MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the

LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY

at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library

http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied (searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

One Hundred and Twelfth Legislature

OF THE STATE OF MAINE

VOLUME I

SECOND REGULAR SESSION January 8 - April 2, 1986 STATE OF MAINE
ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND REGULAR SESSION
JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

In Senate Chamber Wednesday March 5, 1986

Senate called to Order by the President.

Prayer by Pastor Peter Inchcombe of the First Baptist Church in Hallowell.

PASTOR INCHCOMBE: Good morning. Let us please bow our heads in a word of prayer. Father, we just thank You for the opportunity to gather together, this morning. We thank You for Your grace, and it is because of Your grace that we're not consumed. Lord, we pray with King Soloman, of old, that Your wisdom might be very evident here in this House, this morning. We thank You for each one present. We ask that Your perfect will might be revealed through the decisions that are taken, or that are gone through, this morning. We give You the praise and thank You for Your blessings. We ask that Your presence might be experienced by each one. We ask again, for Your wisdom that goes beyond our years. We will be careful to give You the praise, and give You the glory. For we ask it in Jesus' name, Amen.

Reading of the Journal of Yesterday.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-concurrent Matter

Bill "An Act to Create an Ongoing Cooperative Association Between the Department of Marine Resources and the University of Maine." S.P. 719 L.D. 1842 (C "A" S-381)

In Senate, February 25, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (S-381).

Comes from the House Bill and Accompanying Papers INDEFINITELY POSTPONED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

The Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

House Papers

Bill "An Act to Insure the Rights of the Staff of the Projects Serving Preschool Handicapped Children and Other Preschool Teachers Employed by Public Schools to Receive Maine State Retirement" H.P. 1513 L.D. 2135

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on AGING, RETIREMENT AND VETERANS and ORDERED

PRINTED.

Which was referred to the Committee on AGING, RETIREMENT AND VETERANS and ORDERED PRINTED, in concurrence.

Off Record Remarks

SENATE PAPERS

Bill "An Act to Strengthen Professional Regulation"
S.P. 842 L.D. 2134

Presented by Senator CLARK of Cumberland Cosponsored by: Representative DAVIS of Monmouth, Representative ROLDE of York, Representative JOSEPH of Waterville Submitted by the Department of Business, Occupational and Professional Regulation pursuant to Joint Rule 24

Which was referred to the Committee on BUSINESS AND COMMERCE and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

House

Ought Not to Pass

The following Ought Not to Pass Reports shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act Concerning Computer Access and Computer-related Crimes" $% \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) =\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) +\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) +\frac{1}{2$

H.P. 34 L.D. 36

Bill "An Act to Provide Funds for Repair and Maintenance of the Montpelier Museum at Thomaston" H.P. 1275 L.D. 1792

Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw Reports shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act to Fund Community Response Programs to Address Child Sexual Abuse in Maine Communities"

H.P. 962 L.D. 1383

Bill "An Act to Make Public the Proceedings of the Board of Overseers of the Bar" H.P. 971 L.D. 1404

Bill "An Act to Fund Training for Boards of Directors of Social Service Agencies" H.P. 1274 L.D. 1791

Bill "An Act to Insure Training and Employment Opportunities for All Aid to Families with Dependent Children Recipients"

H.P. 1339 L.D. 1876

Ought to Pass

The Committee on MARINE RESOURCES on Bill "An Act to Provide for a Clean-up Program Concerning Natural Die-off of Fish in the Coastal Waters of the State"

H.P. 1383 L.D. 1952

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

The Bill, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act Relating to Settlement Negotiations and Investigation of Facts by the Maine Human Rights Commission"

H.P. 1228 L.D. 1735

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-548).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-548).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-548) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

The Committee on MARINE RESOURCES on Bill "An Act Exempting Mercinaria Mercinaria Raised by Means of Aquaculture from the 2-inch Clam Law"

