 505) (L. D. 651) and Minority Report reporting "Ought not to pass" which Reports and Bill were indefinitely postponed in the House on March 19.

Came from the Senate with the Majority Report accepted and the Bill passed to be engrossed in non-concurrence.

In the House: On motion of Mr. Donaghy of Lubec, the House voted to adhere.

Non-Concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act relating to Penalty for Injuring Watercraft and Entering of Watercraft Without Permission" (H. P. 1083) (L. D. 1149)

which was indefinitely postponed in the House on March 17.

Came from the Senate passed to be engrossed in non-concurrence.

In the House: On motion of Mr. Kelley of Southport, the House voted to adhere.

**Petitions, Bills and Resolves
Requiring Reference**

The following Bill, approved by a majority of the Committee on Reference of Bills for appearance on House Calendar, was received and referred to the following Committee:

Business Legislation

Bill "An Act relating to Commercial Rates for Political Broadcasting and Advertising" (H. P. 1225) (Presented by Mr. Silverman of Calais)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Orders

Mr. Mahany of Easton was granted unanimous consent to address the House:

Mr. MAHANY: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: I would like to acknowledge Maine Potato Week and call to the attention of my colleagues the importance of this industry which represents a contribution of some \$500,000,000 to the economy of the State of Maine.

We give credit to all our industry organizations and particularly the potato industry tax program administered by the Maine Potato Commission. We make no claim to perfection but are proud of the fact that we make an active contribution toward the development and promotion of our product both fresh and processed.

Our competition may use a wide range of promotional phrases from time to time to describe their product but none, we feel, come close to our claim that "The Maine Difference is flavor."

Mr. Mills of Eastport was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. MILLS: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: After the address by our representative from Aroostook, Mr. Mahany, I would

pose a question to the gentleman through the Chair. I notice on the potatoes that I have received this morning that they are starting to sprout, and this is only March. I wonder if he can answer how this happens.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Eastport, Mr. Mills, poses a question through the Chair to the gentleman from Easton, Mr. Mahany, who may answer if he chooses.

The Chair recognizes that gentleman.

Mr. MAHANY: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: The only answer I can give the gentleman, Mr. Mills, is, it is getting close to springtime and the potatoes are getting anxious to be placed in the ground to produce another crop. To hurry that small minor sprout along, of course, they have been washed, and perhaps laid here somewhere a day or two where it is a little too warm for proper ventilation and temperature.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes in the rear of the Hall of the House the representative of the Maine Potato Industry, Miss Brenda Baker. The Chair would ask the gentleman from Easton, Mr. Mahany, to escort Miss Baker to the rostrum so that the Members of the House may see her, and she may make such remarks as she might desire.

Thereupon, Miss Brenda Baker was escorted to the rostrum by Mr. Mahany of Easton, amid the applause of the House, the members rising.

Mr. MAHANY: Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen: It gives me great pleasure to introduce to you Miss Brenda Baker, our living image for our potato. (Applause)

Miss BRENDA BAKER: Mr. Speaker, it is indeed my pleasure to be here this morning, and I wish to thank you for the privilege of letting me come here and represent the Maine Potato Industry.

This is Maine Potato Week, as you know. It started March 17, is going through March 27, and those beautiful packages of Maine russets that you found are compliments of the Maine Potato Commission

and the Maine Department of Agriculture.

I won't keep you long. I know you have a busy agenda. So I thank you very much for having me.

Thereupon, Miss Baker was escorted from the Hall by Mr. Mahany of Easton. (Applause)

House Reports of Committees Ought Not to Pass

Mr. Dudley from the Committee on Transportation reported "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act Providing Resident State Troopers in Municipalities Having No Organized Police Forces" (H. P. 406) (L. D. 519)

In accordance with Joint Rule 17-A, was placed in the legislative files and sent to the Senate.

Leave to Withdraw

Mr. Donaghy from the Committee on State Government on Bill "An Act Increasing the Mileage Allowance for State Employees on State Business" (H. P. 757) (L. D. 1124) reported Leave to Withdraw.

Mrs. Goodwin from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Maternity Leave for State Employees (H. P. 363) (L. D. 470)

Reports were read and accepted and sent up for concurrence.

Ought to Pass in New Draft New Drafts Printed

Mr. Marstaller from the Committee on State Government on Bill "An Act Permitting Maine Port Authority to Operate Certain Charter Service in Addition to Maine State Ferry Service" (H. P. 365) (L. D. 472) reported same in a new draft (H. P. 1227) (L. D. 1433) under same title and that it "Ought to pass"

Mr. Curtis from the Committee on Veterans and Retirement on Bill "An Act relating to Retirement of Police Officers" (H. P. 317) (L. D. 417) reported same in a new draft (H. P. 1226) (L. D. 1432) under title of "An Act relating to Retirement of Police Officers and Fire Fighters" and that it "Ought to pass"

Reports were read and accepted, the New Drafts read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Ought to Pass with Committee Amendment

Mr. Ross from the Committee on Election Laws on Bill "An Act to Repeal the Requirement That the Boundary Lines of Voting Districts in Municipal Elections Follow Streets" (H. P. 765) (L. D. 1031) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Report was read and accepted and the Bill read twice. Committee Amendment "A" (H-77) was read by the Clerk and adopted, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of the Bill.

