

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Record

OF THE

Seventy-Sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

**SENATE.**

Tuesday, January 14, 1913.

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. Henry E. Dunnack of Augusta.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

Papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

From the House: An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 284 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the Westbrook Municipal Court, came from the House by that Branch referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Murphy of Cumberland, the bill was tabled for printing pending reference to a committee.

From the House: Resolve in favor of the town of Eagle Lake, came from the House by that Branch referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

On motion by Mr. Murphy of Cumberland, the resolve was tabled for printing pending reference to a committee.

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

**Judiciary.**

By Mr. Hersey of Aroostook: An Act to repeal Chapter 149 of the Resolves of 1911 and to provide for State paper.

By Mr. Dutton of Kennebec: An Act to relieve the town of Southport from the duty of building, repairing or maintaining roads, streets or ways on Capital Island.

**Appropriations.**

By Mr. Hastings of Androscoggin: Resolve in favor of St. Mary's General Hospital of Lewiston.

**Education.**

By Mr. Stearns of Oxford: An Act to amend Section 116 of Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, relating to instruction for the blind.

**Ways and Bridges.**

By Mr. Allen of Kennebec: An Act to repeal Chapter 340, of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to highway in Readfield closed to automobiles. (Tabled for printing pending ref-

erence on motion by Mr. Allen of Kennebec).

**Fish and Game.**

By Mr. Allen of Kennebec: An Act to amend Chapter 268 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to fishing in Parker Pond.

By Mr. Allen of Kennebec: Petition of B. W. Marr and 70 others of Mt. Vernon and vicinity in favor of opening Parker Pond.

**Pensions.**

By Mr. Allen of Kennebec: Resolve in favor of Betsy Storer.

By the same Senator: Resolve in favor of Maella L. Gordon.

**Insane Hospitals.**

By Mr. Dutton of Kennebec: An Act additional to Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes in relation to the emergency commitment of insane patients to insane hospitals. (Tabled for printing pending reference on motion by Mr. Moulton of Cumberland.)

By Mr. Dutton of Kennebec: An Act additional to Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes in relation to the voluntary admission of insane patients to insane hospitals. (Tabled for printing pending reference on motion by Mr. Moulton of Cumberland.)

**Orders of the Day.**

The PRESIDENT: The Chair lays before the Senate for consideration the report of the special joint committee on the Governor's message, tabled by the senator from York, Mr. Cole, and especially assigned for this morning.

On motion by Mr. Cole of York the report of the committee was taken from the table, and upon further motion by the same senator, was re-assigned for next Thursday morning, pending acceptance of the report.

On motion by Mr. Flaherty of Cumberland, Senate Document No. 9, An Act relative to untrue and misleading advertisements, was taken from the table.

On further motion by the same senator the bill was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Smith of Penobscot, Senate Document No. 16, An Act to provide for the regulation and supervision of investment companies and

providing penalties for the violation thereof, was taken from the table.

On further motion by the same senator, the bill was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs, in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Stearns of Oxford, the Senate took a recess until 11.45 o'clock.

**After Recess.**

Senate called to order by the President at 11.45 A. M.

At 12 o'clock noon, the hour appointed, the Senate proceeded to vote for a senator in Congress from this State for the term of six years, commencing on the 4th day of March next. The vote was taken viva voce, each senator rising in his place as the roll

was called and giving his vote. The result of the vote was announced by the President, and he declared Edwin C. Burleigh of Augusta to be the choice of the Senate.

The vote was:

For Edwin C. Burleigh of Augusta—Messrs. Allen, Bailey, Burleigh, Chase, Clark, Colby, Cole, Conant, Dutton, Emery, Hagerthy, Hersey, Maxwell, Milliken, Patten, Reynolds, Richardson, Smith, Stearns, Walker, Wing—21

For Obadiah Gardner of Rockland—Messrs. Allan, Boynton, Flaherty, Hastings, Jillson, Mansfield, Morey, Moulton, Murphy, Packard—10.

On motion by Mr. Flaherty of Cumberland, adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.