H.P. 1308 L.D. 1824

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-547).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-547).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-547) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, LATER TODAY ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Senate

Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw Reports shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act Concerning Independent Contractors in the Forest Industry"

S.P. 742 L.D. 1895

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Description of Crooked River in Cumberland County and to Extend Special Protection to Outstanding Rivers to the Crooked River"

S.P. 792 L.D. 1993

SECOND READERS

The Committee on Bills in the Second Reading reported the following:

House

Bill "An Act to Strengthen Provisions Relating to the Delivery of the Publications of State Agencies to the Maine State Library for Reliable Public Access" H.P. 1502 L.D. 2117

Bill "An Act to Improve Retraining Opportunities for Dislocated Workers" (Emergency)

H.P. 1508 L.D. 2122

Which were READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Reapportion the Wells-Ogunquit Community School District" (Emergency) H.P. 1503 L.D. 2118

Which was READ A SECOND TIME.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED.

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Application of Water Quality Standards to Hydroelectric Projects" H.P. 1495 L.D. 2107

Which was READ A SECOND TIME.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled 2 Legislative Days, pending -PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

House As Amended

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Education Funding Laws Relating to Reduction of State Aid to School Districts Based on the Receipt of Certain Federal Funds"

H. P. 1366 L.D. 1930 (C "A" H-539)

Which was READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Concerning State Contribution to Pollution Abatement"

H.P. 1469 L.D. 2071 (H "A" H-540)

Which was READ A SECOND TIME.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Senate

Bill "An Act Concerning the Regulation of Itinerant Vendors"

S.P. 840 L.D. 2129

Bill "An Act Transferring Legislative Jurisdiction over Acadia National Park, St. Croix Island International Historic Site, Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, Veterans Administration Center at Togus and the Soldiers' Lots at the Mount Pleasant Cemetery"

S.P. 761 L.D. 1925

Which were READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Senate As Amended

Bill "An Act to Correct Some Inconsistencies in the Law Relating to the Financing of Services in the Unorganized Territory" (Emergency) S.P. 713 L.D. 1838

(C "A" S-385)

Which was READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and specially assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Expand and Continue Alcoholism Treatment, Education, Prevention and Research Programs"

H.P. 951 L.D. 1370

Tabled - March 4, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending – ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (H-532)

(In Senate, March 4, 1986, Committee Amendment "A" (H-532) READ.)

(In House, March 3, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-532).)

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending ADOPTION of Committee Amendment 'A' (H-532).

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and specially assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Promote Intensive Spruce-fir Management"

H.P. 1468 L.D. 2070

Tabled - March 4, 1986 by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED

(In Senate, March 3, 1986, READ SECOND TIME.)

(In House, February 27, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.)

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled until Later in Today's Session, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED.

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and specially assigned matter:

Emergency

An Act to Adjust and Allocate Various Dedicated Revenue Accounts of the Department of Environmental Protection for Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1986, and June 30, 1987

H.P. 1240 L.D. 1750 (C "A" H-535)

Tabled - March 4, 1986, by Senator PEARSON of Penobscot.

Pending - ENACTMENT

(In House, March 4, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENACTED.)

(In Senate, March 3, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-535), in concurrence.)

This being an Emergency Measure and having received the affirmative vote of 32 Members of the Senate, with 1 Senators having voted in negative, and 32 being more than two-thirds of the entire elected Membership of the Senate, was PASSED TO BE ENACTED and having been signed by the President, was presented by the Secretary to the Governor for his approval.

BILL HELD

Senator DUTREMBLE of York, moved that the Senate RECONSIDERED its action whereby it RECEDED and CONCURRED on:

Bill "An Act to Conserve Striped Bass" H.P. 1448 L.D. 2041 (H "A" H-549)

(In Senate February 27, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, in concurrence.)

(In House March, 4 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT (H-549), in NON-CONCURRENCE.)

(In Senate March 4, 1986, RECEDED and CONCURRED.)

