

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

Seventy-Second Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1905.

the table; and on further motion by the same senator, the bill was referred to the committee on appropriations and financial affairs.

On motion by Mr. Owen of Piscataquis, the Senate adjourned to meet on Tuesday, January 24, 1905, at 4.30 P. M.

HOUSE.

Friday, Jan. 20, 1905.

Prayer by Rev. Mr. Livingston of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the Senate disposed of in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of the Maine School for the Deaf comes from the Senate, that branch non-concurring with the House in its reference of the resolve to the committee on education, and referring the same to the committee on appropriations and financial affairs.

On motion of Mr. Josselyn of Portland the House receded and concurred with the Senate in referring the resolve to the committee on appropriations and financial affairs.

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The following petitions, bills, etc., were presented and referred:

Judiciary.

By Mr. Tracy of Winter Harbor: Petition of V. B. Gordon for change in management of Sullivan ferry.

By Mr. Hale of Portland: Petition of Herbert L. Kimball to reimburse him the amount of \$246.72 paid by him to the State for tax deeds.

Also petition of De Forest Keyes to reimburse him the amount of \$23,646.85 paid by him to the State for tax deeds.

Also petition of De Forest Keyes to reimburse him the amount of \$657.48 paid by him to the State for tax deeds.

By Mr. Powers of Houlton: Bill, an act relating to the Houlton Electric Light and Power Company.

By Mr. Garcelon of Lewiston: Bill, an act to repeal section 26 of chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes relating to agricultural societies.

By Mr. Hale of Portland: Resolve to reimburse Herbert L. Kimball the amount of \$246.72 paid by him to the State for tax deeds.

Also, Resolve to reimburse De Forest Keyes the amount of \$24,304.33 paid by him to the State for tax deeds.

Legal Affairs.

By Mr. Tracy of Winter Harbor: Petition of Edwin W. Doyle and accompanying act for right to maintain

the upper dam on Flander's stream in town of Sullivan.

By Mr. Weatherbee of Lincoln: Bill, an act to extend the charter of the Mattanawcook Manufacturing Company.

By Mr. Holmes of Caribou: Bill, an act to amend section 4 of chapter 88 of the Revised Statutes relating to service upon co-partners in trustee process.

By Mr. Tracy of Winter Harbor: Bill, an act to enable Edwin W. Doyle to maintain the upper dam on Flander's stream in town of Sullivan, Hancock county.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

By Mr. Kinsman of Augusta: Petition of George M. Twitchell and 48 others for an appropriation of \$1500 for Maine Home for Friendless Boys.

By Mr. Poor of Belfast: Petition of selectmen and 49 others of Searsmont in favor of Waldo County General Hospital.

By Mr. Pendleton of Islesboro: Petition of selectmen of Lincolnville and 14 others in favor of Waldo Hospital Association.

Agriculture.

By Mr. Cousins of Limington: Resolve in favor of the dairying interests of the State of Maine.

By Mr. Johnson of Waterville: Resolve in favor of the Central Fair Association.

Interior Waters.

By Mr. Hall of Dover: Bill, an act to authorize the Sebec Lake Lumber Company, its successors and assigns, to maintain a wharf and boom in Sebec lake.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Lanigan of Waterville: Petition of A. A. Crafts and 9 others for a law regulating fishing in Shadow pond, in Squaw Mt. township.

By Mr. Stevens of Portland: Petition of H. F. Farnham for an appropriation for the purpose of placing screens at outlet of Panther pond in Cumberland county.

Also petition of H. F. Farnham and 22 others to restrict fishing in Big Rat-

lesnake and Panther ponds in Cumberland county.

Also petition of H. F. Farnham and 22 others to restrict fishing in the tributaries of Big Rattlesnake, Panther pond and Tenney river.