Divided Report

Majority Report of the Committee on Labor reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act to Regulate Industrial Homework" (H. P. 462) (L. D. 590)

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs. TANOUS of Penobscot
MARCOTTE of York
-of the Senate.
Messrs. SIMPSON of Millinocket
KELLEY of Machias
BUSTIN of Augusta
LEE of Albion
ROLLINS of Dixfield
Mrs. Lincoln of Bethel
Mr. GOOD of Westfield
-of the House.

Minority Report of same Committee on same Bill reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Report was signed by the following members:

Mr. LEVINE of Kennebec
-of the Senate.
Messrs. McTEAGUE of Brunswick
GENEST of Waterville
BEDARD of Saco
-of the House.

Reports were read.

the SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Westfield Mr. Good.

Mr. GOOD: Mr. Speaker, I move we accept the Majority "Ought not to pass" Report.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Westfield, Mr. Good, moves that the House accept the Majority "Ought not to Pass" Report.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Brunswick, Mr. McTeague.

Mr. McTEAGUE: Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House: I would speak in opposition to Mr. Good's motion. The bill before us is L. D. 590, which is amended by Committee Amendment "A" filed under H. P. 462, and it is before you today.

The area of regulation involved here is the area of industrial homework, making goods that are customarily made in plants or factories at home. This exists in a number of industries, but it is particularly prevalent, and becoming more prevalent, in the shoe industry.

The bill, with the Committee Amendment, does not seek to abolish industrial homework in any way. It seeks rather to empower the Commissioner of Labor, if she finds, after hearing, that undesirable or abusive conditions are existing, to regulate industrial homework.

The need for regulation stems from the fact that industrial homework can, under certain circumstances, lead to unsanitary and unhealthful conditions both for the home worker and the consumer of the product; and furthermore, can subvert the enforcement of the Minimum Wage Laws and the Child Wage and Hour Laws. It also can have an undesirable effect upon the ability of people to make a living in the normal fashion working in shops or plants.

There are some very important exceptions from the ability of the Commissioner to regulate, which is set forth in Committee Amendment "A". Number one, this bill would not allow the Commissioner to in any way regulate industrial homework done on behalf of a charitable organization. There are certain religious and other charitable organizations that, as part of their programs, do have work done at home. This bill would in no way affect them.

This bill also contains a blanket exemption in the case of handicapped people. It is recognized that a person may have a handicap that precludes him from the possibility of working outside the home,

and yet he may be able, if materials are provided to him at home, to work at home, and this is desirable. So this bill would in no way affect that.

Many states — I don't have the exact number, but I know that, for example, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and many states throughout the Union, do regulate industrial homework. Maine has absolutely no regulation whatsoever in this area. I feel it would be a worthwhile step not to ban industrial homework outright, but to provide for its regulation in order to maintain the enforcement of the Child Labor Laws, which you can't really enforce in regard to industrial homework. You don't know if the person sewing on a pair of shoes at home is eight years old or 88. There is no way to tell by inspection.

There are problems in the area of sanitation. You cannot control the sanitary conditions in a thousand home workshops as well as you can in ten factories. And there have been problems in the area of enforcement of Minimum Wage.

So I hope that this matter will be given consideration today and that you will vote to reject the motion of Mr. Good, and to accept the minority report so that you will have a chance to consider the bill with the amendment before you.

Mr. Speaker, when the vote is taken, I ask that it be by a division.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Machias, Mr. Kelley.

Mr. KELLEY: Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House: As one of the signers of the Majority "Ought not to pass" Report, I would like to make a few comments on this particular bill. First of all, this bill strikes at one of the fundamental privileges of Maine people; namely the privilege of working or producing something in your own home in an attempt to either supplement your income, or an attempt perhaps even to create your own business.

The previous speaker has just mentioned that this bill would at-

tempt to correct some of the inequities in homework, and as against people whom he says work in the normal fashion. Which would seem to indicate that those homeworkers work in an abnormal fashion; and I don't believe that this is true.

More than that, I don't think that the red herring of unsanitation and unhealthful working conditions is of any great importance. Neither do I think that the Child Labor Laws are abused.

Furthermore, if a person wishes to work in their own home, I can't see why this home should be entered at any time by some member of a new commission who would poke about the home to see if Child Labor Laws were being abused, and if the work was being produced under unhealthful or unsanitary conditions.