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, Tabled Unassigned, pending the motion by Senator DUTREMBLE of York, to RECONSIDER whereby the Senate RECEDED and CONCURRED.

Under suspension of the Rules, all matters thus acted upon, with the exception of those items being held, were ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

On motion by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook, the Senate removed from the Tabled and Later Today assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Expand and Continue Alcoholism Treatment, Education, Prevention and Research Programs"

H.P. 951 L.D. 1370

Tabled - March 5, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending – ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (H–532)

On further motion by same Senator, Tabled 2 Legislative Days, pending ADOPTION of Committee Amendment "A" (H-532).

Senator PEARSON of Penobscot was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate On the Record.

Senator PEARSON: Mr. President, I wish the Senator from Aroostook, Senator Carpenter were here in the Chamber, because some of the remarks I am going to make relate to a concern that he might also have. It deals with basketball. Although people probably think that is a light subject, in a moment of the game, it gets to be very serious to the teams that participate, and to the towns that support the schools that go there. This has nothing to do with any school in my district that I am connected with, but I was disturbed last weekend, when a little school from Southern Aroostook County, Hodgdon, participated in the State's Final Basketball Tournament here in Augusta. Now, Hodgdon is not a wealthy area, and it does all it can to provide its' students with the best education and with a good sports program, commensurate with their ability to finance it. They went all the way to the State Finals. They came up against a team, and this is not sour grapes on my part because I do not come from that school, but, they came up against a team from Western Maine that had apparently recruited students from the Virgin Islands to play because of their basketball ability. Now, I have complained to the State Principal's Association, or at least to one member of it, that I think that is inappropriate and a wrong thing to do on a high school level, to recruit basketball players.

They informed me that this had been an item of quite serious debate in the State Principal's Association. I applaud them for being concerned about it. I hope they continue to try to deal with it. They are very conscientious about it, I think. What happens is, a person comes from somewhere else, someone assumes guardianship, they become a member of that high school, and there is nothing anybody can do about it, under the current status. I can tell you that I do not think that the people of Hodgdon could have gotten involved with that kind of recruiting, nor would they have the desire to do so. It must have been very frustrating for the people there to go up against a team that was staffed, to some degree, by recruits from out side of the State, and outside of the contiguous United States.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland RECESSED until 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Non-concurrent Matter

Joint Order relative to Recalling, "Resolution, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine Relating to Salaries Received by Judges Who have been Relieved of Their Duties," H.P. 899, L.D. 1294, from the legislative files to the House.

H.P. 1506

In House, March 4, 1986, READ and PASSED.

In Senate, March 4, 1986, READ and FAILED OF PASSAGE in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Comes from the House, that Body INSISTED in NON-CONCURRENCE.

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, the Senate ADHERED.

Joint Resolution

The Following Joint Resolution: H.P. 1515

JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE SECRETARY
OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
TO SELL ALL CONRAIL STOCK HELD BY THE GOVERNMENT
ON THE FREE MARKET

WE, your Memorialists, the House of Representatives and Senate of the State of Maine of the One Hundred and Twelfth Legislature now assembled in Second Regular Session, most respectfully present and petition the Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation as follows:

WHEREAS, the management of Conrail has converted a bankrupt railroad system on public subsidy into a \$500,000,000 per year profit-making transportation operation; and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Transportation has chosen to accept the proposal of the Norfolk Southern Railroad to purchase the Conrail transportation system; and

WHEREAS, the Maine Legislature is concerned about the potential impact of the proposed Conrail purchase by Norfolk Southern Railroad on Guilford Industries, the parent company of Maine Central Railroad; and WHEREAS, the Maine Legislature accepts the recommendation of the United States Department of Transportation that it is in the best interest of the public that Conrail be sold to private enterprise; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, your Memorialists, do hereby respectfully urge the Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation to offer for sale on, the free market all Conrail stock currently held by the Federal Government to afford all taxpayers the opportunity to purchase stock in the Conrail transportation system, which has previously been subsidized by and benefited from federal tax dollars; and be it further

RESOLVED: That a suitable copy of this Joint Resolution, duly authenticated by the Secretary of State, be transmitted by the Secretary of State to the Secretary of the United States Department of Transportation and to each Member of the Maine Congressional Delegation.