By Mr. Price of Weston: Bill an act to regulate fishing in Baskehegan Lake and stream, and in Hot brook, a tributary to said stream, and in Schoodic, Grand Lake, North Lake, Brackett Lake and Longfellow Lake, and their tributaries, situated in the counties of Washington and Aroostook.

Shore Fisheries.

By Mr. Purinton of Bowdoin: Petition of M. P. Cromwell and 12 others, residents of Woolwich, who ask that section 33 of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the use of torches in herring fishery in waters near said town, be repealed.

Also petition of J. E. Hunnewell and 10 others asking for a law to forbid the taking of cod or other ground fish, except with trawls or hook and line, from waters north of Seguin Island and Damariscove.

By Mr. Hanson of Machiasport: Petition of F. S. Stevens of Cutler and 55 others asking for enactment of a law removing the discrimination now existing with regard to purse and drag seining in the waters east of the Penobscot Bay and river.

By Mr. Peacock of Lubec: Bill, an act to amend chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes relating to sea and shore fisheries.

Towns.

By Mr. Russell of Readfield: Petition of Margaret J. Butler and others to have that part of their real estate which is now in the town of Winthrop, and known as Craig's Point, set off from said town and annexed to the town of Readfield.

Aroostook County Delegation.

By Mr. Therriault of Grand Isle: Bill, an act to amend section 7 of chapter 11 of the Revised Statutes, and to transfer the office of register of deeds for the northern district of Aroostook county from Madawaska to Van Buren, and to provide a suitable building in which to keep said office.

Franklin County Delegation.

By Mr. Berry of Carthage: Petition of the county commissioners of Franklin county to amend section 1 of chapter 26 of the private and special laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 487 of the private and special laws of 1897, relating to the taxation of certain plantations.

Also, bill, an act to amend section 1 of chapter 26 of the private and special laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 487 of the private and special laws of 1897, relating to the taxation of certain plantations.

Kennebec County Delegation.

By Mr. Kinsman of Augusta: Petition of Heath & Andrews and 18 others for passage of bill, an act in relation to original plans in Kennebec county.

By Mr. Johnson of Hallowell: Petition of J. W. Fuller and 8 others for same.

By Mr. Russell of Readfield: Petition of George W. Field and 9 others of Oakland for same.

Orders.

On motion of Mr. Morrison of Eden, Ordered, the Senate concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet Tuesday, January 24th, at 4.30 P. M.

On motion of Mr. Knapp of South Portland,

Ordered, the Senate concurring, that the Secretary of State be and hereby is directed to furnish to each member of the Senate and House of the seventy-second Legislature a copy of Reed's Rules.

On motion of Mr. Hale of Portland,

Ordered, that the use of the hall of the House of Representatives be granted to W. J. Ryan on Thursday evening, February 9, for the use of the blind.

Reports of Committees.

Mr. Johnson from the committee on the judiciary reported ought to pass on bill, an act relating to the Winthrop and Wayne Light and Power Company.

Mr. Gannett from the committee on inland fisheries and game reported ought to pass on bill, an act to regu-

late fishing in Cobbosseecontee stream in Kennebec county.

First Reading of Printed Bills and Resolves.

An act to amend section 19 of chapter 114 of the Revised Statutes relating to disclosure commissioners.

Orders of the Day.

Mr. TREWORGY of Surry: Mr. Speaker: In relation to bill, an act granting to Curtis E. Moon the right to establish and maintain a ferry between Sullivan and Hancock across Taunton bay or Sullivan river, and also petition of A. L. Morgan and 28 others, and of V. B. Gordon and 48 others, in favor of the bill, I move that the bill and petitions be returned from the Senate to the House for further consideration.

The motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Baldwin of Boothbay Harbor the rules were suspended and that gentleman introduced the following order:

Ordered, the Senate concurring, that there be 1500 extra copies of the report of the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries printed and bound in the usual manner for the use of the Legislature.

The order received a passage.

On motion of Mr. Giddings of Gorham,

Adjourned to meet Tuesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock.