

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

Seventy-Eighth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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SENATE.

Tuesday, Jan. 9, 1917.

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. W. J. Layton of Augusta.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

The following communication was received from the Executive department:

STATE OF MAINE.
Executive Chamber.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 3, 1917.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

In compliance with the Constitution of the State I herewith communicate to the Legislature each case of reprieve, remission of penalty, commutation or pardon granted during the years 1915 and 1916, stating the name of the convict, the crime of which he was convicted, the sentence and its date, the date of the reprieve, remission, commutation or pardon, and the conditions, if any, upon which the same was granted.

(Signed) OAKLEY C. CURTIS,
Governor.

On motion by Mr. Boynton of Lincoln, placed on file and sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Swift of Kennebec, it was

Ordered, that the official reporter of the Senate be authorized to procure the services of a typewriter operator, during the present session, at an expense not exceeding three hundred dollars; also, an assistant reporter, at an expense not exceeding five hundred dollars, for the preparation and completion of the legislative record.

On motion by Mr. Walker of Somerset, it was

Ordered, that the secretary of the Senate be authorized to communicate with former Presidents Ira G. Hersey, Carl E. Milliken, Nathan Clifford and Luere B. Deasy, relative to having their pictures furnished the Senate to

be hung with the pictures of other former presidents of the Senate, in the room reserved for the presiding officer.

On motion by Mr. Chick of Kennebec, it was

Ordered, that the secretary of the Senate be authorized to procure sufficient steel filing equipment to protect the documents in his office, which are now without protection of any kind; and that the secretary properly index the same.

On motion by Mr. Butler of Franklin, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, that 675 copies of the legislative record for the session of 1917 be printed and bound, one copy each for members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and the remainder to be deposited in the State library for exchange and library use; and be it further ordered, that a suitable index be prepared for such legislative record at an expense not exceeding \$250; and be it further ordered, that 350 copies of the legislative record be printed in pamphlet form for distribution from day to day to members of the legislature and the departments under the direction of the document clerk.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Fulton of Aroostook, it was

Ordered, that the secretary of State be directed to exchange \$38.02 in cash and Underwood Typewriter No. 547146 for Underwood Typewriter No. 935,474, for the use of the secretary of the Senate.

On motion by Mr. Higgins of Penobscot, it was

Ordered, that all bills, resolves, orders and petitions for introduction in the Senate be placed in the hands of the secretary of the Senate not later than 4 o'clock of the day preceding such introduction.

On motion by Mr. Bartlett of Kennebec, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, that a joint select committee of three on the part of the Senate, with such as the

House may join, to be known as the committee on public utilities, be appointed for the consideration of bills and resolves particularly relating to public utilities which come before this legislature; and that a joint special committee of three on the part of the Senate, with such as the House may join, to be known as the committee on State sanatoriums,

be appointed for the consideration of all bills and resolves relating to institutions for the suppression and control of tuberculosis which come before this legislature.

On motion by Mr. Wood of Hancock,
Adjourned until tomorrow morning at
10 o'clock.