Comes from the House READ and ADOPTED.

Which was READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

House

Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw Reports shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act to Establish a Competitive State Workers' Compensation Insurance Fund" H.P. 792 L.D. 1122

Bill "An Act to Limit the Grounds for Termination of an Insurance Agency Appointment" (Emergency)
H.P. 1057 L.D. 1537

Ought to Pass

The Committee on JUDICIARY on Bill "An Act Regarding Certification Records of Minority Business Enterprises, Women's Business Enterprises and Disadvantaged Business Enterprises to be Confidential"

H.P. 1260 L.D. 1770

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Comes from the House with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

The Bill TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

Ought to Pass As Amended

The Committee on AGRICULTURE on Bill "An Act to Amend the Maine Agricultural Marketing and Bargaining Act of 1973"

H.P. 1273 L.D. 1790

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-551).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-551).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-551) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

Under suspension of the Rules, READ A SECOND TIME.

On motion by Senator ERWIN of $0\times ford$ Senate Amendment "A" (S-390) READ and ADOPTED.

Which was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Under suspension of the Rules, ordered sent down forthwith for concurrence.

The Committee on BUSINESS AND COMMERCE on Bill "An Act to Provide Parity to State-chartered Institutions by Allowing them to Offer Self-directed Individual Retirement Accounts"

H.P. 1181 L.D. 1678

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-550).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-550).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-550) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

The Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES on Bill "An Act to Improve the Processing of Matters Delegated by the Board of Environmental Protection to the Department of Environmental Protection"

H.P. 1407 L.D. 1987

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-553).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-553).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-553) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill as Amended, TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR SECOND READING.

The Committee on ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES on Bill "An Act to Establish an Official Endangered Plant List"

H.P. 1413 L.D. 1997

Reported that the same Ought to Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-552).

Comes from the House, with the Report READ and ACCEPTED and the Bill PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" (H-552) AND HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-554).

Which Report was READ and ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill READ ONCE.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-552) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

House Amendment "A" (H-554) READ and ADOPTED, in concurrence.

The Bill TOMORROW ASSIGNED FOR Amended. as SECOND READING.

Off Record Remarks

Divided Report

of the Committee on MARINE Majority RESOURCES on Bill "An Act Providing for the Regional Management of Marine Fisheries Within the Territorial Waters of the Atlantic States"

H.P. 855 L.D. 1211

Reported that the same Ought Not to Pass.

Signed:

Senators:

CHALMERS of Knox

SHUTE of Waldo

Representatives:

SALSBURY of Bar Harbor CROWLEY of Stockton Springs MITCHELL of Freeport SCARPINO of St. George VOSE of Eastport RUHLIN of Brewer COLES of Harpswell CONNERS of Franklin RICE of Stonington

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Signed:

Senator:

BROWN of Washington

Representative:

MANNING of Portland

Comes from the House with the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report READ and ACCEPTED.

Which Reports were READ.

On motion by Senator CHALMERS of Knox, the Majority OUGHT NOT TO PASS Report was ACCEPTED, in concurrence.

Senate

Leave to Withdraw

The following Leave to Withdraw Report shall be placed in the Legislative Files without further action pursuant to Rule 15 of the Joint Rules:

Bill "An Act Relating to the Stocking of Fish in Bodies of Water"

S.P. 711 L.D. 1836

SECOND READERS

The Committee on Bills in the Second Reading reported the following:

, House

Bill "An Act to Provide for a Clean-up Program Concerning Natural Die-off of Fish in the Coastal Waters of the State"

H.P. 1383 L.D. 1952

Which was READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, in concurrence.