I think, ladies and gentlemen, that this is a red herring. I think you will find that the crux of the matter is simply that up until now the homeworker hasn't been unionized, and this is an attempt to start him on that road, to keep him under more or less control. And this is a foot-in-the-door piece of legislation. No one is so naive as to think that two years hence, or four years hence, this bill won't be even more restrictive.

This bill was given a good hearing; as you can see an overwhelming majority of the committee voted that it should not pass. And I would hope that every member of this House would support the "Ought not to pass" Report. Thank you.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Auburn, Mr. Emery.

Mr. EMERY: Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House: This bill, if it passed as is, would cause a lot of consternation in my area. There are a lot of people down there that have small children that work for a living handsewing shoes at home. And as was mentioned by the gentleman from Machias, Mr. Kelley, I think this is a step in the door for further regulation. I also think that we don't need any more people trying to invade the privacy of the home as guaranteed

by the Fourth Amendment of the United States Constitution. I also think we have enough red tape on the books, and this is only some more. Thank you.

The SPEAKER: The pending question is on the motion of the gentleman from Westfield, Mr. Good, that the House accept the Majority "Ought not to pass" Report on Bill "An Act to Regulate Industrial Homework," House Paper 462, L. D. 590. A division has been requested. All in favor of accepting the Majority "Ought not to pass" Report will vote yes; those opposed will vote no.

A vote of the House was taken. 104 having voted in the affirmative and 29 having voted in the negative, the motion did prevail.

Sent up for concurrence.

Divided Report

Majority Report of the Committee on State Government reporting "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act Increasing Mileage Allowance for State Employees on State Business" (H. P. 305) (L. D. 405)

Report was signed by the following members:

Mr. JOHNSON of Somerset
— of the Senate.
Messrs. DONAGHY of Lubec
STARBIRD
of Kingman Township
FARRINGTON
of Old Orchard Beach
HODGDON of Kittery
CURTIS of Orono
Mrs. GOODWIN of Bath
— of the House.

Minority Report of same Committee reporting "Ought not to pass" on same Bill.

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs. WYMAN of Washington
CLIFFORD
of Androscoggin
— of the Senate.
Messrs. COONEY of Webster
MARSTALLER
of Freeport
STILLINGS of Berwick
— of the House.

Reports were read.

On motion of Mr. Donaghy of Lubec, the Majority "Ought to pass" Report was accepted, the Bill read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Passed to Be Engrossed

Bill "An Act Exempting Kents Hill School from the Maine State Retirement System" (S. P. 244) (L. D. 705)

Bill "An Act Removing Tolls from Bangor-Brewer Bridge" (H. P. 16) (L. D. 25)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Third Reader

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act Making Additional Appropriations for the Expenditures of State Government and for Other Purposes for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1971" (H. P. 1217) (L. D. 1408)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Martin of Eagle Lake, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and tomorrow assigned.)

Bill "An Act relating to Financial Assistance to Institutional Teachers in Obtaining Professional Credits" (H. P. 1218) (L. D. 1409)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Third Readers

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Age for Compulsory Education" (H. P. 1219) (L. D. 1410)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Mills of Eastport, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for Tuesday, March 30.)

Bill "An Act relating to Reimbursements for Professional Credits of Teachers" (H. P. 1220) (L. D. 1411)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Dyar of Strong, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and tomorrow assigned.)

Amended Bills

Bill "An Act Providing for Scholarships for North American Indians Residing in Maine" (H. P. 260) (L. D. 342)

Bill "An Act Amending and Restating the Act to Incorporate York Institute" (H. P. 349) (L. D. 458)

Bill "An Act relating to Rebates for Prospective Purchasers and Consumer's Obligation under Home Solicitation Sales Act" (H. P. 380) (L. D. 495)

Bill "An Act relating to Number of Board of Directors of Maine Fidelity Life Insurance Company" (H. P. 549) (L. D. 725)

Bill "An Act relating to Subsidy Payments on Expenditures Made for the Education of Handicapped Children" (H. P. 704) (L. D. 947)

Bill "An Act Permitting Class A Taverns to Sell Food" (H. P. 748) (L. D. 1009)

Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Hermon for Support Rendered an Unsettled State Welfare Case (H. P. 655) (L. D. 886)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, Bills read the third time, Resolve read the second time, all passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A" and sent to the Senate.

Passed to Be Enacted

An Act relating to Charges for Transporting Milk (H. P. 515) (L. D. 678)

An Act Increasing the Hundred-weight Fees Payable to Maine Milk Commission (H. P. 516) (L. D. 679)

An Act to Appropriate Funds for Payment to Veterinarians for Vaccinating against Brucellosis (H. P. 626) (L. D. 849)

Were reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Bunker of Gouldsboro,

Adjourned until nine o'clock tomorrow morning.