House As Amended

Bill "An Act Relating to Settlement Negotiations and Investigation of Facts by the Maine Human Rights Commission"

H.P. 1228 L.D. 1735 (C "A" H-548)

Bill "An Act Exempting Mercinaria Mercinaria Raised by Means of Aquaculture from the 2-inch Clam Lawii

> H.P. 1308 L.D. 1824 (C "A" H-547)

Which were READ A SECOND TIME and PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, as Amended, in concurrence.

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

SENATE PAPERS

Bill "An Act to Require the Department of Human Services to Pursue Family Reunification Prior to Termination of Parental Rights"

S.P. 849

Presented by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin Cosponsored by: Senator CHALMERS of Knox, Representative TAYLOR of Camden, Representative HAYDEN of Brunswick Approved for Introduction by a Majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26

Which was referred to the Committee on AUDIT AND PROGRAM REVIEW and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Improve Boating Safety and Public Access to the State's Public Waters"

S.P. 848

Presented by Senator DIAMOND of Cumberland Cosponsored by: Representative ROLDE of York, Representative ERWIN of Rumford, Representative McPHERSON of Eliot Submitted by the Department of Conservation pursuant to Joint Rule 24

Which was referred to the Committee on FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Out of order and under suspension of the Rules, the Senate considered the following:

SENATE PAPERS

Bill "An Act to Repeal the Annual Review of Fee Schedules for Providers under the Medical Assistance Program"

S.P. 850

Presented by Senator BUSTIN of Kennebec Cosponsored by: Senator GILL of Cumberland, Representative CARROLL of Gray, Representative MELENDY of Rockland Submitted by the Department of Human Services pursuant to Joint Rule 24 Which was referred to the Committee on HUMAN RESOURCES and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to the Collection of Sums Due for Rent and Damages in Actions for Forcible Entry and Detainer"

S.P. 851

Presented by Senator GAUVREAU of Androscoggin Cosponsored by: Representative HANDY of Lewiston, Representative MURPHY of Berwick Approved for Introduction by a Majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26

Which was referred to the Committee on LEGAL AFFAIRS and ORDERED PRINTED.

Sent down for concurrence.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Reapportion the Wells-Ogunquit Community School District" (Emergency)
H.P. 1503 L.D. 2118

Tabled - March 5, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED

(In Senate, March 5, 1986, READ A SECOND TIME.)

(In House, March 4, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.)

Which was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, in concurrence.

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today assigned matter:

Bill "An Act Concerning State Contribution to Pollution Abatement"

H.P. 1469 L.D. 2071 (H "A" H-540)

Tabled – March 5, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED

(In Senate, March 5, 1986, READ A SECOND TIME.)

(In House, March 3, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED AS AMENDED BY HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" (H-540).)

On motion by Senator CHALMERS of Knox, Senate Amendment "A" (S-389) READ and ADOPTED.

Which was PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED, As Amended in NON-CONCURRENCE.

Sent down for concurrence.

Senate at Ease

Senate called to order by the President.

The Chair laid before the Senate the Tabled and Later Today assigned matter:

Bill "An Act to Promote Intensive Spruce-fir Management"

H.P. 1468 L.D. 2070

Tabled — March 5, 1986, by Senator VIOLETTE of Aroostook.

Pending - PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED

(In Senate, March 3, 1986, READ SECOND TIME.)

(In House, February 27, 1986, PASSED TO BE ENGROSSED.)

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland, Tabled 1 Legislative Day, pending PASSAGE TO BE ENGROSSED.

Off Record Remarks

Senator MATTHEWS of Kennebec was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate Off the Record.

Off Record Remarks

On motion by Senator CLARK of Cumberland ADJOURNED until Thursday, March 6, 1986, at 11 o'clock in the morning, in memory of former State Senator Albert Cote.